



Good Shepherd Charger News

“Here I Stand”

1 Corinthians 16:13

Thirty-second Edition
April 13, 2018

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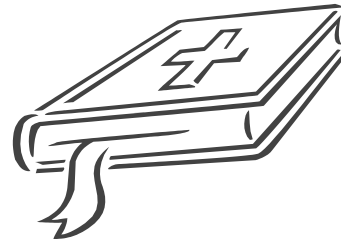
Something to Consider:

**God is faithful;
by him you were called
into the fellowship of his
Son, Jesus Christ our Lord.
1 Corinthians 1:9**

It's a wonderful blessing to have a faithful friend—someone who is there to see you through good times and bad times, when it's convenient and when it isn't. A friend who never leaves your side, whose love is

strong and constant, who is always ready to listen, provide wise counsel, and defend you. Do you have a friend like that? You may not know it, but you do.

God wants to be your faithful friend. And unlike earthly friends, He is armed with more than good intentions. God will never fail you. He will be by your side no matter where you



are or what you are doing. Open your heart to the most faithful friend you will ever know.

Charger Headlines:

Spring Yard Work Day

Tomorrow from 8:00am to noon will be the yard work day at Good Shepherd Lutheran Church and School. Please bring your rakes and shovels to help beautify the school grounds. Any and all help will be appreciated.

Grade 3 & 4 Spring Musical

Please come to support the GSLS 3rd and 4th grade and celebrate the 500th anniversary of the Reformation one more time as they present "Echoes of the Hammer," the story of Martin Luther on Friday, April 20th at 7:00pm and Sunday, April 22nd at 2:00pm.

Promoting Good Shepherd Lutheran School

Social media is a great way to help promote a place you are participating or involved in an activity. The following will help GSLS be promoted while you are at an event... "Check in" while you are at GSLS! We encourage our families to use the Location feature on Facebook when posting updates and adding pictures for activities at the school. This is a great way for people to learn more about GSLS. Ideas include a sporting event, concert, musical, talent show, awards ceremony, Science Fair, Spelling Bee, and Robotics, among many others. We appreciate your help in getting the word out about what we can offer other families!

Congratulations

Congratulations to the following students for their accomplishment in the VFW Post 5691 Collinsville District 12 coloring contest. Those winning post level and invited to the dinner on Tuesday, April 17th are: Adrian V., Roman, P., Piper M., Vivian C., Jake R., Aiden B., and Kierstyn G. Kierstyn also won in the district level and is invited to attend their recognition dinner on Sunday, April 22nd.

A Look Ahead

Saturday, April 14

- GSLS Track Invitational at CHS 9:00am
- Spring Yard Work Day 8:00-Noon
- Mrs. Jaraback's Piano Recital 10:00am & 11:30am

Sunday, April 15

- Mrs. Jaraback's Piano Recital 2:00pm

Thursday, April 19

- Chapel 8:25am

Friday, April 20

- Mid Quarter Point
- Spring Musical 7:00pm

Monday, April 22

- Spring Musical 2:00pm



Charger Headlines Continues...

Charger Bucks - Scrip

Weekly orders will be on April 16th, 23rd, & 30th; May 7th and 14th. The green order sheets need to be turned in to the school office by 9:00am on Mondays to be processed that week. Walk-up sales will be after school on Fridays 3:00-3:30pm and will continue on Sunday mornings between services.

Remember that you can place your order online. You may access the link for shopwithscrip.com through our school's website. Tell your family & friends about this program - anyone may participate.

Box Top and Labels Program

The last box top and label collection for this school year is on Tuesday, April 24th.

The grade that collects the most box tops and labels for the month of April will earn a free dress day!

Summer Enrichment Classes Summer Enrichment Classes will be offered this summer at GSLS. Forms will be available in the school office soon

Enrollment For 2018-19

We need your help! If you have not enrolled for next year, please log onto TADS to complete the enrollment process.

This is very important as it will allow us to evaluate materials and hire appropriate staff for the upcoming year.

VBS June 25-29

Vacation Bible School plans are underway. VBS, *Splash Canyon, Gods Promise on Life's Wild Ride*, will be in the morning this year! That means we need more group leaders. In order to have a daytime VBS we need at least 30 adult volunteers to help look after groups of 10-20 children (depending on their age). You don't have to teach, just help them find their way from one place to the next so they can have fun learning about Jesus. We are especially looking to grandparents to help since both parents work in many families today. Please contact kmaske@gslcs.org or cstreuter@gslcs.org if you have questions. The registration link will be coming soon.

In Our Prayers this Week:

Each week this school year, the faculty will be praying for the school families.

Please remember these and others in your prayers. The families of Mrs. Maske's

homeroom: Andrew B., Brady B., Natalia B., Alyssa B., Kylie B.

3rd Quarter Honor Roll

High Honor Roll with Distinction

8th Grade: Matthew H., Megan H., Khushi J., MaryAnn R., Anna R., Garrett S., Sydney S., Jenae W.

7th Grade: Elliot J., Elizabeth M.

High Honor Roll

8th Grade: Emma B., Alice K., Claire L., Trevor P.

7th Grade: Lillie C., Eli G., Jordan G., Abigail G., Megan J., Kathleen M., Samuel S., Sophia T., Gavin T., Jake W., Elliott W.

6th Grade: Katherine B., Troy C., Grace C., Alex H., Emma H., Olivia J., Douglas K., Logan M., Harrison M., Morgan O., Clara R., Nyah R., Davin R., Meghan S., Nathan S.

5th Grade: Danielle C., Rebekah D., Joseph F., Carter H., Emma H., Kate J., Evan K., Jacob K., Addie L., Catrina L., Andrew M., Jack P., Drake P., Timothy R., Ryder R., Lucas R., Kade S., Olivia S., Evan W., Chloe W., Madelyn Z.

Honor Roll

8th Grade: Kyle C., Carson C., Lars G., Eli L., Maggie S., Beau S., Carmen S., Logan W.

7th Grade: Jakob F., Kasondra M., Jacob M.

6th Grade: Alexander L., Emily P.

5th Grade: Thomas H., Augustus J., Savannah L., Tannan N., Connor P., Ryan S.

The purpose of Good Shepherd Lutheran School is to provide each student with a quality Christian Education. We recognize that this begins with the premise that Jesus Christ is our Lord and Savior and in Him we have eternal life. The curriculum and all activities are developed around this premise.

Retreads...

School Calendar

The school calendar for the 2018-19 school year has been approved by the Board of Christian Day School. See the attached flyer for the up-coming school year.

Regional History Fair

Congratulations to the 8th graders on their accomplishments at the Regional History Fair.

*Earning a good rating: Carson C.

*Excellent rating: Emma B., Kyle C., Khushi J., Alice K., Logan W., Jenae W., Madeline G., Garrett S., and Eli L.

*Earning a superior rating and qualifying for the state history fair in May: Lars G., Megan H., Matthew H., Trevor P., and Sydney S.

Young Scientists—Outstanding at Fair

The following seventh grade students from Good Shepherd Lutheran School participated in the Regional Science and Engineering Research Challenge at Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville on March 24, 2018.

Outstanding Awards: Lillie C., Jakob F., Jordan G., Marlaina G., Elliot J., and Blake M. Marlaina G. also won the Junior Division for Chemistry.

The winners of the 'Broadcom Masters Award' are Lillie C., Jakob F., Marlaina G., Elliot J. and Blake M.. They have been nominated to continue at the Society for Science and the Public Competition in Washington, DC during the summer.

The following students: Lillie C. and Marlaina G. qualified to present their project at the Illinois Junior Academy of Science State Exposition at Bradley University in Peoria, Illinois on April 28, 2018.

GSLs Awards Banquet—Save the Date

The Annual GSLs Awards Banquet is scheduled for Tuesday, May 22nd at 6:30pm in the gym. Tickets are available for purchase.

Family Ag Science Night

Join us on Friday, April 13 from 6-7:30pm at the Main School Entrance. Family Science Night, presented by Madison County CAREE/Ag in the Classroom, is a unique opportunity for you and your child to be

involved together in an evening of science exploration! We will be doing several different hands-on activities. Topics include livestock, plants, soil, machinery and nutrition. Please register your attendance by returning the registration form or contacting Mrs. Sengele'- lsengele@gslcs.org

GSLs Summer Fun 2018

GSLs Summer Fun is open for children age 3years old to entering 8th grade.

The eleven one-week sessions are from May 29th through August 10th.

A \$40 registration fee is due at sign up.

Half Day 8:15-11:30am

Full Day 8:15am-3:15pm

Extended Day 6:00am-6:00pm.

You may sign up for individual days

(2 day weekly minimum).

The weekly charges are to be paid in full the first day your child attends in a given week. Please return the attached registration form by May 10th.

Summer Reading Program

Concordia Publishing House is offering a summer reading program called CPH Reads. From may 26th through August 5th, students can join with thousands of kids across the country on a journey of faith-inspired reading. Once the program starts, go to cph.org/reads, where you will find book lists, reading logs, and free activities. It's a rewarding, no purchase necessary experience for everyone. Each child that completes the program will receive a congratulations kit in the mail.

Log your points online at cph.org/reads to receive your kit.

After completing the program you will be entered to win the grand prize, an Amazon Echo! You will also be entered to win a copy of "The Enduring Word Bible" with fabric roll-up pencil holder or a copy of "Embracing Godly Character". For more information, please stop by the school office.

Dress Code

Reminder as we approach the end of the year; when students grow while their clothing seems to begin to shrink. Parents, please look at your child's clothing prior to coming to school for belts,

colors, and properly fitting sizes. Your help is appreciated, so we can concentrate on learning.

Not Too Late to Get Cardinal Tickets

Tuesday, May 1st, 2018 will be GSLs night at Busch Stadium. The GSLs band will play a 20 minute concert at 6:15pm on the Ford Plaza before the Cardinals take on the Chicago White Sox at 7:15pm.

We have tickets available for Good Shepherd families and friends in the Right Loge Field for \$24. Band students must have a GSLs ticket to perform, (no outside tickets allowed).

Each band student can earn 1 FREE ticket by selling three tickets. There is also an opportunity for the top 2 band students selling the most tickets to earn one of two field passes to batting practice. This great value is available only while supplies last, so reserve your spot and buy tickets for friends and family now. A portion of each ticket sale goes to the GSLs Music Program!! See the attached flyer for more information.

16th Annual Golf Classic

The Good Shepherd Golf Classic is scheduled for July 14, 2018. Forms will be available in the church narthex and school office. We hope you can help our GSLs student family!

Sat., July 14, 2018 Arlington Greens Golf

Course, 200 Arlington Dr., Granite City

Check-In 7:00 – 8:00am

Shotgun Start 8:00am

Collecting Gently Used Eye Glasses

Do you have any eye glasses you no longer need just laying around the house? Please donate them to help people around the world (year round). Sunglasses are also accepted at this time. We have a collection box in the main office .

Attention Families of 8th Graders!

If you have a student who will be attending MELHS, you can earn tuition credit by purchasing scrip through our Charger Bucks program at Good Shepherd. The ordering process is the same and your tuition credits will be posted to your MELHS account.

Good Shepherd Lutheran School

2018-2019 School Calendar

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16 Classes Begin Grades PS-8

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18 No School – President's Day

| SEPTEMBER '18 | | | | | | |
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9 No School – Labor Day

14 No School – LESA School Improvement Day

| MARCH '19 | | | | | | |
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15 No School School Improvement Day

| OCTOBER '18 | | | | | | |
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5 No School Teacher's Conference

8 No School – Columbus Day

25-26 No School Parent/Teacher Conf.

| APRIL '19 | | | | | | |
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15-22 No School Easter Break

| NOVEMBER '18 | | | | | | |
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21-23 No School - Thanksgiving

| MAY '19 | | | | | | |
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17 PS Program 7:00
23 Kindergarten Graduation
24 Grade K-8 11:30 Dismissal School Picnic 8th Grade Graduation 7:00
27 Memorial Day
28 Summer Fun Begins

| DECEMBER '18 | | | | | | |
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21 Christmas Vacation Begins

| JUNE '19 | | | | | | |
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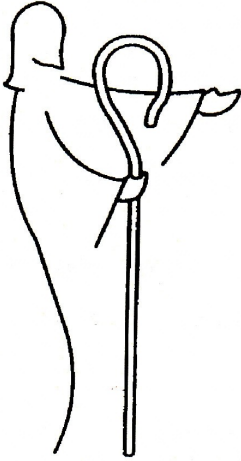
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3 PS- 8 Classes Resume

21 No School – M.L. King Jr.

| JULY '19 | | | | | | |
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4 Fourth of July Observance Summer Fun Closed



Good Shepherd Lutheran Summer Fun 2018

For Children Age 3 Years old to entering Grade 8

Eleven One-Week* Sessions:

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| Session 1: | May 29 – June 1** | Fishing I |
| Session 2: | June 4 – 8 | Fishing II |
| Session 3: | June 11 - 15 | Weddings |
| Session 4: | June 18 - 22 | Gratitude |
| Session 5: | June 25– 29 | Bedtime/Prayer |
| Session 6: | July 2 - 6** | We love the USA! |
| Session 7: | July 9- 13 | Bedtime/Service |
| Session 8: | July 16 - 20 | Generosity |
| Session 9: | July 23 - 27 | Earthquakes |
| Session 10: | July 30 – Aug 3 | Growing |
| Session 11: | Aug 6 - 10 | Happy Hands and Feet |

* May sign up for individual days. (2 day weekly minimum)

**Closed for Memorial Day - May 30 and July 4

Half Day 8:15 AM – 11:30 AM (includes snack)
\$20/day-\$100/week

Full Day 8:15 AM – 3:15 PM
(includes morning and afternoon snacks; students bring a sack lunch)
\$30/day-\$130/week

Extended Day 6 AM – 6 PM
(includes morning and afternoon snacks; students bring a sack lunch)
\$40/day - \$170/week

Registration Fee due at Sign Up: \$40 per child

Camp sessions include daily Jesus time with a Bible story for the week as well as games, crafts and activities that reflect the Bible story theme. Our camp is staffed with Christian adult workers who have experience and/or training in working with children. Your child will receive the same quality care and education that s/he receives in our school year program.

There will be a water day every Friday and other special events relating to the theme.

Summer Fun Information

LOCATION

- 1300 Belt Line Road – Collinsville
- Preschool students and students entering Kdgn in the fall – Early Childhood Center
- Students entering Grades 1 – 8 – TRACKS area
- Both locations are accessed from the lower level parking lot that faces Belt Line

PAYMENT

- Weekly charges should be paid in full the first day your child attends in a given week. **No child will be admitted without payment.**
- Payment is by cash or check made out to Good Shepherd Lutheran School

MEALS AND SNACKS

- Morning and afternoon snacks will be provided.
- Full and Extended Day campers are to bring a sack lunch that does not require refrigeration or heating. Campers may bring their own drink or drink water.
- Extended Day campers may bring breakfast that does not require refrigeration or heating.
- **Lunches and breakfast may not contain foods that contain peanuts or tree nuts. Sun butter is a tasty alternative to peanut butter.**
- Each camper should bring a refillable water bottle that is labeled and will stay at camp throughout the week.

DRESS

- Campers should wear play clothes with respect to the school dress code: closed toed shoes with socks, shorts should extend 3 – 4" above the top of the knee, girls' bathing suits should be of one-piece design and boys' swimwear should fit appropriately.
- Your child **WILL** get dirty, as we have a nature-based program. Don't send any clothes or shoes that cannot get dirty.
- Preschool campers should send an extra pair of clothes in a Ziploc bag in case of spills or accidents.
- Bring a backpack or bag for take-home projects or papers.

NAP/QUIET TIME

- Full and Extended Day campers will have a quiet rest time each afternoon.
- Full and Extended Day Early Childhood Center campers should bring a **small**, light blanket (no larger than 40 x 48") and may also bring a **small** pillow and **small** stuffed animal or doll.

SUNSCREEN

- We spend as much time as we are able outside. Please apply sunscreen to your child before camp. If your child is in the Full or Extended Day program, please also send a container of sunscreen labeled with your child's name for use in the afternoon.

EXTENDED DAY

- Extended day students arriving before 7:30 a.m. will be brought to the ECC, regardless of age.
- Extended day students who are picked up after 4 p.m. will be picked up in the TRACKS area, regardless of age.

Good Shepherd Lutheran Summer Fun Day Camp Registration Form

Please indicate the week(s) your child will be attending. Payment for the week is due on the first day of the week your child is attending in the form of cash or check payable to Good Shepherd Lutheran School. Mark each day attending with H (Half Day); F (Full Day); or E (Extended Day)

| Week | Dates | Monday | Tuesday | Wednesday | Thursday | Friday | Total Due |
|------|-----------|--------|---------|-----------|----------|--------|-----------|
| 1 | 5/29-6/1 | Closed | | | | | |
| 2 | 6/4 - 8 | | | | | | |
| 3 | 6/11 - 15 | | | | | | |
| 4 | 6/18-22 | | | | | | |
| 5 | 6/25 - 29 | | | | | | |
| 6 | 7/2 - 6 | | | Closed | | | |
| 7 | 7/9-13 | | | | | | |
| 8 | 7/16-20 | | | | | | |
| 9 | 7/23-27 | | | | | | |
| 10 | 7/30-8/3 | | | | | | |
| 11 | 8/6-10 | | | | | | |

Child's Name: _____ Age: _____ Date of Birth: _____

Sex _____ Class/Grade entering in the 2017-18 School Year _____

Address: _____ City _____ Zip _____

E Mail Address: _____

Mother's Name: _____ Cell _____

Father's Name: _____ Cell _____

Names of others authorized to pick up: _____

For Extended Day only: Approximate drop off and pick up times: _____

Office use only: Registration Fee paid: Date: _____ Amt: _____ Check # _____

Welcome, Water Day & Changes Info _____

2018 GSLS Night at Busch Stadium

TUESDAY, MAY 1st, 2018

GSLs Band (4th grade band included) performs a 20 min. pregame concert on the Ford Plaza at 6:15 PM



7:15 PM
VS



-Tickets must be purchased in person at the GSLS school office

-Deadline Extended! \$18/ticket from Monday, March 5th-Friday, March 23rd

-\$24 on or after Saturday, March 24th

-Band students who sell 3 or more tickets will receive a FREE ticket to the game!!! (Maximum 1 free ticket per band student)

-The 2 band students who "sell" the most tickets will receive two (2) on field passes to batting practice (one for the student & one parent/other adult guest)

-Students must have a GSLS ticket in order to perform, no outside tickets

-At time of purchase, be sure to name the band student who should receive credit for the sale-2 winners get on field passes!



*****A PORTION OF EACH TICKET SALE GOES TO THE GSLS MUSIC PROGRAM!!!!*****