

#### **Bethany Lutheran School**

Long Beach, CA

## **BEAR FACTS**

Issue 25: March 11, 2025

## **From the Principal**

Just a short thought for today (to make room for all the other great stuff happening here at Bethany!

I hope you enjoyed our Open House/Fine Arts Fair here last week. We have some GIFTED students and educators, and it was fun to see all the great projects.

I was particularly pleased that parents got to see our amazing Mr. Bowers, our music teacher, and the blessing that he is to our students. (Also...his energy and enthusiasm are contagious!) Our student performers were great! And kudos to our art teacher, Mrs. Z., for the wonderful art projects she executes with our Bethany Bears.

We are truly blessed, Dr. Fink



#### Bethany Lutheran Church and School x x (562) 420-7783 x x

## **Coming Up**

- March 13-K-2 Spring Musical-9:00
- March 14- K-2 Spring Musical-6:30
- March 18-PTL Meeting
- March 21-End Quarter 3 PTL Dance Party-2:30
- March 24-28 SPRING BREAK
- **April 3-4-**Minimum Days-Parent Teacher Conferences
- **April 13-**Palm Sunday-Troubadour sings 8:00, Trinity sings 8:30
- April 18-Good Friday-No School
- April 20-EASTER!!
- April 21-Easter Monday-No School
- April 22-25-Health and Wellness Week
- April 27-Confirmation Sunday
- May 2-Minimum Day/Noon Dismissal
- May 2-Middle School Dance

Leading chapel this week:

#### Kayleigh Lopez

Parents, you are welcome to join us at 9:00 in the church.



New Brands

- 1. Brit Box 8% Shop eGift cards in \$25 \$250 amounts, then stream the best British TV, all in one place.
- 2. Outdoorsy 7% Rent an RV, motorhome, trailer or campervan from Outdoorsy for your next adventure. eGift cards in \$25 \$500 amounts
- **3.** Ray Ban 7% Whether you're looking for timeless, on-trend, or high-tech glasses there's a pair of Ray Bans for you. Earn an additional 3% when you shop online through RaiseRight.
- Tommy John 10% Great days start with great underwear! Get premium quality that lasts. Available as eGift cards in \$10 - \$500 amounts. Earn an additional 3% when you shop online through RaiseRight.

## **Middle School Corner**

The middle school is excited to continue our March Madness traditions!

Next week, the middle school students and teachers will have the opportunity to complete an NCAA March Madness basketball tournament bracket. This exercise allows the students to gain an understanding of how elimination brackets work while participating in a wonderful multi-grade activity. (And the middle school loves to celebrate so there are prizes for those whose brackets do well.)

Let the games begin!

In 8th grade English, the students finished their poetry brackets with <u>Caged Bird by Maya</u> <u>Angelou</u> taking the first place position.

Also in 7th & 8th grade science, the students are participating in the popular Mammal March Madness brackets...which predator will reign supreme?



Students may wear St. Patrick's Day or green shirts/ t-shirts/sweatshirts for St. Patrick's Day on Monday!



# ER EGGS-TRAVAGANS

EGG HUNT, CRAFTS, SNACKS & DEVOTION

SUNDAY, APRIL 13, 2025 11:00 A.M. WE ARE MEETING IN THE GYM. THIS IS A FREE EVENT.

PLEASE RSVP BY TUESDAY, 4/8 SO THAT WE PREPARE FOR THE CORRECT AMOUNT OF PEOPLE.

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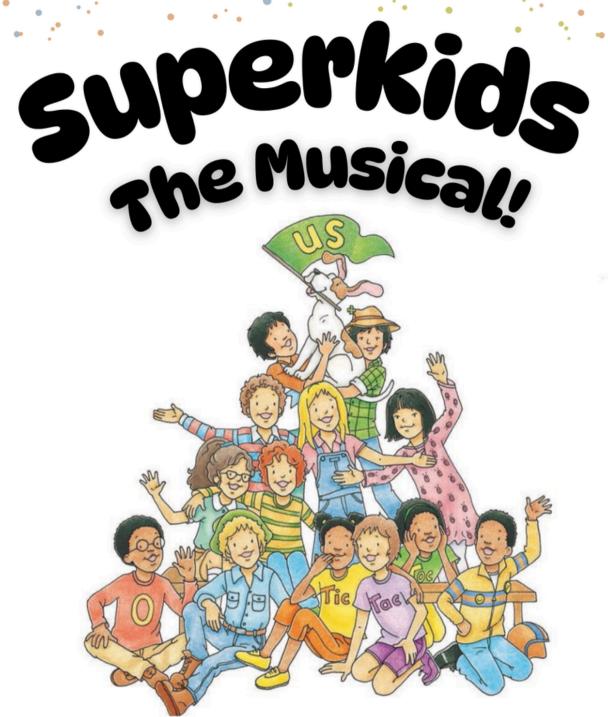
### TAKE ME OUT TO THE ANGELS GAME WITH BETHANY LUTHERAN

SUNDAY, MAY 4, 2025 1:07 P.M. GAME TIME AT ANGEL STADIUM TICKETS ARE LIMITED COST: \$20 PER TICKET

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QUESTIONS? CONTACT ALISSA BREGE AT ABREGE@BETHANYLUTHERAN.ORG



Presented by Bethany Lutheran's Kindergarten, 1st Grade, and 2nd Grade

Thursday, March 13, 9:00 am Friday, March 14, 6:30 pm Bethany Lutheran's Gym HOP INTO SPRING WITH US! ORDER DELICIOUS TREATS THAT EVERYONE WILL ENJOY!

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Dear Parents and Friends: We are excited to begin our See's Candies Spring Service! Let us help you bring Easter blessings to friends, relatives, neighbors, and co-workers. By ordering through our students you help out our program here at Bethany Lutheran in our Preschool and K-8 grade classes!

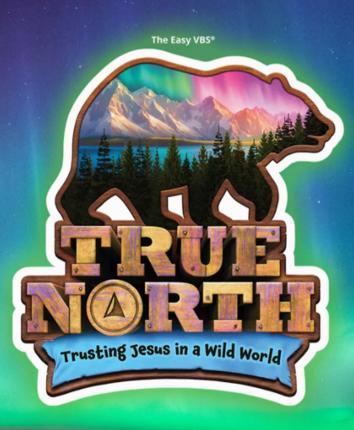
> ALL IN PERSON ORDERS ARE DUE APRIL 2ND PLEASE NO EXCEPTIONS! ONLINE SHOPPING WILL CLOSE AT MIDNIGHT ON APRIL 4TH

> > SHOP HERE



PLEASE MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO BETHANY LUTHERAN PTL

## JOIN US FOR AN AMAZING WEEK!



BETHANY LUTHERAN CHURCH 4644 CLARK AVENUE, LONG BEACH. CA 90808

JUNE 23-27, 2025, 8:30A.M.-NOON

THIS FREE VBS IS FOR AGES 3 YEARS OLD AND POTTY-TRAINED THROUGH ENTERING 6TH GRADE.

> REGISTRATION IS OPEN APRIL 13TH THRU JUNE 20TH