



GRACE FAMILY NEWS

April 20, 2011

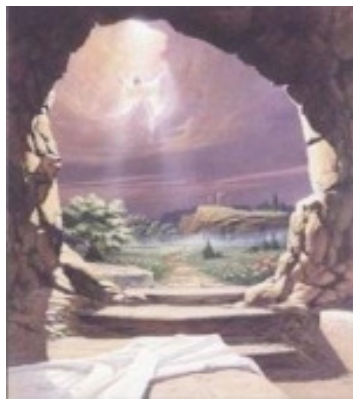
Stations of the Cross

On Thursday, April 21, our 5th and 6th grade students will be giving a dramatic presentation of the key events in the Passion of Jesus Christ. Students will travel from station to station and experience once again the story of our Lord's last days among his disciples.

Stations of the Cross will be presented at 9:45am for preschool children and at 1:30pm for K-8 students. Parents, relatives, and friends are welcome to attend! Students may bring Biblical costumes to wear and a small cross to carry as part of the journey!



Additional Holy Week worship services at Grace include Maundy Thursday at 7:30pm and Good Friday at 7:30pm. And on Sunday, we celebrate the Resurrection!



Easter Worship Service Times

7:00 AM

8:30 AM

11:00 AM

Parent-Teacher League Election Results

President: Paula Kurecka

Vice President: Brady Blasdel

Treasurer: Cynthia Cunningham

Secretary: Karen Bruhn

At-Large Member: Karen Foreman

Thanks to everyone who turned out to our meeting Monday night. The PTL is still waiting on another bid or two for the playground updates, including filling materials for all playgrounds and an awning for the preschool playground.

Spring Fundraiser for Scholarship

Our HUGE Golf Tournament weekend is on its way, and this time, it's a whole lot more than just a round of golf!



"The Time of Our Lives!" Dinner Dance

Saturday, May 07, 2011 • 6:00 PM - 9:00 PM

Hosted by Grace Lutheran Church & School

You are cordially invited to join us for our new Scholarship FUN raising event! This is a new endeavor of caring for children and college students by raising funds to scholarship those who do not have funds to attend Grace Lutheran School or to students attending Concordia University. We will be celebrating with our alumni from GLS, former teachers and principals - a "homecoming" for them! This event is for anyone 18 years and older.

You'll be served a delightful delicious dinner in a special setting and then enjoy the music of Mike Kennedy's band "The Sidemen" as you dance the night away! Don't dance? That's ok - you'll have fun watching our special entertainment and visiting with other folks.

Cost is \$35 per person

Reservations are required - check it out at

<http://www.punchbowl.com/parties/1900212-the-time-of-our-lives-dinner-dance>

Childcare will be available during the dinner dance to help those with children be able to attend without having to find or pay babysitters.

After swinging your partner, why not pick up your golf clubs and start swinging them at our **"God's Grip on Grace" Golf Tournament being held on Monday, May 9th at Tierra Verde Golf Club**. This is our third year to hold this successful event and we need TEAMS to play and SPONSORS to pay for this event to be successful again. Brochures are available with all the details at church or online at <http://www.gracelutheranarlington.com/golfregistration.html>



Walk-a-Thon



The third part of our FUN raising efforts to raise \$40,000 is a **"Walk-A-Thon"** by the children of Grace Lutheran School. We have fun prizes for kids if they meet their \$100 goal and for those that raise the most money and walk the most laps. They will need people to sponsor them as they walk their laps.

Pre-K through 8th grade will walk on the Arlington High School track and 3's and younger will walk with their teachers around the Grace East campus.

To make reservations for the dinner dance, to play in the golf tournament or for information on the Walk-A-Thon, please call Lou Anne Hoffman in the Church Office at 817.274.1626.

Disney's Alice in Wonderland, Jr.!

Be sure to mark your calendars now for our K-8 Spring Musical, Disney's Alice in Wonderland, Jr., which we will present on Saturday, May 21 at 7pm in the Family Life Center at Woods Chapel Baptist Church. (We are trying a new venue that gives us a little more stage space, "wings," and an easier space to clean up before Sunday morning).

Join Alice's madcap adventures in Wonderland as she chases the White Rabbit, races the Dodo Bird, gets tied up with the Tweedles, raps with a bubble-blowing Caterpillar, and beats the Queen of Hearts at her own game! The story races forward with dozens of other wonderfully wacky characters. This fast-paced stage adaptation of Alice in Wonderland features updated dialogue and new arrangements of such classic Disney songs as "I'm Late," "The Un-birthday Song" and "Zip-A-Dee-Do-Dah."



Tickets will be available in the school offices next week for a suggested donation of \$5.

Third Quarter Honor Roll (for 3rd – 8th Grades)

A/B Honor Roll:

Jade Sepulveda
Trinitee Shaw
Kailand Winters
Trevor Duke
Lexie Brooks
Jonathan Foreman
Fayzan Inayat

Marcus Wagner
Taylor Monsibais
Blake Reagan
Rebecca McClean
Lonnie Brooks
Hannah Quast
Melinda Platt

Katie St.Clair
Spencer Mann
Landon Duke
Dara Cunningham
Nafi Kazi
Holly Westbrook
Emily Meyer

Principal's Honor Roll (Straight A's):

Zoe Jones
Megan Magill
Ashley Herndon
Claire Calmese

Preston Dupstadt
David Dominguez
Sean Magill
Cole Bruhn

Elizabeth Hayes
Robby Stigler

Registration Time!

Registration for 2011-2012 is continuing. Please complete the initial registration form and turn in the registration fee to secure your spot for next year. We have plenty of exciting changes coming for next school year. You do not want to miss out! Please let us know in the preschool or Grace West office if you have any questions or concerns about next year. Our registrations help us to determine staffing levels for next year - so register now!

3rd Annual Earth Day Fair!

Arlington High School has invited our K-8 students to celebrate the 41st anniversary of Earth Day with them! On Thursday, April 21, we'll walk over after lunch to see the Arlington High School student projects about greener living on display with student performances, contests, giveaways and tons of fun . . .



Summer Saints!

Summer Enrichment Camps At Grace Lutheran School

10 Weeks of Fun
Beginning June 6 and Ending August 12

Camp Philosophy

Our Summer Enrichment Program is dedicated to providing excellent opportunities for education and play for children 13 months old through those entering 2nd grade. Our summer activities are designed to foster faith, build academic competence, and provide healthy, light-hearted play and recreation.

*Children are not required to be enrolled at Grace Lutheran School
in order to participate in the Summer Saints program!*

*Extended care 7:30 - 9:30
School hours - 9:30 - 3:00
Extended care - 3:00 - 5:30*

*Registration cost - free for any student whose registration fees are paid for the 2011-2012
school year - \$50.00 otherwise*

*Tuition cost - \$400 per month (includes all 5 days but NOT extended care)
Weekly cost \$125 per week
Daily cost \$30.00 per day
Extended care is same price - \$3.00 per hour*

Come join the fun!

Go Saints!