

We are happy you decided to join the fun and excitement that WINGS has to offer and we look forward to seeing you each week that WINGS meets! ☺

WINGS stands for:

Witness for Christ! Christ commands us to be his witness and share his love, when he said, “Go and make disciples of all nations”...WINGS is a fantastic discipline tool for our church. Enthusiastic children encourage parents and friends to become involved. WINGS children “GO” and share the Good News!

IN Love! “Love one another, even as I have loved you.” When children experience God’s love, it spills over and touches the lives of others around them. WINGS children express their love by helping one another, learning Bible verses, in sharing gifts and talents, by participating in classroom activities, and in their fun together. “For they will know we are Christians by our love.”

God’s Children Grow! Children do grow in many ways, and learning God’s Word is basic to their Christian growth. This program helps children grow in the grace and knowledge of Christ. Bible verse memorization is the heart of the program, along with Bible stories, application for daily living, music and fun. “We are to grow up in every way into Him who is the head, into “Christ.”

Service for the Lord! Love in action results in deeds of kindness. “..through love be servants of one another...” Opportunities for individual service are incorporated in the WINGS workbooks. Throughout the year, all WINGS children can participate in special mission projects. They serve the Lord with gladness.

WORKBOOKS and T-SHIRTS:

You will receive a book every year when you register. It is important for you to keep your books in a special place because if you lose them, you will need to pay for another one. It is important that you bring your workbook with you every week. Those students attending WINGS for the first time will receive a free WINGS t-shirt. If you lose your shirt or out grow it, you will need to pay \$10.00 for it. We encourage you to wear your t-shirts each week.

MEMORY WORK & FUN SPOTS:

It is helpful to learn verses at home. This provides a wonderful opportunity for parents and children to grow together as you search God’s Word. You must say your verses to a Listener or your teacher to have them signed off and NOT your parents at home. It is important to only study or practice the verses (memory work) at home, and then recite the learned verses at WINGS for credit and recognition. Fun spots can be done at home or in the classroom. Wingdings are awarded for 1). Attending WINGS 2). Their participation of the theme night (see their semester schedule) 3). Wearing their WINGS t-shirt and 4). Wingdings are also awarded for each verse learned and some fun spots. Their teacher may also have other incentives. The review or challenge branches at the end of each chapter must be recited on a different night than the original time learned.

DISCIPLINE POLICIES:

There are other activities taking place all over our church on Wednesday nights. We expect you to be orderly and respectful to all adults and fellow students. We need to use our quiet voices and remember we are in church. If a teacher is unable to control a student the student will be dismissed from the class/activity to speak with the Director. If that does not solve the situation, the student’s parents will be called to pick up their child. We hope that these policies will not need implemented.

BAD WEATHER CANCELLATION ANNOUNCEMENTS: www.bethel-lutheran-church.com

Please tune into our local Holdrege Radio station as well as NTV for cancellation announcements. You may also look to Bethel’s Website for information on WINGS and so much more! ☺