

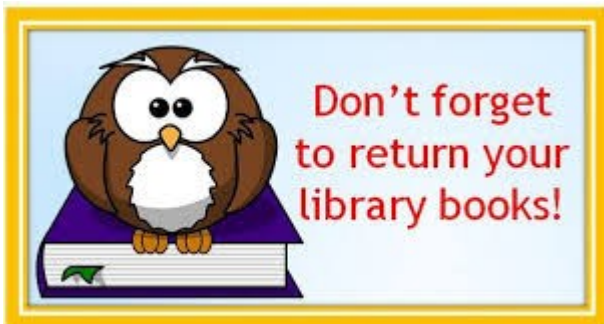
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WILDCATS' WEEKLY NEWS

CALENDAR

- Mon, 5/11—Stream Monitoring Training at 3:15pm
- Tues, 5/12 — Spelling Bee
 - ◊ 12:30pm: Grades K-2
 - ◊ 1:15pm: Grades 3-5
 - ◊ 2:00pm: Grades 6-8
- Tues, 5/12—Softball Practice at 4:00pm
- Tues, 5/12—Forensics Party at 6:00pm
- Tues, 5/12—School Board Meeting at 7:00pm
- Wed, 5/13—Stream Monitoring at 4:00pm
- Thurs, 5/14—Softball Practice at 4:00pm
- Fri, 5/15—PreK Field Trip
- Fri, 5/15-Sat, 5/16—AWAY Softball Tournament
- Sun, 5/17—Jubilation sings & Handchimes ring at 10:30am service
- Sun, 5/17—Teacher Farewell at 11:45am

LIBRARY CLOSED!



All library books are due back
by May 12 & May 13!

Monday,
May 11, 2026



SCHOOL THEME

**“So Much! So Worth It!”
Grace-Thanksgiving-Glory to God**

*“All this is for your benefit, so that the
grace that is reaching more and more
people may cause thanksgiving to over-
flow to the glory of God”
2 Corinthians 4:15*

CHURCH INFORMATION

Regular Worship Service Times:

Saturday 5:30pm
Sunday 8:00am & 10:30am
Monday 6:00pm


MISSION OFFERING

Mission Project for 2nd Semester:
WELS Lutherans for Life

Amount Collected: \$312.40

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GENERAL NEWS & NOTES

- **Thank You** to our wonderful families for making Teacher Appreciation Week so special! From festive decorations, foods and thoughtful gifts to helping with recess and lunch duty, your kindness was deeply appreciated. The children's story theme made it all the more fun—we are grateful for your continued support!
- **Last Day of School (May 21)** — Our final day of school takes place on Thursday, May 21. Parents are welcome to join us for the year's closing chapel, which will begin at 11am. Students will be dismissed at 11:35am. Families are encouraged to picnic with us in the school gym and playground immediately after chapel. Pack a lunch and a blanket for the family! A Kona Ice truck will be stopping by as well with treats that can be purchased!
- **8th Grade Graduation** — Blessings to our 8th graders, who will be graduating from Grace in the 6:00pm service on Thursday, May 21. May the Lord bless and keep you through his Word as you journey on to high school!
- **Report Cards** — We will be mailing 4th quarter report cards and spring MAP test results (grades 3-8) during the first week of summer.
- **WLA Summer Camps** — [Registration for WLA Summer Camps](#) is open. This year, they're offering camps in strength & conditioning, girls basketball, boys basketball, volleyball, cheer, football, and drama. There are also camps for wrestling and band, both of which require a different registration process. Please scan the QR code for more information. In addition to the link above, information is available on the [WLA website](#) > Resources > Summer Camps. 
- **Grace Summer Reading Camp** — Grandma June will once again be hosting a summer reading camp for students entering 1st and 2nd grades in the fall. See the attached flyer for more information and to sign up.
- **Teacher Farewell (May 17)** — Please join us after the 10:30am service for lunch and a chance to thank our departing teachers: Mrs. Bolda, Mr. Fulton, and Mrs. Warnke. We will also be recognizing Mrs. Wiechman for her service as a long-time preschool aide. The gathering will begin in the gym around 11:45am and last about an hour. Gift boxes will be available for each teacher if you'd like to share a card or small gift.
- **Save the Date - Grace Spelling Bee (May 12)** — The K-8 Grace Spelling Bee takes place on Tuesday, May 12 in the church sanctuary. Parents are welcome to attend! The top 4 spellers from each class will be participating. We will announce these individuals prior to the Bee. There will be three contests as follows:
 - ◇ 12:30pm: Grades K-2
 - ◇ 1:15pm: Grades 3-5
 - ◇ 2:00pm: Grades 6-8

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MRS. FOELSKE'S & MRS. O'LAIRE'S CLASSROOM NEWS

This week in Kindergarten:

Christ Light (Bible Story) - We are going through the Old Testament in Christ Light. We will learn about Daniel and Queen Esther.

Bible passage: Romans 6:23 For the wages of sin is death, but the undeserved gift of God is eternal life in Christ Jesus our Lord.

SuperKids Reading: The Superkids use the last unit to learn about the letter Z and review all the fantastic things they did following their Supernoodles. Keep up the reading at home especially those paper Superkids books, remember to read 20 min a night to get those Fang Reading Club characters!

Math: We are finishing out the year with review and assessments of everything we have learned in Kindergarten math!

Social Studies: We are working on our unit of important leaders and inventors in America.

Science: We finish our school year talking about the five senses.

Writing: We have finished our "How to ..." book and will be reading them to our classmates this week.

Blending Book: All Pages Review!

No More Show and Tell!

Final Notes: Thank You for all the ways you showed your appreciation this week! We truly love teaching at Grace and getting to share Jesus with his little lambs.

We are closing out the year with lots of activities going on. We have the Spelling Bee on Tuesday, our last Buddy Day Friday, and then the last short week of school has Field Day, a Field Trip and the last day of school.



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MRS. STEINBRENNER'S CLASSROOM NEWS

Thank you so much for encouraging your children to do their best for the play!
They were terrific!

Field Day is on Monday, May 18th. Your child needs to wear a colored shirt that day.
Your child should have brought more information home on Friday.

Joelette, Martinez, Paulsen = BLACK

Nora, Grant = WHITE

Mekai, Micah = RED

Bennett, William = GREEN

Kendell, Oliver, Penelope = PURPLE

Olivia, Joshua = YELLOW

Roland, Kobie = ORANGE

Carson, Jayce, Charli = BLUE

Xena, Dalton, Charles = BROWN

Sadie, Evan, Callen = GRAY

We will have our very last spelling test on Friday, May 15!

oil, boil, soil, coin, join, point, joint, joy, toy, boy

MRS. BOLDA'S CLASSROOM NEWS

Monday- Lunch Devotion-Eleanor; PM Devotion-Rylie

Tuesday- Matthew 4:10; Spelling Bee starts at 1230 pm.

Wednesday- Lunch Devotion-Ely; PM Devotion-Kaleb

Thursday- Hymn 510-solo; Final Spelling Test #31; Devotion-Keira

Friday- Topic 15 (Graphs) Math test; 3rd Article; Devotion-Joey; Buddy Activity

Look for the yellow parent folder when it comes home. There will be information about K-2 Field Day on Monday May 18th (volunteers needed) and other information about the last week of school.

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MRS. SWAPP'S CLASSROOM NEWS

2nd Grade - Mrs. Swapp

***Thank you so much for all the love shown last week for Teacher Appreciation Week! It is so greatly appreciated!**

***We have concluded 3rd Base. If your child completed their reading minutes for this next 2 week segment, please sign and return the Fang critter.**

***Congratulations to Oliver and Mia who will be our classroom representatives for the Spelling Bee this week!**

***On Monday, May 18, K-2 will be having our annual Field Day in the afternoon. Information will come home soon so you will know what color shirt your child will need. If you are able to help out with running an event, it would be greatly appreciated!**

THIS WEEK:

M-

T - MT Matthew 4:10b; SPELLING BEE (12:30 PM)

W-

Th - CW 510 (vs. 1)

F - Spelling Test; MT - 3rd Article

Spelling Test on Friday, May 15

stir, birthday, desert, dessert, burn, Thursday, doctor, motor, earn, search, collar, forward

If you have any questions, please reach out!

Have a great week!

Mrs. Swapp

MRS. LAWONN'S CLASSROOM NEWS

Last full week? How?! This year might have been the fastest yet. Every year I say it went fast and every year it seems to go faster when you pause to look back.

We will keep going strong in Christlight with a study of Daniel. So far we are enthralled by the "hand on the wall" and can't wait to rehear the Lions' Den story. We will finish reading "Because of Winn Dixie." We have had lots of great discussions so far. We will also keep learning about the organs in our bodies. Did you know the heart is not "heart" shaped? We do now!

Last full week! Here we come!

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MR. FULTON'S CLASSROOM NEWS

Notes: Thank you parents and students for all of the gifts and well wishes during Teacher Appreciation Week. The lunches and snacks hit the spot.

Memory Work and Spelling

Our last spelling test will be on Friday, May 15. The Grace Spelling Bee is May 12. Grades 3-5 will be the group our selected students (Carter, Haley, Vincent, and Claire) compete in. This group starts about 1:15 pm.

- We are winding down in many of our classes. As we finish a subject we will have review or supplemental work.
- FIELD TRIP - On Tuesday, May 19, we will go to Green Bay. This will be our last trip for the year. We are visiting a museum and Bay Beach Wildlife Sanctuary.
- Have a great week!

MRS. WILD'S CLASSROOM NEWS

5th Grade Homeroom News ~

Thank you so much for all of the teacher appreciation gifts and treats last week. It was all so wonderful and generous. I feel truly blessed to be a teacher here at Grace!

Students should be finishing up their 4th quarter memory work. Students should be reading towards their home base reading minutes for the Fang Reading Program. This week is the last full week of school...it is going to finish quickly!

5th Grade ELA ~ Students will finish reading the book *The Mystery on Alaska's Iditarod Trail.* Along with reading this book we will talk about and research Alaska's famous Iditarod race that took place earlier in March. Our class read aloud is *Dread Detention.*

7th/8th Grade ELA ~ In 8th grade students will finish reading *The Westing Game.* In 7th grade we will finish reading *Maniac Magee.* In 7th grade our read aloud is *Maiden Voyage;* in 8th grade our read aloud is *The Lost Year.* Students are writing a fairy tale together and then they will write their own fairy tale and make it into a book.

No more spelling assignments and units!

Blessings on your week! 💜

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MR. VANDENBERG'S CLASSROOM NEWS

5th Grade Social Studies

We are transitioning from testing into a new unit focused on American industrialization and growth.

Monday & Tuesday: We will focus on review and study guide sessions.

Wednesday: Students will complete the Chapter 16 Test.

Thursday: We begin Section 17-1, "Big Business," exploring how industry transformed the American way of life during the 19th and 20th centuries.

Friday: We will move into Section 17-2, "The Growth of Cities," to discuss urbanization, the immigrant experience, and the work of Jane Addams.

6th Grade Social Studies

This week is a mix of assessment and project-based learning.

Monday: Students will take the Chapter 17 Test.

Tuesday: I will provide directions and launch the Vacation Trip project.

Wednesday through Friday: Dedicated in-class time for students to research and work on their Vacation projects.

7th & 8th Grade Social Studies

Our 7th and 8th graders are diving deep into modern American history, specifically the Vietnam War era.

Monday: We will examine the rise of the protest movement and how Americans at home responded to the war.

Tuesday: Lessons will cover President Nixon's steps to end the conflict and the overall costs of the Vietnam War.

Wednesday: Students will receive and work on their Chapter 30 Study Guide.

Thursday: A final review session will be held in class.

Friday: Students will complete the Chapter 30 Test.



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Additional Information

- All families that purchase scrip need to have a scrip agreement form on file. This includes grandparents/friends that purchase scrip. Each household will need to have a form on file. This form is available in the office.
- There are 3 easy ways to order:
 - ◊ Use the Raise Right app available for your mobile device
 - ◊ Online at [raiserright.com/shop](#)
 - ◊ Call, text or e-mail Annette at 920-279-0275 or annetteprzybyl2023@gmail.com (On-hand scrip purchases can be made in the office on most school days from 7:00am-3:30pm.)
- Orders for physical gift cards will be placed once a month on the last Friday of the month. Orders will be available for pick-up the following Wednesday.
- We have the following Scrip on-hand available for immediate purchase:
Amazon.com (\$25, \$100), Apple Store/Apple.com (\$15, \$25), Applebee's (\$25), Festival Foods (\$25, \$50, \$100), Fleet Farm (\$25, \$100), Kohl's (\$100), Kwik Trip (\$25, \$50, \$100), Kwik Trip Grocery (\$25), Lowe's (\$25, \$100), Marcus Theatres (\$25), Menard's (\$25, \$100), Pick 'n Save (\$25, \$50, \$100), Piggly Wiggly (\$50, \$100), Potbelly (\$10), Red Robin (\$25), Subway (\$10), Target (\$25, \$50, \$100), TJ Maxx (\$25), Walmart (\$25, \$50, \$100).

Limited availability: \$5 Starbucks, \$10 Target, \$10 Walmart

Questions?

Please contact your scrip coordinator, Annette Przybyl at 920-279-0275 or annetteprzybyl2023@gmail.com.

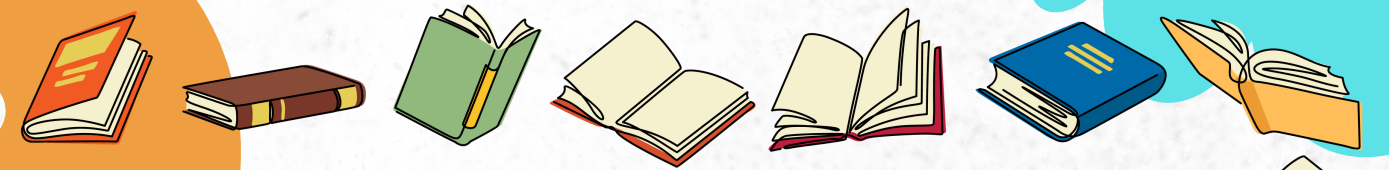


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SUMMER READING CAMP

Our Summer Reading Program helps kids keep their reading skills strong while school is out. Just a little practice each week can make a big difference and help them feel ready for the new school year.

We encourage students to read with a trusted adult who can listen, ask questions, and cheer them on. Most of all, we want kids to enjoy reading - finding books they love and building a habit that lasts all year long!



FLY IN FOR SUMMER READING FUN!

Details

For Children entering 1st and 2nd Grade
30 minute sessions on Tuesdays
June 9 - July 28
Sessions between 10:30-12:00pm

[Click here to register!](#)

