

Missouri District LWML Mission Grant 2006-2008

Child Of God Lutheran School Middle School Start-Up - St. Peters \$25,000



LWML mites will help fund the start-up of middle school grades six and seven at Child of God Lutheran School with equipment and educational materials. Child of God Lutheran School is a young mission start where 48.5% of the students come from unchurched homes. This grant will enable Child of God to continue reaching out with the Gospel of Jesus Christ to the harvest fields that are ripe in St. Peters, Mo.

Oh Lord of the harvest, we ask You to bless the start-up of the middle school grades six and seven of Child of God Lutheran School in St. Peters. The

provision of equipment and educational materials for this young mission, where nearly half the students come from unchurched homes, will enable their staff to continue teaching and reaching out with the Gospel of Jesus Christ to the harvest fields that are ripe and waiting in St. Peters. Thank You for giving us the opportunity to share what we have with others who are in need. In Your name, we pray. Amen.



The 6th Grade Class



Sally Krueger Vice President of Gospel Outreach presents the grant to Mr. Jeffrey Wittcop, Principal/Developer Child of God Lutheran Church and School

May 23, 2007

On behalf of Child of God School, I would like to thank the LWML Missouri District for their generous support in helping us start our middle school program. Your check for \$12,500 will help us set-up and establish grade 7 for the 2007-2008 school year.

As we prepare to celebrate Pentecost, I am pleased to say the Holy spirit is hard at work in the lives of the students and families at Child of God Lutheran Church and School. Six student families and extended families have received the blessing of the Holy Spirit through baptism this school year. Through this blessing some of these same families have gone through adult confirmation classes and have become members at Child of God and the Lutheran Church- Missouri Synod. More importantly, they have become part of God's family. This is great news!

The first part of the \$25,000 grant was used to start middle school this year with grade 6. That gift helped us purchase student desks, bulletin boards, textbooks, computer tables, a computer for the teacher, white boards, supplemental materials, overhead projector and cart, and so much more. The students and teacher appreciate the generosity of the LWML in helping to set up their classroom. Similar items will be purchased with the funds we just received for 7th grade.

The words THANK YOU just don't seem like enough to express the gratitude we feel for the support the LWML has given to Child of God. It is great to know and appreciate the partnership we have with you in reaching out with the gospel of Jesus Christ to the families in our community who are looking and experiencing Christian education at Child of God. I hope you and the greater community of the LWML, experience the joy in our joint partnership in reaching out in order to bring others to Jesus.

Thank you for your grant and most importantly thank you for your partnership in mission.

In His service and yours,
Jeffrey Wittcop, Principal/Developer