

THE MANE EVENT

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CHRIST CHARACTER COMMUNITY

Official Newsletter of Grace Lutheran School

CALENDAR

- April 2-6 - Easter; No School, Office Closed
- Apr 9 - Spring Picture Day (AM)
- April 15 - Donuts for Dads 7:30 am
- April 18 - Pasta With a Purpose Spaghetti Dinner

PASTA WITH A PURPOSE SPAGHETTI DINNER

Our largest fellowship event of the year is coming up on Saturday, April 18. Pasta With a Purpose Spaghetti Dinner is a community-wide meal bringing together all friends of Grace for everyone's favorite spaghetti.

PWAP is a three-day, all-hands-on-deck event requiring 100 volunteers for success. Preparations begin on April 16. All families should plan to assist. Childcare is available on Saturday from 10 am - 6:30 pm. Volunteer sign ups will be in next week's newsletter.

All students will also have 10 tickets to sell to family and friends. As always, this is optional, but the spaghetti dinner is a wonderful place to gather with family and friends.

While the spaghetti dinner is primarily a day of fellowship, we raise some money as well. This year's "purpose" is Assemblies Equipment - an updated A/V system, four more stage decks, and/or 30 new 8-foot tables. Not only does this improve the quality of our events; it also allows us to invite special presentations into our building that benefit the community.

MENU

- MON** 1: Hot Ham & Cheese
2: Egg Salad Sandwich
- TUE** 1: Tater Tot Supreme
2: Ham Sandwich
- WED** 1: Fish Sticks
2: Sunbutter/Jelly
- THU** 1: Hamburger Gravy
2: Pizza Munchable
- FRI** 1: Taco in a Bag
2: Cold Cheese Sand.

CARTER'S ACADEMY TAE KWON DO FREE TRIAL DATES

Carter's Academy is hosting two free Tae Kwon Do trial dates for our students: Wednesday, **March 25** and Friday, **March 27**. Pre-K and K students will start at 3:15 in Room A in a class specifically tailored for that age group; Grades 1-8 and any parents wishing to join TKD will start at 3:35 pm in the gym.

The Pre-K/K class is a new class offered by Carter's to introduce this age group to tae kwon do in a smaller setting.

The Pre-K/K class costs \$50/month and runs from 3:15-3:40. The regular class costs \$75/month and runs from 3:35-4:25. All class fees are payable to Carter's.

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CAMP GRACE

Camp Grace registration is now open for all previous campers, all current GLS families, and the public.

The Camp Grace app, rates, and information are located [here](#).

The app and first week's fee (via cash or check) are both due in order to secure the spot.

MARCH-MAY LUNCH HELPER SIGN UP

The [sign up](#) for lunch helpers through the rest of the year is available [here](#).

Sign up for one shift or both. First shift: 11:10-11:50 am. Second shift: 11:40 am-12:20 pm



Morning care coloring crew!!

PHOTOS NEEDED FOR YEARBOOK

If you have photos of your children at Grace events, such as PTL activities (carnival, Holiday Lights, Fargo Force, etc.), the Christmas musical, field trips, music concerts, geography fair, or Grace in the community, please email them to Sara Palmer

(sara.palmer@glsfargo.org) by Friday, March 27.

Thank you!

AMERICAN HEART ASSOCIATION

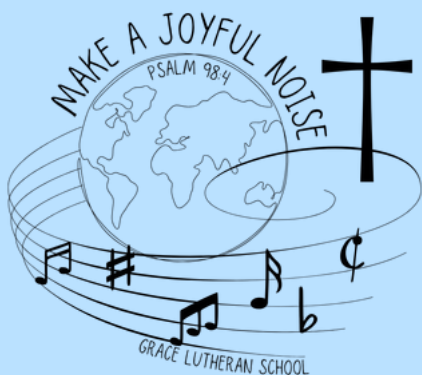
There is an optional fundraising opportunity with the American Heart Association for our students. The fundraiser goes through March 27.

WINTER IS NOT OVER

Kind reminder to continue to send all winter gear through March and into April if the snow continues to fly. This includes snowpants, snow boots or rain boots, hats, and mittens. Students may not need to wear everything every day, but it is important to have it here when needed so they can fully participate in recess.



Cast members from Park Christian School's production of Charlotte's Web read stories to our PreK-5th grade students this week. Charlotte's Web takes place Mar 26-28 at PSC.



RETIREMENT ANNOUNCEMENT

Grace Lutheran School announces the retirement of **Mrs. Carolyn Worrall** at the conclusion of this school year.

For **twenty years**, Mrs. Worrall has been a great blessing to our school community—guiding students in their learning and encouraging them in their faith. Generations of Grace Lutheran students have been shaped by her patience, dedication, and genuine care.

We are deeply grateful for the many ways Mrs. Worrall has served students and families.

Carolyn began serving at Grace in 1993 as a teacher's aide and religion teacher. Carolyn's teaching career includes three years in Pre-Kindergarten, ten years in Kindergarten, two years in a K/1 combo classroom, one year in 2nd grade, and most recently, four years in 1st grade. **So many young lives were touched by Mrs. Worrall!**

As Mrs. Worrall begins this new chapter, please join us in thanking her for 20 wonderful years at Grace Lutheran School. Carolyn, we pray for God's richest blessings on your retirement.

Whatever you do, work at it with all your heart, as working for the Lord and not for men, knowing that from the Lord you will receive the inheritance as your reward.

Colossians 3:23-24



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If you have a memory or story about Mrs. Worrall, we'd love to hear it. Send it to amy.hirsch@glsfargo.org.

GLS KIDS LOVE TO BUILD



GRACE LUTHERAN SCHOOL'S

Pasta with a Purpose SPAGHETTI DINNER!

**SATURDAY,
APRIL 18**

11:00 AM - 6:30 PM

\$15/\$10

**TICKETS AVAILABLE
ONLINE OR AT THE DOOR**

tickets,
sauce,
donations



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LENTEN SERVICES AROUND THE ASSOCIATION

If you are looking for a place to worship this Lenten season, here are some options from around the Red River Lutheran School Association. Lent begins on Ash Wednesday on February 18th.

BEAUTIFUL SAVIOR LUTHERAN CHURCH

Exodus: Let My People Go!

Meal at 6 pm
Service at 7 pm
Wednesdays Feb 18-Mar 25
2601 23rd Ave S, Fargo

IMMANUEL LUTHERAN CHURCH

The Life-Giving Cross

Meal at 5 pm
Services at 4:15 and 6 pm
Wednesdays Feb 18 - Mar 25
1258 Broadway, Fargo

GRACE LUTHERAN CHURCH

Lamentations

Meal at 5:30 pm
Service at 6:30 pm
Wednesdays Feb 18 - Mar 25
821 5th Ave S, Fargo

OUR REDEEMER LUTHERAN CHURCH

The Screwtape Letters

Meal at 5:15 pm
Services at 4:30 and 7:15 pm
Wednesdays Feb 18-Mar 25
1000 14th St S, Moorhead

ST ANDREW LUTHERAN CHURCH

The Appointed Time

Meal at 5:15 pm
Service at 6:30 pm
Wednesdays Feb 18-Mar 25
1005 1st St, West Fargo

TRINITY LUTHERAN CHURCH

Promised Treasures

Meal at 6:30 pm
Service at 7 pm
Wednesdays Feb 18-Mar 25
100 2nd Ave W, Sabin

Holy Week Around the Association

Please consider attending Holy Week services at one of our Association churches.

Our Redeemer Lutheran Church The Screwtape Letters

- **April 2** - Maundy Thursday 6:30 pm
- **April 3** - Good Friday 6:30 pm
- **April 5** - Easter Worship 7:00 and 10:30 am

**Easter breakfast at 8 am

Immanuel Lutheran Church The Life-Giving Cross

- **April 2** - Maundy Thursday 7 pm
- **April 3** - Good Friday 12 and 7 pm
- **April 5** - Easter Worship 8:15 and 11 am

**Easter breakfast 9 am

St Andrew Lutheran Church The Appointed Time

- **April 2** - Maundy Thursday 7:30 pm
- **April 3** - Cross Walk 10:30 am (info below)
- **April 3** - Good Friday 7:30 pm
- **April 5** - Easter Worship 7 and 10 am

**Easter breakfast 8:30 am



Cross Walk at St Andrew

- Friday, April 3
- 10:30 am start at St Andrew
- Walk is from Natural Grocers on 13th Ave/45th St to St Andrew

Trinity Lutheran Church Promised Treasures

- **April 2** - Maundy Thursday 7 pm
- **April 3** - Good Friday 7 pm
- **April 5** - Easter Worship 8 am

**Easter breakfast 9 am

Beautiful Savior Lutheran Church Let My People Go!

- **April 2** - Holy Thursday 7 pm
- **April 3** - Good Friday 7 pm
- **April 5** - Easter Worship 8:15, 9:30, and 10:45 am

**Easter breakfast 8:45 am

Grace Lutheran Church Lamentations

- **April 2** - Maundy Thursday 7 pm
- **April 3** - Cross Walk 10:45 am (info below)
- **April 3** - Good Friday 12 and 7 pm
- **April 4** - Easter Vigil 8 pm
- **April 5** - Easter Worship 7 and 9:30 am

**Easter breakfast 8 am

Cross Walk at Grace Lutheran Church

- Friday, April 3
- 10:15 am start at Grace Church
- Walk is from Grace Church to Grace School and back.