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Dear Sunday School Families and Friends,

What an exciting time as we get ready to celebrate 500 years of God's church in Lutheran form! There will be many ways we can rejoice, so keep an eye out for those events in the E-News. One way I will be giving thanks is by being grateful for youth and family ministry here at Luther Place. We have been so blessed by YOU, your presence and your willingness to engage your discipleship journey. I pray the ministry events we have planned for this year, may continue to challenge, reform and engage us for God's future! I am humbled to serve with you,

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September 10: Gathering Day! Classes ages 2-12, Confirmation and our NEW High School class will GATHER at **9:15 am in the Chapel** as we begin our Sunday school educational year by singing with Ms. Ella Cleveland our new Sunday school musician! Then we will gather at 10:30 am in the Sanctuary for our **BACKPACK, BIBLE & TEACHER BLESSING!**

We give thanks for this year's Sunday school teachers:

- **2-4 year olds:** Dan Manchester & Mary Dallao, Olga Price and NEW TEACHER Kathleen Williams
 - **5-7 year olds:** Betsy Mountenay, Sara Stuart and Elizabeth Wirick
 - **8-12 year olds:** NEW TEACHER Joe Migas, Kate Wulff and Lolly Stuart
 - **Confirmation:** Justin Holmes and Krista Sickert-Bush
 - **NEW High School Class:** Catherine Kimball-Eayrs and NEW TEACHER Staci Rijal



We welcome all ages of children to Sunday school. If your child is coming for the first time, especially as a 2-4 year old, please know you are welcome to stay and help them acclimate to the Sunday school setting.

- Sunday School starts at 9:15, followed by Worship at 10:30am & 5:00pm
- **REMEMBER:** The 1st Sunday of each month (except summer) there will be breakfast served at 9:00 am **WITH** Sunday School/Confirmation starting at 9:15 am
 - December 10 is the annual **ADVENT PLAY**
- Check out the next page with "Friends & Family" ministry events for all ages. StLuthRef (7th-12th grades) ministry events were sent out already!

Friends and Family Ministry Events

September 10	Gathering Day at 9:15am & Backpack, Bible & Teacher Blessings 10:30am
September 24	9:30-10:15am "Pray & Play" Kickoff with coffee & conversation
October 21	*SATURDAY* 10:30am Fall Festival at Larriland Farm
November 19	9:30-10:15am "Pray & Play"
December 10	10:30am Advent Play

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January 7	9:15-10:15am 3 Kings Day/Epiphany party during Sunday School
January 13	*SATURDAY* Fundraiser at St. Paul's Lutheran to support our High School Youth attending the National Youth Gathering in Houston! A Spaghetti Dinner and Auction
February 4	Fundraiser at LUTHER PLACE to support our High School Youth attending the National Youth Gathering in Houston! 1st Sunday Pancake Breakfast and Bake Sale
February 25	9:30-10:15am "Pray & Play"
March 11	Fundraiser at Reformation to support our High School Youth attending the National Youth Gathering in Houston! Parent's Afternoon Out with 3 hours of babysitting for \$75
March 25	9:30-10:15am "Pray & Play"
April 6-8	Retreat at Mar-Lu-Ridge Camp in Frederick, Maryland
May 20	9:30-10:15am "Pray & Play" End of year celebration & Sunday School!



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