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UPCOMING CALENDAR

April

25 School Mass 9am

26 Concert grds 3-5 7pm

27 Carnival

May

2 School Mass 9am

2-4 6th Gr to Camp Foley

3 Thurs AM Rosary 7:55a

5 First Holy Communion

6 First Holy Communion

7 May Crowning 9:30a

8 PSO Meeting 9:30a

9 School Mass 9am

EVENTS

Carnival Is Next Week!

Join the Fun April 27th

5:30-8:30pm

VOLUNTEERS STILL NEEDED!

The 30th OLG Carnival is Friday, April 27th and we need your help! Please click [HERE](#) to sign up for a volunteer shift & make this an incredible night for our

school! We're going Back to the Future to

make you feel right at home. Not required but we encourage you to put on your neon, scrunchies, crimped hair, popped collars, banana clips, acid washed denim and anything 80s.

Thank you to our incredible sponsors for helping make this the best and brightest carnival yet! A huge round of applause for Great Clips, Wexford-Harbour Insurance, Hornig Companies, DS Erickson & Assoc. PLLC, Edina Ortho, General Mills, IAN Advertising, Lakes Sotheby's International Realty Educational Outfitters, Armbrust Sales & Marketing and Velocity Training Center!

Carnival Information was sent out earlier this week as well as in this email [blast](#). Check your youngest child's backpack if you have not seen it.



Grades 3-5 Spring Concert

Thursday, April 26th at 7pm

The grades 3,4,5 spring concert is next Thursday at 7 pm! Third Grade students dress in their pioneer clothes for songs from the 1890 schoolhouse. Fourth grade students are coming in U.S.A. colors, no shorts. Fifth



grade students will wear Sunday best to sing selections from "Hamilton" and songs of 1776! All students need to be in their classrooms at 6:45 pm. DVDs will be available to purchase. Questions? Please email Mrs. Deb Skinner at debskinner@olgschool.net

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Order Artsonia for Mother's Day

Order by May 2nd

14-15 8th Gr Play Rehearsal
 16 School Mass 9am
 16 8th Grade Play 1pm
 17 8th Grade Play 1pm & 7pm
 22 K-2 Spring Vocal Concert
 7p
 23 School Mass 9am
 24 Spring Band Concert 7pm
 28 Memorial Day (No School)
 30 School Mass 9am

[Release Day Calendar 2017-18](#)

[OLG Website Calendar](#)

ATTENDANCE

Call the the 24-hour hotline
 952-929-5463 ext. 236
 or ellieharristhal@olgschool.net
 prior to 8am to inform us that your
 child is absent or tardy. Parents
 should keep children home from
 school an extra 24 hours after a
 fever.

WEEKENDER SUBMISSIONS

- Deadline is noon on Thursday
- Submit to [Adam Groebner](#)
- OLG reserves the right to edit information for space/content.



GREAT GIFT IDEAS FOR MOTHER'S DAY

Artsonia custom keepsakes make great gifts for Mother's Day. The keepsakes feature your child's very own artwork created at school! There are many popular options to choose from like Art Snappables which feature bottlecap sized magnetic discs that fit interchangeably into pendants, rings, and bracelets. All purchases support OLG Art Programs. Visit your child's Artsonia page for more details and other great gift ideas.

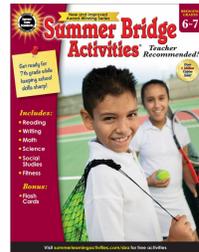


Order by May 2 to receive by Mother's Day. (You may also order through May 8th but express charges may apply)

Order Summer Workbooks

Orders Due by Friday, May 4th

OLG will again be offering two options for summer workbooks. [Summer Bridge Workbook](#) is for students who are looking to avoid summer academic "loss." It is meant for the student to be able to work through independently and bridge the time between the two grades. This book is \$9.99. The [Spectrum Series](#) books are for students looking to learn over the summer. It will be challenging for students and recommended to be used with a tutor or a parent. The Spectrum Series sells individual books for math and reading. Each book is \$11.99 Please click [here](#) to fill out an order form by Friday, May 4th. All orders will be billed through Smart Tuition in June. Please check their websites above for more information. If you have any questions please email or call [Rikki Mortl](#).



Learner Profiles for 2018-19

Due by May 15th

Each year, we ask that all returning and new parents complete learner profiles for their child(ren). This helps Mrs. Trenary and the teachers with classroom placement and in getting to know each child better. Mrs. Trenary reads each learner profile. Please complete this profile ([word/pdf](#)) for each of your children and turn them into the office by May 15th. Any information regarding classroom placement should be included with this document. Please bring completed profiles to the main office or email them to Richelle Dudziak.

Order Spirit Wear!

Due by May 16th

The OLG Spirit Wear Store is now open! Orders can be made through May 16th! Follow this link:

<https://ourladyofgraceschoolspring2018.itemorder.com/> Make sure that you copy the link and paste it to wherever you are using it. Do not click on it, copy the address from your web browser and use that address as that can cause weird issues with our online ordering system.



Andrew Zimmern Thank You!

You may recall that Andrew Zimmern and his staff at Bizarre Foods set forth the "Grasshopper Challenge" to Fr. Kevin and Mrs. Trenary for this year's Marathon. This challenge was coordinated by OLG Parent Shawn Murnan. OLG parent Brian McAdam then captured the delicious event and created [this video](#) to send back their way as a Thank You! Check it out!

PARISH ANNOUNCEMENTS

Upper Room Family Retreat

Tuesday, May 8th from 5:30-7pm

Learn more about the Family Retreat [here!](#)

OLG Marriage Booster

Saturday, May 12th from 9:30-4:45

The best gift we can give our children and each other is a strong marriage. The Marriage Booster Retreat, sponsored by the OLG Men's Club and presented by Family Fest Ministries, is an interactive and unique experience designed to give couples a chance to focus on each other and the issues that touch their marriage. Imagine a day where the two of you can laugh, reconnect, and talk deeply about your marriage relationship. This day is a fast-paced, faith-filled, romantic, relevant and fun experience that is focused on the sacrament of marriage. Cost is a free-will offering at the end of the retreat. 3 Easy Ways to Register:

1. Visit Family Fest Ministries [website](#)
2. Stop by the table in the Commons after any Mass the weekends of April 21 or April 28
3. Contact the Parish Office at frontdesk@olgparish.org or 952-929-3317

Dave Ramsey's Financial Peace University is Coming to OLG!

Dave Ramsey's Financial Peace University is coming to Our Lady of Grace! What if you were following a plan for your money that you KNEW worked? With Dave Ramsey's class Financial Peace University, you CAN take control of your money, get out of debt, and create a plan for your future. Check out this [video](#) or visit www.olgparish.org for more details and to register. Contact Janna Davies at jannadavies@olgparish.org with any questions.

Vacation Bible School: Shipwrecked!

July 23-27

This summer, venture onto an uncharted island where kids will learn to survive and thrive by being anchored in the truth that Jesus carries them through life's storms...Welcome to Shipwrecked, Our Lady of Grace's 2018 Vacation Bible School! Come along on an amazing adventure as we deepen our faith through hands-on activities that will help everyone to discover that Jesus cares about them personally and he will rescue us as we face life's toughest circumstances. Join us for a week full of fun, incredible music, and a relaxing island-getaway setting that all come together to point kids to Christ! Learn more and register [HERE](#).



National Child Abuse Prevention Month

Did you know that April is National Child Abuse Prevention Month? "The Church loves all her children like a loving mother, but cares for all and protects with a special affection those who are smallest and defenseless." - Pope Francis. The St. Paul/Minneapolis Office of Protection of Children and Youth has provided us with this resource to remind us of [Tips about Protecting Children and Offering Outreach to Victims/Survivors](#). If you are interested in finding out more about the Safe Environment program here at OLG, contact our coordinator Jamie at jamiepohl@olgparish.org.

COMMUNITY ANNOUNCEMENTS

Educational Outfitters "Short" Sale

April 16-30th

Be hopeful and get ready for Spring! OLG students can begin wearing shorts on May 1st. Educational Outfitters is having a 15% off sale on Short Sleeve Polos and Uniform Shorts 4/16-4/30! Visit us [online](#) or stop by the store.

Holy Angels Fastpitch Youth Day

Saturday, April 21st

On April 21, AHA will be hosting our Girls Fastpitch Youth Day. All three of our fastpitch teams will be playing Northfield beginning at 11:00 AM at Lincoln Field (7500 Pleasant Avenue) in Richfield. There will be giveaways, contests and prizes throughout the games. All grade school students and their families get in for free and we encourage you to wear your team jersey or sweatshirt to the games.

PCN: Raising Fiscally Responsible Kids in an Age of Entitlement

Mon, April 23, 2018 7-9PM at Southview



Nathan Dungan is the Founder and president of Share Save Spend. He is an author of three books and has been widely quoted in the New York Times and The Wall Street Journal. Prior to Share Save Spend he was a financial advisor and vice president of marketing for a Fortune 500 financial services company. Nathan will present on the following:

- Simple and immediate ways for youth and adults to develop healthy money habits and enhance financial wellbeing
- Processes and tools that help people shift from a spend-centric mode to one that balances spending, sharing and saving
- Skills to align your financial goals with your values

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