

PARENT INFORMATION NOTE

GRACE LUTHERAN SCHOOL 2825 Alameda de las Pulgas, San Mateo, CA 94403
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1. **CHAPEL OFFERINGS** for second quarter will be sent to Samaritan House of San Mateo. To date, \$54.74 has been received. Donations of canned and non-perishable packaged foods are also needed.
2. **CHAPEL** during Advent will be on Thursdays (Dec. 1st, 8th, & 15th) at 10:00 a.m. Parents are invited to worship with students and teachers.
3. **CHILDREN'S ADVENT SERVICE (Kindergarten-Grade 2)** is Thursday, December 8th at 7:00 p.m. Students are to arrive in the classrooms at 6:30 p.m. School uniforms are to be worn. Your child's presence is required.
4. **CHILDREN'S ADVENT SERVICE (Grades 3-8)** is Thursday, December 15th at 7:00 p.m. Students are to arrive in the classroom at 6:30 p.m. School uniforms are to be worn. Your child's presence is required.
5. **CHRISTMAS PARTIES** for all grades will be on Friday, December 16th. Gifts will be exchanged in the classrooms. Girls are to bring a girl's gift and boys are to bring a boy's gift. Please keep the cost of the gifts between \$5.00-\$10.00. For additional information, please contact your child's teacher.
6. **ROOM PARENTS:** Please contact your child's teacher concerning refreshments for the Christmas class parties. Parents are requested not to bring treats with peanuts or peanut products.
7. **DISMISSAL FOR CHRISTMAS BREAK** is Friday, December 16th at noon. Extended Care will be available that day from 12:00 noon until 6:00 p.m. Students participating in Extended Care that day will need to bring a lunch.
8. **SCHOOL SWEATERS** are to be left at school. Students wear school sweaters for Monday all-school opening devotions, chapel services, field trips, assemblies, and other organized activities.
9. **LOST CLOTHING:** Please check that the clothing your child brings home is his/hers. Be sure that your child's clothing is clearly marked. Thank you.
10. **A PIANO AND TEACHERS' DESK** in the downstairs empty classroom is available. Please contact Mr. Meier for information.

Attachments: GLC LWML Christmas Luncheon
Parish Education - Classes & Programs
1st/2nd Grades Field Trip Permission Form

Upcoming Open Houses Flyer
Christian Doctrine/GIFT



"Let us now go to Bethlehem and see this thing that has come to pass, which the Lord has made known to us..... and found Mary and Joseph and the Babe lying in a manger."

GLC LWML Christmas Luncheon

Sunday, December 11, 2011

12:00 Noon – Grace Parish Hall

Everyone Welcome! Men, Women, Children
Grace Members - Grace School Families - Friends

Bring a salad or hot dish (beverages, rolls & dessert provided)

Sign Up Sheet in the Parish Hall



Monetary Love gift for our tree: Dakota Boys & Girls Ranch
(LCMS Service Organization)

(transform lives of hurting boys and girls - See poster in Parish Hall)

Bring a pair of socks, boys or girls, babies to teens



For Lutheran Border Concerns Ministry

(make a brighter Christmas for children in Mexico – See poster)

Program: Christmas Carol Singing

*Grace Parents and Friends,
Please spread the news about the following
Open Houses at Grace Lutheran School*

Come Visit Grace Lutheran

Four Open Houses in 2011-2012

Our First Annual

Kindergarten – 8th Grade Early Enrollment Open House

Thursday

November 17, 2011, 7:00 PM

Open House (all grades)

Tuesday

January 10, 2012, 6:00 - 8:00 PM

Kindergarten Information Night

Tuesday

January 24, 2012, 7:00 PM

Open House (all grades)

Wednesday

February 8, 2012, 6:00 - 8:00 PM

VISIT OUR BOOTHS

Educational Expo

Hillsdale Mall, Macy's Court

Saturday, Jan. 14, 2012, 11am - 4 pm

Private School Kindergarten Fair

A Parents Place

2001 Winward Way

Ste. 200, San Mateo, CA

Thursday, Oct. 27, 2011, 6-8 pm

For Info: 650-931-1841

For more information or to schedule an appointment please call 650-345-9082

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Grace Lutheran Parish Education

CLASSES AND PROGRAMS

Schedule 2011–2012

Every Sunday

Grace Sunday School, Sundays, 10:15-11:30 a.m. (follows Divine Service)

Our regular Sunday School program meets in our school classrooms every Sunday during the school year. Sunday School is a great additional enrichment and supplemental opportunity for the children of Grace Lutheran School to hear God's Word in a less formal environment.

First Sunday of the Month, 10:30 AM

LWML, 7th & 8th Grade Classroom

Youth Bible Study, Church Library

Study on the Book of Concord, Church Library

Second and Third Sundays of the Month, 10:30 AM

Christian Doctrine/ GIFT: God Instructed Family Time

The GIFT class is an opportunity to learn about the Lutheran faith through the study of the Book of Concord, focusing on Luther's Small Catechism. This class is for those who want to learn more about the Lutheran faith, desire to become members of the Lutheran Church, or members who would like to review their Catechesis instruction.

Fourth Sunday of the Month, 10:30 AM

Witness Mercy and Life together, Church Library

Tuesday Morning

Tuesday Morning Bible Study, Tuesdays, 9:15 AM, Church Library

The Tuesday Morning Bible Study meets every Tuesday at 9:15 AM in the Church Library.

The Gospel of St. John

Christian Doctrine/GIFT

(God Instructed Family Time)

The class is the second and third Sunday
of each month in the Church Library

beginning Fall 2011
2nd and 3rd Sundays, 10:30-11:30 a.m.

Please join us. All are welcome.

Your School age children may attend Sunday School during this time.

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FIELD TRIP PERMISSION FORM

_____ has my permission to go on the Kindergarten, 1st & 2nd grade field trip with Miss Crawford and Miss Schultze to the Center for the Performing Arts located in Mountain View, CA on Friday, December 9, 2011, leaving at 8:35 a.m. and returning at noon. I understand my child will be going in a privately owned and insured car.

Parent Signature

WHAT TO BRING: car seats

DRIVERS ARE NEEDED:

_____ Yes, I am able to drive. I have seat belts
for _____ students.

_____ No, I am not able to drive.

SCHOOL UNIFORMS AND SCHOOL SWEATERS ARE TO BE WORN

Sign and return by Friday, December 2, 2011.