



930 Edgewood Road Wausau, WI 54403
(Change Service Requested)

August 2019

PRE-SEASON: PREPARATION FOR RALLY SUNDAY! Save the dates:

**RALLY SUNDAY
GET INVOLVED**

- 8-18-19
- 9-8-19



GATHER in Blessings
GROW in Purpose
GO with Passion

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SUMMER WORSHIP SCHEDULE

Sundays * 9:00 am (1 Service Only)

FELLOWSHIP HOUR TO FOLLOW
(approximately 10:15 am)

Wednesdays * 5:30 pm

Supper & Fellowship to follow

FALL HIGHLIGHTS:

- ◆ SUNDAY SCHOOL
- ◆ CONFIRMATION
- ◆ NEW MEMBERS

**If you are interested in any of
these faith formation areas,**

Please contact the office.

**Details of programming will be
coming home in a special mailing.**



GSLC STAFF MILESTONES

Please join us in celebrating the retirement of our friend, partner in Christ and Financial Secretary

BONNIE KRUBSACK

Bonnie and her husband Dean are both embarking on the next chapter together!

SAVE THE DATE

Sunday, August 4

Following 9 am worship

We welcome

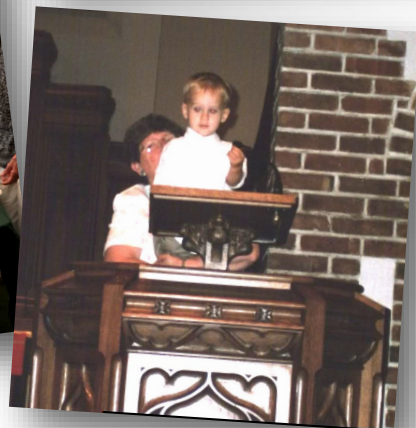
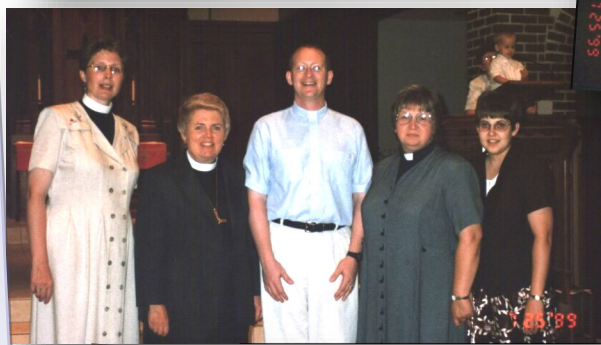
Brian Wiese

to the position of Interim Financial Secretary. He has been serving GSLC as our IT Management Contractor. He has now agreed to share his gifts and skills of finance related tasks. Brian will be holding office hours Wednesday afternoons if you have questions regarding your giving.

Brian can be reached at:

715-675-1997 ext: 302

brian@gswausau.org





July is always a very full month. As I write this week, we are nearing the end of our special Summer Fund Appeal on July 31. Because our 2019 giving has not kept up with our projected spending guidelines, we found ourselves about \$30,000 behind where we had hoped to be. Now, lest we panic too much, we also have not spent as much

as we projected either. We do our absolute best to be good stewards of the gifts with which you bless this ministry, and we thank you for your generous financial partnership. In this case, we were a little behind where we hoped to be by July, we made you aware of the situation, made an appeal for your help, and you have responded in ways that can only be described as sacrificial and humbling. It is obvious that you deeply care about Good Shepherd and our ministries bring value to your lives. There is no other explanation.

While we have not quite met our initial goal of 75 donors and \$30,000, we are incredibly close today, and I am fully confident that by the time I save this to my computer, we will have not only met, but exceeded our initial goals. A challenge grant of \$4,000 additional dollars will be added to the final total if we have 75 donors! If I was a betting man, I'd tell you to just go ahead and count on that. Good Shepherd ALWAYS responds, whether it be to financial needs or community needs, and that's one of the chief reasons I love being a part of this congregation.

July is also the month when I celebrate (actually, I usually forget to even mention that it's July 25th) the anniversary of my ordination into the ministry of word and sacrament of the Evangelical Lutheran Church in America. The year 2019 marks my 20th year of ordained ministry, and I am deeply thankful to be passing that milestone as Senior Pastor of Good Shepherd Lutheran Church in Wausau, WI. It feels especially good this year. I've generally never been much for self-acknowledgement. It's not that I don't appreciate it. It's not that anniversaries, etc. shouldn't be noted and celebrated. Honestly, things like that just embarrass me. I don't even really like having folks sing "happy birthday" to me. So, generally my tendency is to downplay rather than announce when these events come around – so it can be a little difficult to celebrate, right? Yet, I really do appreciate it, and I know I shouldn't steal away opportunities to publicly give thanks for such special moments. I view what we do together as a partnership and a gift from God, and I only do what I do as an extension of the partnership in the Gospel that we share. So, in the truest sense, there would be no milestone were it not for the hundreds of folks with whom I have shared life in many and various ways over the last 20 years in Wisconsin at Bethel - Viroqua, Bethany - Esofea, Our Savior's – Oshkosh, and Good Shepherd - Wausau. So, I honor you as well on this celebratory occasion, and I am truly indebted to every single one of you for the privilege of walking even a few small steps together along the way.

Peace and blessings ... Pastor Kemp

WORSHIP & MUSIC SCHEDULE

JOIN US FOR MEAL AND FELLOWSHIP

ON **WEDNESDAYS** after worship (~6:00pm)

RIVERVIEW TERRACE SING-ALONG

Next visit: **MONDAY, AUGUST 19 AT 2 PM**

**PICK-UP CHOIR / AUGUST 11
REHEARSE AT 8AM; SING AT 9AM**

SUMMER WORSHIP

**Sundays at 9:00 am and
Wednesdays at 5:30 pm**

DAYTIME HANDBELL CHOIR

Tuesday morning at 10:30 am

We are still welcoming more ringers!

Talk to MJ Horvat or Kartika if you are interested!

CALLING MUSIC ENTHUSIASTS:

You are cordially invited to the following musical events that our GS friends are involved in:

Community ukulele strumming—August 19 at 6:30 St. Paul's Unitarian Universalist Church

St. Matthias Artist Series (feat. Kartika)—August 23 at 7:00 at St. Matthias Episcopal in Minocqua

RALLY SUNDAY: SUNDAY * SEPTEMBER 8

WORSHIP @ 8:00 & 10:30 AM

Sunday School & Adult Forum will resume @ 9:15

We are excited to lean into a new season with energy and enthusiasm!

Please be sure to mark your calendar and sign up to join us for a Chicken Dinner / Potluck

We will provide the chicken & potatoes.

All side dishes, salads, desserts & jello are welcome!





SOCIAL CONCERNS

GOD'S WORK. OUR HANDS.

EXCITING THINGS TO COME:

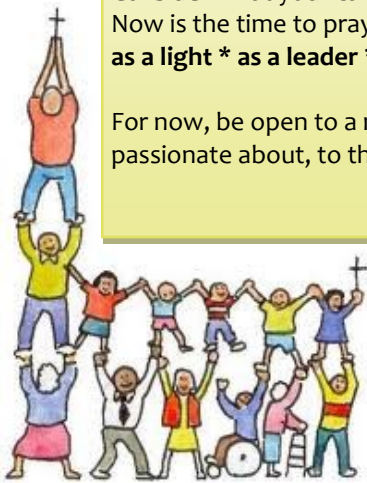
We have had the summer to refuel and consider ways we have **"Gone and Served the Lord"** each week as we gather in a circle in the Damgaard Room on Wednesday evenings.

We have been challenged mentally, spiritually and physically each time we gather in worship.

We have stepped up together side by side to work towards financial stability.

Consider what your calling of stewardship might be. Now is the time to pray about how God may choose to use you... **as a light * as a leader * as an advocate * as a worker bee.**

For now, be open to a new calling, a new way to use what you're passionate about, to the stirring of the Holy Spirit!



THE NEED FOR BLOOD IS CRITICAL RIGHT NOW

To everyone who helped with:

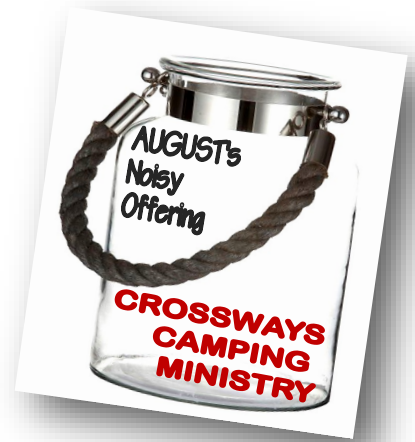
- ◆ SNACKS
- ◆ BLOOD
- ◆ VOLUNTEERING

Thank you Mary Omernik & Team!

THANK YOU



THANK YOU



Faith Formation cont...

LUNCH N LESSONS:

Tuesdays at noon * Bring your lunch

Journey through Year C Bible texts week by week. This group reviews the week's scripture and shares perspectives. Bring your lunch and voice.

All are welcome. Please RSVP so that we can have ample handouts.

WEDNESDAY NIGHT WORSHIP

5:30 pm

Join in the thought provoking study conversation revolving around the week's gospel lesson.

All voices add value. Come and see.

Then stick around for supper and often times, an encore of conversation.

Next Community Dinner August 11

Ruth Henkelman and the Social Concerns Committee encourages and welcomes all helpers!

715-432-1589



LET'S GET OUT TO THE BALL GAME!

Games are held out at Sunnyvale Park on Sundays. See Greg Behrendt for schedule 715-842-9358.

SPECIAL MILESTONE

Pastor Kemp
Celebrates his
20th
Anniversary
of
Ordination

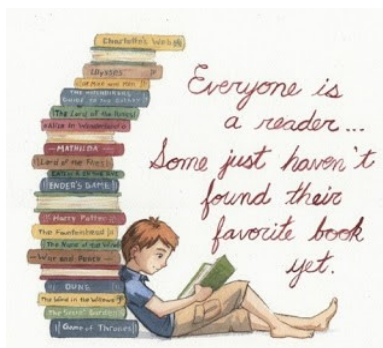
July 25, 2019-July 25, 2019

Upcomings

FRIENDS & BOOKS BOOKCLUB

Will be meeting in August
over Lunch

contact Karen Maier. 715-675-3795



Labor Day Weekend marks
the last summer worship
schedule of 9 am .

Sunday, September 1st.
9 am worship

The office will be closed
Monday, September 2.

Riverview Neighborhood Association

2019 Monthly Meetings
3rd Thursday of the Month

August 15 * 6:30-7:30 pm

Good Shepherd Lutheran Church

For more info

www.WausauDistrict6.com

Corks n Covers

NO GATHERING THIS
MONTH



CONSIDER JOINING
THIS GROUP NEXT
MONTH!

Third Thursday
(except holidays)
1:30 pm

A Fierce Radiance,
To: Bonnie Anderson
(715) 551-6975
bonhealthcorner@yahoo.com.

New readers
ALWAYS WELCOME

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

WHO IS my neighbor?

Dates: AUGUST 13-15
Time: 5:30 - 7:30 (5pm MEAL)
Where: IMMANUEL LUTHERAN CHURCH
Contact: GSLC OFFICE 715 675 1997

ELCA World Hunger
Evangelical Lutheran Church in America
God's work. Our world.



AUGUST Birthdays



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|---------------------|--------------------------|---------------------------|
| 1 Alex Hallam | Aubriella Weller | Chad Kane |
| Samantha Milanowski | 11 Mattea Baeseman | Barbara Klostad |
| Connie Miskowiak | Ella Scalcucci | 21 Christine Emerson |
| Mark Westberg | 12 Verna Erickson | Amanda Hayes |
| 2 Marilyn Baumann | Jonah Hemauer | Patti Yolitz |
| Amy Merkey | Mason Ramthun | 22 Allyson Schreiber |
| Hunter Schalow | Eric Semling | 23 Ron Budimlja |
| Mindy Schuette | 14 Kay Dins | Grace Edwardson |
| 3 Paige Blank | Carson Reich | 24 Deb Pensinger |
| Cameren Bushman | 15 Adrianna Sturzenegger | Yvonne Sitko |
| Tim Cucchiarelli | 16 Karen Maier | 25 Roger Pensinger |
| Christa Kuehl | 17 Wendy Kreager | Diane Zeger |
| 4 Emma Dehnel | Ella Schmieder | 27 Steve Herring |
| Greg Glovinski | 18 Roger Kluever | 28 Christopher Bushman |
| 5 Matthew Radke | Jennifer Nelson | Donald Howard |
| 6 Jaden Baumann | Mikayla Schultz | Denise Mattice |
| Ava Bootz | Chip Steppert | Elijah Pergolski |
| Jazmine Springer | 19 Gavin Emerson | 29 Sophia Bootz |
| 7 Emily Grubb | Mya Grunewald | Kallie Majewski |
| 8 Brenda Grubb | 20 Aaron Bodenheimer | 30 Buck Birkholz |
| 9 Bruce Beyersdorff | Mike Duginske | John Bresnahan |
| Allan Hahn | Dustin Foth | Lori Ann Wunsch |
| 10 Hannah Baumann | Connie Heise | 31 Emilie Teclaw-Birkholz |

AUGUST Anniversaries



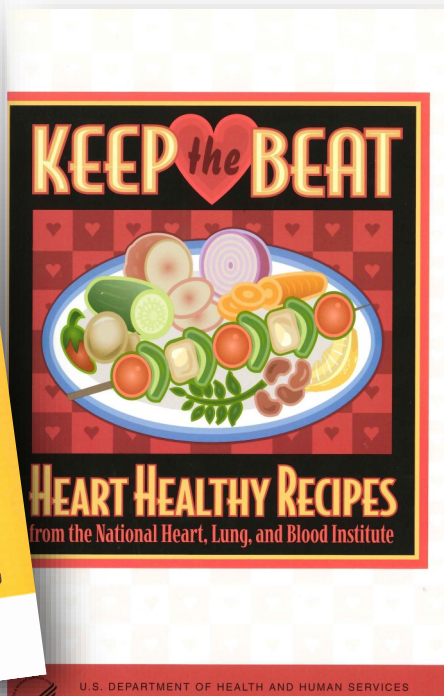
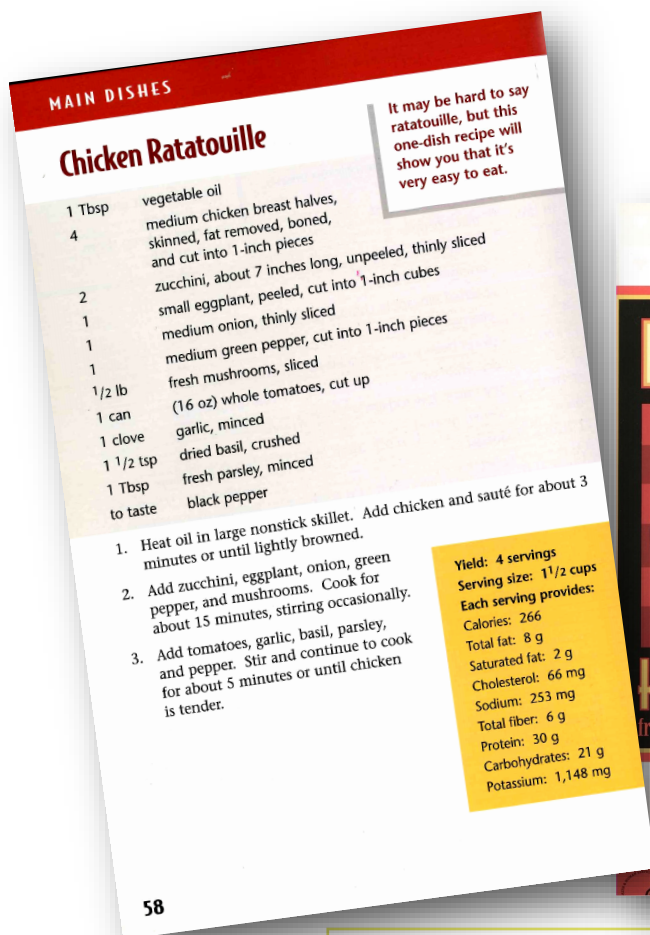
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| 1 Tim & Jennifer Cucchiarelli | 13 Dean & Jan Slaminski | 22 Bruce & Bonnie Beyersdorff |
| 3 Gary & Barbara Klostad | 14 Greg & Jenny Glovinski | 23 Jacob & Jamie Hoover |
| Tony & Mary Omernik | 15 Jay & Kris Kamrath | Roger & Deb Pensinger |
| Tim & Cari Logemann | Merlyn & Jean Leih | 25 Jason & Tracy Fremming |
| 7 Barry & Rhonda Hallam | 16 James & Karen Bliese | John & Donna Gwidt |
| Dave & Jane Johnson | 18 Adam & Chandra Malzahn | 26 Adam & Alyssa Johnson |
| 8 Ryan & Sarah Kroening | 19 Tom & Brenda Bargender | 28 Allen & Kathleen Czeck |
| 9 Dennis & Cindy Weinkauff | 20 Dale & Pat Anderson | 29 Robert & Shelly Waldinger |
| 11 Andrew & Connie Heise | Travis & Kelly Berndt | 31 Mark & Tabitha Bartz |
| 12 Peter & Ashley Kluz | Stan & Sarah Sobiesczyk | Keene & Cathy Winters |
| Brian & Lynda McLaughlin | 21 Craig & Kristine Fochs | |
| 12 Roger & Jane Ziebell | Keith & Jennifer Samperisi | |

Are you interested in trying some heart healthy recipes? August is a great time to try a new recipe fresh garden vegetables are abundant in your garden or at the farmer's market. The National Heart Lung and Blood Institute has a Keep the Beat cookbook that has great heart healthy recipes and tips for eating healthy. Each recipe provides the serving size and essential nutritional content, see the sample recipe. You can download and view or print the cookbook. The address is www.nhlbi.nih.gov/health-topics/all-publications-and-resources/keep-beat-heart-healthy-recipes.

"So whether you eat or drink or whatever you do,
do it all for the glory of God."

1 Corinthians 10:31

*Your Parish Nurses,
Barb & Mary*



PARISH NURSE HOURS

Wednesdays 4:00-6:00 pm

Parish Nurse summer hours will continue as usual. Barb Denfeld is set up in the front office. She is welcoming walk-ins as well as receiving phone calls or responses to email requests.

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WORSHIP HOURS

Sundays * 9:00 am
Wednesdays * 5:30 pm

OFFICE HOURS

Weekdays: 8:00 am-4:00 pm

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Wednesdays: 4:00 pm-6:00 pm

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Tim Logemann

Treasurer

IF YOU KNOW OF SOMEONE WHO
HAS NOT BEEN ABLE TO ATTEND
WORSHIP OR IS HOMEBOUND,
PLEASE LET THE OFFICE KNOW SO
THAT WE CAN ARRANGE FOR A
VISITOR AND MAKE SURE THAT THEY
ARE RECEIVING NEWSLETTERS/ MAIL
AND HOME COMMUNION.

Good Shepherd Church Council Meeting

June 11th, 2019

Call to Order- Dorie, 18:34 (6:34 pm)

Present: Brad, Heidi, M.J., Dorie, Tim Mike, Janelle, Nate, Jenny

Gathering Litany –

God's Word

Devotional time – Brad

Sharing how you have seen God at work lately – ALL

Review

Agenda review -Tim/Brad PASSED

Minutes review – Amend the minutes from May. Add Paul and Nate to the attendance, remove Mike - Tim/Mike PASSED

Treasurer/Financial Report - Giving in May and YTD are falling short. Discussed potential cash flow issues related to the shortfall and upcoming summer months. –Janelle/Jenny PASSED

Our Response to the Word (old business / open items)

- Update: Financial secretary position staffing: Interview process underway. Candidate can give a one year commitment and would train with Bonnie before she leaves. Kartika will assume the volunteer coordination as it relates to music and reading. Will need a plan for coordination of all other volunteer activities. Several options discussed. Will continue to explore new ways to fill that area of Bonnie's position.

New Business

- Kartika R-1 Visa is set to expire in January 2020. She would like to remain employed with Good Shepherd so we need to begin the process of seeking a 2 year extension of her status. Attorney fees have been estimated as \$2500-\$3500 and the government filing fee is \$460. Approval to budget for and we would like to proceed with the process.

-Tim/MJ PASSED

- Stewardship for All Seasons = A letter and bulletin announcement will go out to the congregation related to summer fundraising. Mike/Nate PASSED
- Update: Next Stewardship event will be a service event on October 26th. This coincides with "Make a difference day"
- Summer Event: August 5-10. This will be an all church clean up week. Dumpster will be arranged for. Mike and MJ will lead the planning for this event.
- Update: Sunday post worship hospitality.
 - June is taken care of
 - MJ is leading the efforts for the summer. She will let the council know when there are needs to be filled

Prayers of the Church/Lord's Prayers

Sending (motion to adjourn) Tim/Heidi PASSED

Adjournment 20:05

Respectfully submitted,

Heidi Falstad

AUGUST CALENDAR 2019

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
28 August Newsletter Available 9:00 AM Worship 10:20 AM Adult Forum 5:30 PM Softball: SV#3	29 7:00 PM AA Meeting	30 10:30 AM Handbell Rehearsal 12:00 PM Lunch n Lessons	31 9:00 AM Women's AA 10:30 AM Staff Meeting 4:00 PM Parish Nurse Hours 5:30 PM Midweek Worship 6:00 PM Midweek Meal	1	2	3
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AUGUST 2019 WEEKLY WORSHIP ASSISTANTS

	8-4-19	8-11-19	8-18-19	8-25-19	9-1-19
	9:00 AM	9:00 AM	9:00 AM	9:00 AM	9:00 AM
ACOLYTE	VOLUNTEER	VOLUNTEER	VOLUNTEER	VOLUNTEER	VOLUNTEER
ALTAR GUILD	KRIS KAMRATH / NORMA FREEDOM				
ASSISTING MINISTER	NORMA FREEDOM	TIM HOLCOMB	CARI LOGEMANN	JUDIE URBANEK	NORMA FREEDOM
BAKE TEAM	SNACKS	ARE COVERED	THIS	MONTH	
COFFEE HOUR	KAREN MAIER	BARB DENFELD	RUTH HENKELMAN	MARY JO HILDENSPERGER	CHERYL ROCHELEAU
COUNTING TEAM	TO BE DETERMINED				
GREETER (1)	KEN LEMMON ELAINE KLOCKZIEM	JOANNE BAEHMAN	PLEUSS FAMILY	RUTH HENKELMAN	JENN TRYBA
GREETER (2)	LACERTE FAMILY	KAMRATH FAMILY	PAM BOOTZ	KAREN MAIER	JOYCE NICK
BENEDICTINE VISITOR	MARY ANN HOWARD				
READER	DIA ARPON	RUTH HENKELMAN	MARY JANE HORVAT	SHARON SEMLING	BONNIE ANDERSON
USHERS	TEAM 1 / 7	TEAM 2 / 8	TEAM 3 / 9	TEAM 4 / 10	TEAM 1 / 7



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RALLY SUNDAY: SEPTEMBER 8, 2019

Sunday School Registration (2019-2012)

Ages Pre-K thru 5th Grade

Welcome to Good Shepherd Lutheran Church Sunday School

Parents' names: _____

Address: _____ Zip Code: _____

Phone: Home _____ Cell: _____ Text: Y / N

*Email address: _____

**We do not share this address*

Name of contact Parent: _____ I prefer to receive Sunday school information by:
Circle one: **Email** **Sent home** **Mail**

I / We would be willing to help with :

_____ Teaching

_____ Snacks for special occasions

_____ Substitute teacher

_____ Christmas program

_____ Puppets

_____ Children's Music

Other ways you would like to help: _____

1) Childs name: _____

Age: _____ M / F Grade: _____ Birth date: _____

Child's special interest and activities _____

Any known allergies? _____

2) Childs name: _____

Age: _____ M / F Grade: _____ Birth date: _____

Child's special interest and activities _____

Any known allergies? _____

3) Childs name: _____

Age: _____ M / F Grade: _____ Birth date: _____

Child's special interest and activities _____

Any known allergies? _____