



# ST. PAUL'S LUTHERAN SCHOOL NEWSLETTER



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**Rejoice always, pray without ceasing, give thanks in all circumstances, for this is the will of Christ Jesus for you.  
1 Thessalonians 5:16-18**

August 22, 2019

## FROM THE PRINCIPAL

*Always Joyful in Jesus?* Really? What kind of a school theme is that?! My hot water heater just broke, my doctor said the spot on my skin looks suspicious, my kid needs braces, the exhaust system on my car needs replacing, and Starbucks just raised their prices! How can I be “joyful” right now with all that is going on in my life? Joyfulness is a state of being that is arrived at by believing, knowing and recognizing that through Jesus, you are saved and no earthly trouble can change that. This is different from happiness which is a temporary and fleeting emotion, dependant on the circumstances. Hot water heater broke? Six bucks for a Cinnamon Dolce Latte with extra whip?! Definitely not a **happy** time, but that doesn’t change the fact that Jesus died for your sins, you are saved, and that is a **joyful** thing! Nothing can change that! So yes, no matter the circumstances, our joy in Jesus cannot be shaken by earthly annoyances.

**Thank you** for choosing to send your child(ren) to St. Paul’s! We truly feel that, rooted in Christ, St. Paul’s continues to offer the best, well-rounded, Christ-centered education in the area, and we are honored that you have chosen to **partner with us** in the education of your child(ren)!

## OPENING WORSHIP AND BACKPACK BLESSING

On Saturday, August 24<sup>th</sup> and Sunday, August 25<sup>th</sup> **all members of your family** are invited to attend worship at 5:00pm, 8:00 or 10:30am. All students are to bring their backpacks to one of the Opening Services to receive their backpack blessing. There is a short “Meet and Greet” reception following the Saturday service, and between services on Sunday in the Fellowship Hall.



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**In Christ, the community of St. Paul's Lutheran School partners with families to equip children academically and prepare children and families spiritually to witness and serve.**

### **FAST DIRECT UPDATES**

All families are asked to log in to their **Fast Direct** account and update any information that needs to be changed. Please make sure to check emergency contacts, as well as updated phone numbers, cell phone provider, email addresses, etc. We use this information for communicating many things. **If you need log in information, please contact the school office.**

### **OPENING PTL MEETING**

On Monday, September 9<sup>th</sup> the first PTL meeting of year will be held at 6:00pm in the Fellowship Hall. We are looking for parents to get involved, and will be talking about the different events for this year and ways that parents can help out! Look forward to seeing you on the 9<sup>th</sup>.



### **DINING OUT FUNDRAISER**

Come join us on Wednesday, August 28<sup>th</sup> for our first dining out fundraiser at Oscar's Frozen Custard in West Allis. See the flyer that is attached, which must be presented to an Oscar's employee at the time of purchase.

### **BOX TOPS FOR EDUCATION**

The box top program is changing the way we can earn cash for our school. Over the summer, participating brands have begun to change their packaging from the traditional Box Tops clip to the new Box Tops label. See the attached sheets for further explanation or contact Jeanette Myren with any questions.

### **MILWAUKEE ADMIRALS LUTHERAN NIGHT 2019**

Saturday, October 19<sup>th</sup> at 6:00 p.m. vs. Colorado. See the attached flyer for more information.

### **SCHOOL PICTURES**

School pictures will be taken on Tuesday, October 1<sup>st</sup>. Order forms will be sent home the week before pictures are taken.



**THE EARLY CHILDHOOD CENTER NOW HAS  
THEIR OWN PHONE NUMBER:**

**414-485-6000**

### **FORMS**

Please be sure to turn in the following forms ASAP:

- ✓ Student Health Information Sheet
  - ✓ Milk Option
- ✓ Prescription/Non Prescription Medication Sheet
  - ✓ Athletic/Physical Forms

**Church at St. Paul's: Saturday - 5:00pm; Sunday - 8:00am and 10:30am;**  
**Sunday School/Adult Bible Class - 9:15am**

	<b><u>Acolyte Schedule:</u></b>
<b>Saturday, August 24</b>	<b>5:00pm – Melia Allen</b>
<b>Sunday, August 25</b>	<b>8:00am – Aubrey Kadolph</b>
	<b>10:30am – Ashley Matusewic</b>

### **PRACTICE SCHEDULES**

- **Handbells – Wednesday 7:15am**
- **Cross Country – Monday Grades 7 & 8 3:15-4:30pm**  
**Thursday Grades 3-6 3:15-4:30pm**  
**Friday Grades 3-8 3:15-4:30pm**
- **JV Girls Volleyball – Monday & Wednesday 3:15-5:00pm**
- **Varsity Girls Volleyball – Tuesday & Thursday 3:15-5:00pm**

**ALL PRACTICES BEGIN THE WEEK OF AUGUST 26<sup>TH</sup>!!!!**

### **SINGING SCHEDULE**

September 14	6-8 Choir and 4-8 Handbells 5:00pm
September 22	4 & 5 Choir 8:00am
September 29	K & 1 Choir 10:30am

### **UPCOMING DATES**

August 27	Open House for grades 1-5 6:00pm
August 28	Dining Out Fundraiser at Oscars in West Allis 4-8:00pm
September 2	Labor Day – NO SCHOOL
September 3	New Student Band Meeting @ Milwaukee Lutheran HS 7:00pm
September 4	Open House for grades 6-8:00pm
September 9	Opening PTL Meeting 6:00pm in Fellowship Hall
October 1	School Pictures
October 16	Fall Musical
October 24	End of 1 <sup>st</sup> Quarter