

IT'S STILL ALL ABOUT JESUS

2018 NATIONAL LUTHERAN SCHOOLS WEEK

National Lutheran Schools Week provides the network of over 2,000 LCMS preschools, elementary schools and high schools with the public opportunity to proclaim and celebrate God's work in Lutheran Schools.

In this, Lutheran Schools thank God for the opportunity to provide excellent academic preparation for the children they serve and for the opportunity to share Jesus' amazing love with students and their families.

National Lutheran Schools Week gives schools the ability to proclaim the great blessings within the communities they serve. Lutheran Schools are amazing incubators for faithful witness of God's love through Christ by teachers and students alike.

Nationally, Lutheran Schools serve over 200,000 students and their families. We have 1,150 Early Childhood Centers; 793 Elementary Schools; and 86 High Schools.

In the Southern District we serve over 2,000 students and their families. We have 14 Early Childhood Centers; 10 Elementary Schools; and 2 High Schools.

Our Lutheran Schools are raising up the next generation of faithful Christian Disciples. Our students daily experience God's lavish gifts of Love, Grace, and Mercy, and they are encouraged to share those gifts with others. Our Lutheran School students are being transformed by God's Word, and are taught to cling to the cross of Jesus.

The students in our Lutheran Schools also receive excellent academic preparation for the next step in their educational journeys. Our Lutheran School students consistently score above the national average on standardized test scores. They are also taught and modeled good citizenship by their teachers and administrators. Our Lutheran Schools prepare our students for life after school by creating in them a strong work ethic, critical thinking skills and the ability to relate well with others.

If you have a Lutheran School near you, please stop by and visit. You will be blessed by what you see and hear.

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