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## School News

### No School Reminder

No school this Thursday-Friday. Please enjoy your long weekend and remember to thank a veteran!

### Calendar Check

New month—new events!! Please make sure you are double checking the Google Calendar for important things going on—this month specifically is the Veterans Day program, Teacher In-Service, Thanksgiving, basketball starting, etc.

### Junior Choir

See you at rehearsal on Monday, November 13<sup>th</sup> at 3:45.

### Essential Oils Class

Curious about essential oils and their benefits for you and your children? Miss Taasaas and Mrs. Roth are hosting an essential oils class after school on Monday, November 13<sup>th</sup> in Miss Taasaas' classroom. Childcare will be provided. Please RSVP to Rachel (360)271-5201 or Jordan (509)991-3488.

### DC Craft Fair

The DC students are hosting a craft fair in the church on Thursday, November 16<sup>th</sup> and Friday, November 17<sup>th</sup>. All the students are supplying their own crafts for this event! Please

come check it out during the following times:

8:10-9:00AM  
11:20-12:30PM  
3:00-3:45PM

All proceeds help offset the costs of attending the trip to Washington DC this spring. Thank you!

### Basketball

Basketball is for grades 5-8. There will be a basketball informational meeting next week Thursday (11/16) at 3:45 pm in Miss Rosenbaum's room. Forms will be signed. Practice details will be given. Uniforms will be handed out. Please plan to attend. Thank you!

### Veterans Day

Our Veterans Day program is TOMORROW, November 8<sup>th</sup> at 9AM. Please join us if you are able! The kids have a lot prepared in order to honor veterans for this event, we have a guest speaker, and there will be refreshments provided following the program!

### Precious Additions

Please consider donating a meal or two to the Knutson's and the Lamgaday's. I can't speak for everyone, but when we had our children, families providing meals for us was a genuine LIFESAVER!!! I am still forever grate-

ful to all the people that helped us out during those first few weeks after birth. If you would like to serve the Knutson's or the Lamgaday's in this way, please click the links. You can also scan the QR code instead. Thank you!



Veterans Day Program

**TOMORROW, November 8  
9AM**

All veterans invited! :)



## What is Love

If you ask ten different people what love is, you may very well receive ten different answers. Ask a three-year-old, and the answer may be a simple “mom.”

Ask a psychologist and you may have to settle in for a long and complicated response. The answer given by a fifteen-year-old girl will likely be very different than the one given by a sixty-year-old man who has been married to the same woman for 42 years.

Even though these answers may all be different, they likely all revolve around the same thing—emotion. Describing what love is usually involves how a person makes you feel or the committed feelings you have about a certain person.

God doesn't talk about emotion when he describes love in the Bible. He talks about action. “This is how we know what love is: Jesus Christ laid down his life for us.”

Love is defined by the greatest act of self-sacrifice ever made. God's own Son, Jesus, gave up his life for you because he knew it was the only way for you to live with him forever. He shed his blood

not because he saw some great potential within you. He shed his blood because the sin within you needed to be washed away.

Jesus laid down his life for you because his desire to save you eternally was far greater than any desire to preserve his own life. That selfless, self-sacrificing action is the very definition of love.

Now that you know what love is, go and love others.

### Prayer:

Lord Jesus, my Savior, thank you for loving me by dying in my place. Forgive me for the many times love has been all about me and

how I feel. Help me to love others the way that you have loved me—through actions that put their needs first. In your holy name I ask it. Amen.

*Want more daily devotions?*

*I get them here!*



This is how we know what love is: Jesus Christ laid down his life for us. And we ought to lay down our lives for our brothers and sisters.

**1 John 3:16**