



Hello Families of Grace!

September 28, 2024

Welcome to the 2024/2025 GRACE KIDS Sunday School program!

The main focus of our program is our kids and building a sense of community with our families. We want our children to be a part of all aspects of church life, from participating in worship, to helping with charitable work, to having fun as a group with lessons, crafts, games and music.

We understand that our Grace Families have conflicting priorities — from school, to sports, to family events and beyond. We take those demands into account when planning our program calendar. We only plan for two Sunday school sessions each month and they are individual lessons that don't require regular attendance to be meaningful!

If you can only make it to one session every month or two that is OK. We want our families to know that they can come as often as they are able! Please do not feel you cannot come if you are only able to attend once in a while. Everyone is welcome at every session!

Some things that are new / updated this year:

- We are going to expand on splitting sessions with older and younger kids to include a junior youth group
- We are going to be forming a Children's ministry committee or as we call them here at Grace, a team. This team will help us to continue to expand on our Grace Kids ministry offerings and keep us moving forward.
- The Community Life team has many events that the kids and families can participate in above and beyond our Sunday Sessions

We are including our Grace Kids Year Calendar as it highlights the Sunday School sessions, this is to help as you plan your year. *Please note - we will be updating this calendar over the year as we have additional events planned, and if there are any updates that are needed. We will send out new calendars when that happens (calendar on page 4).*

To help with communication for our families so they have an easy way to access any and all information about GRACE KIDS:

- The Blue Sheet in our weekly service bulletin
- The Grace Lutheran Website www.grace53092.org
- Regular emails to the parents
- We are also exploring a few apps that will help us with communication, more to come.

If you have any questions, comments, ideas or just want to discuss the program, please feel free to call myself, Katy Koppa or Pastor Bill.

Peace,

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