



GSL eNews

Monday, January 9, 2023

CALENDAR PREVIEW

Next 4 Weeks

January

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Middle School Chapel, 8:05 a.m.

Spirit Wear Sale

(Stock up for our Homecoming Dress-Down Day on Thursday!)

2:30-6 p.m., Anchor Center Lobby

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Middle School Spirit Week & Middle School Dress-Down Day (Favorite Holiday)

Lower School Chapel, 8:05 a.m.

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SAINTS HOMECOMING! All-School Red & White Dress-Down Day & Fan 5 Game Night *(see game times in box)*

All-School Chapel, 8:05 a.m., GSL Church
Chapel Talks by Ellery Kuebler and Calvin Leitzell

Preschool Chapel, 8:35 a.m.

Pep Rally, 2:15 p.m., Anchor Gym

8th Grade Family Presentations
6 p.m., Anchor Gym

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Middle School Dress-Down Day (PJs)

Celebration Hosted by Amanda Meyer
8:05 a.m., GSL Church

(Families are welcome to attend Celebration!)

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Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Holiday, No School



Basketball Homecoming '23! **Thursday, January 12**

Join us for this special night at GSL, when we honor all 8th Grade families during our traditional Homecoming presentation between the two 7/8 boys team games. We will also present an 8th grade boy and girl with the Winter Spirit Award (as voted on by their peers). It's a great night for our community, and we look forward to seeing you. Go, Saints!

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Classes Resume

Middle School Chapel, 8:05 a.m.

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Re-enrollment Agreements Go Out

Lower School Chapel, 8:05 a.m.

Middle School Winter Sports Photos

12:45 p.m., Anchor Gym

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All-School Chapel, 8:05 a.m., GSL Church
Chapel Talks by Eliza Roberts and Eddie Ferguson

Preschool Chapel, 8:35 a.m.

Performance Lab Presentation for Parents,
5:30 p.m., Performing Arts Room

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Celebration Hosted by Katie Searle
8:05 a.m., GSL Church

(Families are welcome to attend Celebration!)

Middle School Geography Bee

8:30 a.m., McClure Hall

Fan 5 Game Night

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Middle School Chapel, 8:05 a.m.

Fan 5 Game Night

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Lower School Chapel, 8:05 a.m.

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All-School Chapel, 8:05 a.m., GSL Church
Chapel Talks by Joan Terhune and Taheim Elohem

Preschool Chapel, 8:35 a.m.

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Parent-Teacher Conferences, No School
(Conference care available - no charge;
ACE @ Play available - charges apply)

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4th-8th Grade Mother-Son Event
5 p.m., FedEx Forum *(see registration info in box)*

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Classes Resume

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Middle School Chapel, 8:05 a.m.

February

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Re-enrollment Agreements Due

Lower School Chapel, 8:05 a.m.

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All-School Chapel, 8:05 a.m., GSL Church



Spirit Wear Sale Tomorrow!

Tuesday, January 10, 2:30-6 p.m.

Anchor Center Lobby

Come get your Red & White gear for our all-school red & white Homecoming dress-down day this Thursday! Cash registers will start ringing tomorrow at 2:30 p.m. in time for pick-up, so stop by to grab some awesome Spirit Wear items to support our Saints!

The long-awaited Men's Adult Size Nike Polo monogrammed shirt is now available – see photo of Dr. Surber above in this great-looking shirt! Other favorites items are also back in stock. So join us in the Anchor Center Lobby to find the perfect GSL gear for your Luker and for yourself!

Styles and sizes are limited, so be sure to load up on gear before it's gone! Checks and major credit cards accepted. See you tomorrow!



Registration Deadline TODAY for 4th-8th Grade

Mother-Son Event!

Grizzlies vs. Indiana Pacers

Sunday, January 29 at 5 p.m.

FedExForum

Come join us for a fun night cheering on the Grizzlies with fellow GSL friends and classmates. This is for all our 4th-8th grade boys and their moms or favorite mother-figures!

Chapel Talks by Wren McCloud and Bear Danosky

Preschool Chapel, 8:35 a.m.

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Celebration Hosted by Shannon Benitone
8:05 a.m., GSL Church

(Families are welcome to attend Celebration!)

Cost is \$55 per mother/son couple and includes two tickets to the game and a special GSL/Grizzlies beanie. Sibling tickets are \$35 each and include an extra ticket and beanie.

Click here to register now! Deadline to register for this event is today, Monday, January 9.

Email **Erica Jancelewicz** or **Sally Pace** for more information. Hope you will join us!

QUICK LINKS

- [Create a Family Library Account](#)
- [Refer a Friend to GSL](#)
- [ACE: After School & Enrichment](#)
- [Lunch Service](#)
- [2022-23 Important Dates Calendar](#)
- [2023-24 Important Dates Calendar](#)
- [Preschool Handbook](#)
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GSL Openings for 2023-24

We are pleased to announce that we will be hiring a Learning Specialist for the 2023-24 school year. As previously communicated, we are also searching for an Advancement Specialist to succeed our current Associate Director of Advancement Sherry Emerson upon her retirement this summer. Both these jobs are **posted here** on our website. If you know the perfect candidate to join the Saints team, please share the link and encourage them to apply today!

Register Now for ACE Spring Enrichment, and see Music Lessons Listed Here

Click here to access UltraCamp and register now for our spring offerings.

This week, we highlight our **Music Lesson** offerings, as these require a call to the instructor. Music instructors offer 30-minute in-person lessons for 14 weeks, at a cost of \$400. To register, contact the instructor directly to ensure you are able to schedule a day and time that works for your child. Please note that returning students receive first priority on lesson days and times. Students will need to bring their own musical instrument to the lesson (with the exception of piano, although they must have access to a piano at home for practice purposes).

1st - 8th Grade Piano Lessons with Ms. Lucy Owens
Email Ms. Owens or call 901-497-0691.

2nd - 8th Grade Piano Lessons with Ms. Patricia Gray
Email Ms. Gray or call 901-493-0958.

5th - 8th Grade Trumpet, Trombone, Clarinet or Saxophone Lessons with Mr. Braden Jensen. **Email Mr. Jensen here**



Middle School Sports Photos

Wednesday, January 18 from 12:45-1:45 p.m.

Cheerleaders, basketball players, and swim team members need to



remember to bring clean winter sports uniforms to school for their team sports photos!

News from the Church



2023 Church Soccer

**For JK-4th Grade Boys & Girls
Registration open until January 31**

The 2023 season is April 1- May 13. This season is shorter compared to the fall season and designed for continued soccer skill development during the spring. Registration is open until January 31 and can be accessed [here](#). Please refer to this link for ALL information regarding spring soccer. Registration fills up quickly, so please register sooner rather than later. Once registration is closed, individual placement will be permitted if space is available. Questions? **Email Christi Authement.**



Join the Memphis Boy & Girl Choir This Spring!

**For 3rd grade and older girls and boys
through voice change**

Come be a part of this fantastic group of singers who learn basic and advanced musical and singing skills and often join with the Grace-St. Luke's church choir for performances. Contact [Dr. Patrick Scott](#) (901.252.6323) at GSL Church to schedule a simple audition. Rehearsals are Monday & Wednesday, 4:15-5:15 p.m.

CLICK HERE TO GIVE TO GSL TODAY!

