

Here in the Advancement Office, we want to make Grace Christian School the best school it can be! Funding a private, quality, Christ-centered education in 2020 is hard work, but in no way do we want it to be a hardship for our families! To that end, we try to find creative ways to reach our funding goals.

Our annual Pass It On Project will be held on Friday, October 30, 2020. We are going to have a blast leaving the classroom, going out into the community, and serving our neighbors that day! The success of the fundraising depends on Grace families helping us invite friends and family to learn about our amazing school and to consider financially investing in our students. Last year we raised \$45,000, and this year our goal is \$50,000!

GCS is asking every family to provide the school with 15 mailing addresses of friends and family who might be interested in supporting your child's educational experience at GCS. This is your student's "Champion List!" We will then send out a brochure and a personal note or drawing from your student to each "champion." The gist of the letter is an explanation of service projects the student will perform and an invitation to support the student with any amount. There is a fill-in-the-blank donation option or they may use one of the suggested donations, which begin at \$25.

The feedback we have received from these donors has been extremely positive, as evidenced by the hundreds of notes students have received in return. Your friends and family love receiving personal notes and pictures from the children they adore.

We absolutely understand that not everyone in your child's circle is as invested in Christian education as you are, but let us challenge you that this letter can be a beautiful way to start a gospel-centered conversation with them.

Please don't hesitate to reach out to us if you have questions! We are so glad you are here this year!

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