

THE PARENT PAGE

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WELCOME BACK!



We are looking forward to a year of growth and learning. Thank you for your encouragement and prayers as we work together to educate our young people for work in God's kingdom!



GMS Calendar

Thursday August 21	• 6pm New Family Orientation • 7pm Returning Family Orientation
Tuesday August 26	• First Day of School (8:10—11:30) <i>No Lunch Served. No Childcare provided.</i>
Friday August 29	• No School
Monday September 1	• No School
Tuesday September 2	• 4:30 Varsity Soccer vs Salisbury Christian • 4:30 Vars Volleyball vs Salisbury Christian
Thursday September 4	• 4pm Varsity Soccer @ St. Peter and Paul • 4pm Varsity Volleyball @ Seaside Christian
Friday September 5	• 4pm MS Soccer vs. Salisbury Christian • 4pm MS Volleyball vs. Salisbury Christian

School Day: 8:10-3:05

Childcare Hours: 7-8am; 3:15—5pm

*Childcare Rates: \$10/hr for first child;
\$3/hr each additional child. Billed in
15 min. increments.*



Cafeteria Corner

• Menu subject to change at cook's discretion

• Please keep lunch accounts pre-paid

August 26-29

26: No Lunch Served

27: Pizza

HS Only—Chef Salad Option

28: Hot Dogs

29: No School

September 2-6

2: Cheesy Mac & Ham

3: Pizza

HS Only—Chef Salad Option

4: Chicken Nuggets & Rice

5: Sloppy Joes

Cafeteria Lunch Prices

PreK-K	\$3.25
Grades 1-4	\$3.75
Grades 5-8	\$4.25
Grades 9-12	\$4.50
Adults (Regular)	\$8.00
Adults (Holiday)	\$12.00

GMS STAFF & FACULTY 2025-2026

Caitlin Scolah	Pre-Kindergarten (3 year olds)
Sonya Magaña	Pre-Kindergarten (4 year olds)
Marlene Warfel	Kindergarten (4 day)
Crystal Brock	Kindergarten (5 day)
Kaitlin Kauffman	1 st Grade
Stephanie Yutzy	Paraprofessional (1)
Crystal Hickman	2 nd Grade
Grace Wright	Paraprofessional (2)
Douglas Root	3 rd Grade
Anna Kirk	Paraprofessional (3)
Savanna Morris	4 th Grade, Math (5)
Holly Burns	4 th Grade
Julianna Mast	Elementary Specials (social-emotional)
Loretta Schrock	Recess, Lunch Play
Sharon Schultz	Before Care
Mike Braber	Recess
Valerie Buschert	Elementary Recess, Lunch Play
Janine Heffley	K-8 Tech, Personal Finance, Yearbook, Business
Jill Wilkins	5 th Homeroom, Science (5-8)
Diane Aycoth	6 th Homeroom, Math (6-8)
Tara Johnson	7 th Homeroom, English/Language Arts (5-8)
Al Lester	8 th Homeroom, Phys Ed. (7-8), Social Studies (5-8)
Jill Deputy	Bible (6-8)
Grace Scott	Nurse, Elementary Art, Home Ec (7), Phys Ed (5-6)
Carmen Shiery	Nurse, Elementary STEM, Phys. Ed (6)
MaryBeth Tice	Middle School Paraprofessional, After Care
Lauren Smith	Pre-K—12 th Music
Michelle Mast	Reading Specialist
Michelle Gissy	Speech Therapy Volunteer
Tom Bull	Athletic Director
Tyler Warfel	9 th Homeroom, Bible (9), Math (9-12)
Pam Bates	10 th Homeroom, English (9-12), Writing (9), Senior Project (12), Public Speaking
Jose Magaña	11 th HR, Spanish Specials (2-4), HS Spanish 1, 2, Bible (10), HS PE
Nathan Bechtel	12 th Homeroom, Bible (11-12), Social Studies (9-12)
Christopher Morgan	Science (9-12), HS Health, Phys. Ed (9-10)
Amanda Schlabach	HS Art Elective
Aaron Routon	HS Worship Elective
Lauren Venable	HS Guidance Counselor, Senior Project (12), Public Speaking
Lowell Bechtel	Band Director (MS & HS)
Duane Miller	Head Administrator
Taylor Twedell	Administrative Assistant/Office Manager
Melinda Geiser	Assistant Administrator, Bible (5)
Caitlin Lehman	Finance Manager
Lisa Chupp	Head of Cafeteria
Everett Warfel	Head of Maintenance
Evan Wennberg	Janitorial Staff
Ashley Renard	Janitorial Staff
Robert Murray	Janitorial Staff

GMS Board 2025-26

Weston Yutzy
Doug Cramer
Fred Mast
Joan Mills
Courtney Schrock
Randal Zehr
Randy Classen