

2026-2027 School Calendar



Bethany Lutheran Preschool

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DATE	EVENT/HOLIDAY
August	
25	Mandatory Parent Information Zoom, 6:00PM
26	Meet the Teacher Night, 6:30PM-8PM
28	Family Bonfire at Bolsa Chica Beach, 6:00-8:00PM
31	First Day of 2026-2027 School Year, Family Chapel, 11:00AM
31	Noon Dismissal (Teacher In-Service - Staff Development, WASC Teams)
September	
7	CLOSED Labor Day
13	Bethany Lutheran Family Ministry Event: <i>Water Play & BBQ</i> , 11:00AM
22	PTL Meeting*, 6:30PM (ZOOM & School Library)
30	School Picture Day, 9:00AM-12:00PM
October	
TBD	Parent Education Night Hosted by SEEDS
1	School Picture Day, 9:00AM-11:00AM
11	Bethany Lutheran Family Ministry Event: <i>Pumpkin Decorating</i> , 11:00AM
16	CLOSED Teacher In-Service (WASC Teams)
20	PTL Meeting*, 6:30PM (ZOOM & School Library)
23	School Picture Make-Up Day
25	Reformation Sunday, Okto-Bear-Fest/Trunk-or-Treat Event
30	Trike-A-Thon, Noon Dismissal (Teacher In-Service - Assessments, WASC Teams)
31	Reformation Day
November	
TBD	Operation Christmas Child Packing Day
5	Noon Dismissal (Teacher In-Service - Parent Teacher Conferences)
6	CLOSED Teacher In-Service (AM Parent Teacher Conferences, PM WASC Teams)
10	Bethany Lutheran Family Ministry Event: <i>Bonfire Movie Night</i> , 6:30PM
11	CLOSED Veteran's Day
17	PTL Meeting*, 6:30PM (ZOOM & School Library)
18	Bethany Lutheran Family Ministry Event: <i>Pie, Play and Pray</i> (Cypress Campus)
20	Noon Dismissal (Teacher In-Service - Staff Development, WASC Teams)
22-25	CLOSED Lutheran Educator's Conference 2026
26-27	CLOSED Thanksgiving Holiday
29	Advent Begins
December	
4	Bethany Lutheran Family Ministry Event: <i>Not So Silent Night-Cookie Decorating</i> , 6:30PM
4-13	Bethany Lutheran Youth Ministry Scholastic Book Fair
6	Preschool Sings in Church (All Classes), 9:30AM
9	Bethany Lutheran Family Ministry Event: <i>A Very Merry Christmas Party</i> (Cypress Campus)
13	Bethany Lutheran Church Christmas Concert 55th Anniversary, 3:00PM & 7:00PM
18	Preschool Christmas Program & Open House, 10:40AM-11:45AM
18	Noon Dismissal (Teacher In-Service - Staff Development)
21-31	CLOSED Christmas Break
24	Advent Ends

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January	
1	CLOSED Christmas Break
4	First Day of School in 2027
6	Epihpany
18	CLOSED Martin Luther King, Jr. Day
24	Bethany Lutheran Family Ministry Event: <i>NLSW Kick Off Event</i>
25-29	National Lutheran Schools Week
26	PTL Meeting*, 6:30PM (ZOOM & School Library)
29	Preschool Glow Party, 10:00AM
29	Noon Dismissal (Teacher In-Service - Assessments)
February	
5	Bethany Lutheran Family Ministry Event: <i>Father Daughter Dance</i>, 6:30PM-8:00PM
10	Ash Wednesday, Lenten Season Begins, <i>Receiving of Ashes</i>, 9:45AM
10	100th Day of School!
11	Noon Dismissal (Teacher In-Service - Parent Teacher Conferences, Staff Development)
12	CLOSED President's Day Holiday
12-15	Bethany Lutheran Family Ministry Event: <i>Ocotillo Wells Family Campout</i>
15	CLOSED President's Day
16	2027-2028 BLPS Open Enrollment Begins
23	PTL Meeting*, 6:30PM (ZOOM & School Library)
24	Bethany Lutheran Family Ministry Event: <i>Mother Son Glow Bowl</i>
March	
1-5	Read Across America Week 2027
5	Bethany Lutheran School 80th Celebration and Spring Open House 6:30PM-8:00PM
5	Special Hours 8:00AM-5:00PM
10	Bethany Lutheran Family Ministry Event: <i>Easter Glow Event (Cypress Campus)</i>
12	CLOSED PSWD Early Childhood Educator's Conference 2027
21	Bethany Lutheran Family Ministry Event: <i>Easter Eggstravaganza</i> , 11:00AM
21	Palm Sunday
23	Way of the Cross Special Chapel
23	PTL Meeting*, 6:30PM (ZOOM & School Library)
25	Grandparents/VIP-Special Friends Day, Special Chapel 11:00AM
25	Noon Dismissal (Teacher-In Service - Staff Development, WASC Teams)
25	Maundy Thursday
26	CLOSED Good Friday
28	Easter Sunday
29	CLOSED Easter Monday
30-4/2	Easter Week Day Camp (Open for FULL DAY Students ONLY)
30-4/2	Center Hours 8:00AM-5:00PM
April	
1-2	Easter Week Day Camp (Open for FULL DAY Students ONLY)
1-2	Center Hours 8:00AM-5:00PM
9	Noon Dismissal (Teacher In-Service, Staff Development, WASC Teams)
27	PTL Meeting*, 6:30PM (ZOOM & School Library)
May	
3-7	Teacher Appreciation Week*
7	Noon Dismissal (Teacher In-Service - Assessments, WASC Teams)
9	Bethany Lutheran Family Ministry Event: <i>Mother's Day Honoring</i>
16	Preschool Sings in Church (All Classes), 9:30AM
16	Kindergarten Signing Day
21	TK Book Signing Day
24	End of the Year Assessments Begin to Go Home
25	PTL Meeting*, 6:30PM (ZOOM & School Library)
28	CLOSED Teacher In-Service (WASC Teams)

June 2027						
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31	CLOSED Memorial Day
June	
7	Fun Day*
10	Last Day of 2026-2027 School Year
10	Noon Dismissal (Teacher In-Service - Staff Development)
11	CLOSED Summer Day Camp Prep Day
14	CLOSED Summer Day Camp Prep Day
15	First Day of 2027 Summer Day Camp
20	Bethany Lutheran Family Ministry Event: Father's Day Honoring
21-25	Vacation Bible School 2027
23	Vacation Bible School Family Luncheon
July	
5	4th of July Observed (CLOSED)
Key	
	Preschool Center Closed
	Noon Dismissal
	Special Activities/Events
	PTL Meetings (4th Tuesday of every month, subject to change due to events)
	Bethany Lutheran Family Ministry Events
* Subject to Change	

