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“I am the true vine, and my Father is the vinedresser. Every branch in me that does not bear fruit he takes away, and every branch that does bear fruit he prunes, that it may bear more fruit. Already you are clean because of the word that I have spoken to you. Abide in me, and I in you. As the branch cannot bear fruit by itself, unless it abides in the vine, neither can you, unless you abide in me. I am the vine; you are the branches. Whoever abides in me and I in him, he it is that bears much fruit, for apart from me you can do nothing.” John 15:1-5

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Kube's Korner

For many of us, our most important connections are with our family. Jesus' earthly family was important to Him. The Bible tells us about His mother, Mary, and father, Joseph. The Bible also indicates that Mary and Joseph had other children. Jesus went with His family to the temple. Jesus went with His mother to the wedding in Cana. Before Jesus died on the cross, He asked the disciple John to care for His mother. We were brought into God's family through our "rebirth" in our Baptism. In the name of the Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, we are welcomed as children of God. Everything Jesus did through His death and resurrection becomes ours in our Baptism. During the last week of school, remember that we are connected through Jesus, our Lord and Savior.

Principal Kube

Catechetical Week 38

Bible Verse of the Week: John 3:16
“and was declared to be the Son of God in power according to the Spirit of holiness by his resurrection from the dead, Jesus Christ our Lord”

Small Catechism

Catechism Review: The Seventh Petition and its meaning.

But deliver us from evil.

What does this mean?

We pray in this petition, in summary, that our Father in heaven would rescue us from every evil of body and soul, possessions and reputations, and finally, when our last hour comes, give us a blessed end, and graciously take us from this valley of sorrow to Himself in heaven.

Hymn: LSB #922

“Go, My Children, with My Blessing”

May 18 - 24

- Saturday - Worship Service, 5:30 p.m.
- Sunday - Worship Service, 9:00 a.m.
 - Adult Bible Class & Sunday School, 10:15 a.m.
- Tuesday - 1st grade to tour the courthouse and jail
 - 8th grade graduation, 7:00 p.m. @ SPL, Fairmont
- Thursday - All-school field trip to Lake Crystal Rec. Ctr.
- Friday - Last day of school, morning only
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The students who will be entering grades 2, 3, and 4 next year will have the opportunity to take a class in Latin if they wish. We will be using a textbook called *Song School Latin*. We will learn conversational phrases, words for common items, counting, etc. There will be accompanying videos. All of the work will be done in class.

The class will meet two days a week, on Tuesdays and Thursdays before school, at 7:45 a.m. If school is cancelled or delayed because of weather, Latin class will also be cancelled on that day.

If you would like to sign your child up for this class, please try it for at least a year. To enroll, please contact Barb Matthees by the end of this school year.

Y. I. Club Members and Parents

I need your help! Last year Lutheran Church Extension Fund changed the way they handle deposits. Previously we bought round stickers for \$1 each and affixed them to collection sheets for your child. When 25 stickers were on the sheet we sent it home with a postage paid addressed envelope for parents to fill out and mail. Now we stamp a sheet and send it with a check from my personal account when it reaches \$25. Several parents have not sent these to LCEF.

After six months LCEF considers the check "stale" and does not honor it. Your child does not receive credit for the deposit or the interest that would accrue and I cannot clear my checking account. If you are holding a check more than six months old you can return it to me and I will write you a new one. If the check is less than the \$25 I do have a record but can only refund the amount of the stamps, not the stickers. If the sheet has \$25 in stickers it can still be sent and the deposit credited. Please send deposits to LCEF promptly when I send home the completed sheets. If your child has an open LCEF account and you do not wish to worry about it I will send in the deposit for you if you give me your child's account number. Should you have any questions I am at school each morning before chapel or you can contact me at 235-5328 or celieder214@gmail.com.

Thank you!
Mrs. Lieder



Last Day of School

All parents are invited to our chapel service at 8:25 a.m. on Friday, May 24th. After the service, there will be a short celebration for the 8th grade students and parents.

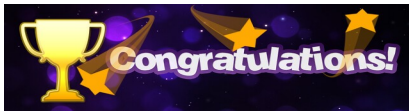
All parents are welcome to walk with us to Gomsrud Park at 9:00 for fun, fellowship, and lunch. Lunch at Gomsrud Park will be served at 11:00 and catered by The Ranch Restaurant and paid for by the PTL. A Google form was sent to parents via FastDirect to sign up for lunch. This should be completed by May 21st.

When students are finished eating they are free to go home with a parent. Please be sure to tell his/her teacher that you will be taking your child with you.

IMPORTANT

FINANCIAL AID applications and documents for the 2024-2025 school year need to be submitted to TADS **by May 17th.**

Please check your child's lunch/milk account as well as Tuition and Before and After Care accounts. As we come to the end of the year, it is important that there are no outstanding balances. Please contact Mary Cole (507-235-4006) at the Fairmont school if you have any questions or concerns about your lunch/milk account.



Congratulations to our graduates!

- Caleb Bergt
- Hunter Hardt
- Josiah Schultz
- Willow Singleton
- Ella Wubbena

