



ST. PAUL'S LUTHERAN SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

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"Jesus Christ is the same yesterday and today and forever" (ESV)
Hebrews 13:8

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FROM THE PRINCIPAL

- Sign up for Parent/Teacher Conferences - [Parent Teacher Conference Sign Up](#). If you have not signed up yet, please do so as soon as you can. We do not have school on Friday, October 27th because of conferences. There is no Before School Care, Extended Care or After School Care this day.
- We are having our one fundraiser sale called Butter Braids. Mrs. Carson is running this for us. We really appreciate it if all of you can participate in some way to help raise funds for our school. Check out page 2 for more information.

SCRIP

We still need volunteers to help sell SCRIP for about 10 minutes before and after church services on Saturdays and Sundays. SCRIP is a fundraiser where you can purchase gift cards, and St. Paul's gets a percentage of the sales back. After church on Saturday, or after the first service on Sunday and before the second service you would sit at the table in the narthex and sell the cards. You can sign up here to sell, <http://www.signupgenius.com/go/5080845AAAA23A3F85-scrip>. If you are a new seller please contact Julie Gutknecht at julie@splcwa.org, to set up a time to meet and go over details. Thank you!

IMPORTANT INFORMATION ABOUT ORDERING SPIRIT WEAR

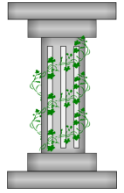
Just a reminder that even though Spirit Wear can be ordered on line at any time, unless we send home notification that we are doing a group order, families will either have to pay for the shipping to their home or pick the order up from the store. If you have any questions, please contact the school office.

PROPS FOR MALICE IN THE PALACE: THE STORY OF ESTHER MUSICAL

We are looking for these items to help with our musical. If you are able to let us borrow something please drop it by the school office for Mrs. Prince.

Thanks! Be sure to include your name with your item.

- “Throne” - an ornate chair with arms - possibly a fancy dining room chair
- 1 Quill/ long feather
- Scarves - extra long scarves - colorful, fuzzy, fun - for the girls to use in a song
- Costume jewelry - large pieces that girls may wear for a song



If you would like to help out with anything in our preparation for our musical on November 3rd please e-mail me! michelle@splcwa.org

HOLIDAY CLASSIC BASKETBALL TOURNAMENT

Our Holiday Classic Girls Basketball Tournament seems a ways off (**November 17-18**), but it will be here before we know it! A couple things related to that:

- The **Kitchen Committee** is in need of a few more people to help with the planning and execution of this important area. **Parents of all school-aged children are welcome!** Please contact **Sarah Hluchnik** if you are interested in joining this fun committee.
- Contact Jack Burkee for any tournament related questions. Watch for more tournament news soon!

BUTTER BRAID SAMPLES!

Our Butter Braid fundraiser starts soon!

On **Friday, October 13th**, free Butter Braid samples will be available for parents to taste-test when they pick-up their children from school!

Order forms will be sent home during the week of October 16th, and need to be turned back into the school office or your child's homeroom teacher on Friday, November 3rd. Orders will be available for pick-up at the ECC gym, from 2:30pm-4:30pm on Wednesday, November 15th.

FEEDING THOSE IN NEED DURING THE THANKSGIVING SEASON

For I was hungry and you gave me something to eat... The King will reply "truly I tell you, whatever you did for one of the least of these brothers and sisters of mine, you did for me" (Matthew 25:35 and 40)

Divine Connections, in partnership with Capuchins Community Services, will again be providing Thanksgiving meals for those in need.

Beginning November 4, 2017 we will have Thanksgiving boxes in the Narthex.

All you do is grab a box and start collecting the items listed on the box.

This can be an individual project or gather your friends, family or other group and begin collecting and stuffing the box.

Please bring all full boxes to the Instructional Room (off Lincoln Ave. ramp) no later than November 16, where the boxes will be picked up and delivered to those in need in the community.

Please contact Lenore VanSanten or Crystal Barry if you should have any questions.

JR HIGH YOUTH PIZZA AND MOVIE NIGHT 5 pm - 7:30 pm

This Sunday, October 15th at Shelly's house: 2965 S. 127th St. in New Berlin. We will be watching "Heaven is for Real" and enjoying some pizza, friends and fellowship. I've read the book and it's a wonderful story about what we know to be true about what God has promised us in heaven. **Please RSVP to Shelly before Sunday** at ssmajn@yahoo.com. If you'd like to bring a treat to share that is most welcome, but not necessary. There is no cost involved. ALL school students in grades 6-8 are invited, I'm excited to see as many youth as possible!!!

UPCOMING EVENTS AT MARTIN LUTHER HIGH SCHOOL

Fall Band Concert

Sunday, October 15th at 2:00pm

Open House

Thursday, October 26th at 6:00pm

Applications for 2018-2019 School Year

Priority registration runs from October 1st – December 11th. Please apply online at <http://mytads.com/a/martinlutherhighschool>

Shadow Day

Join us for a shadow day at Martin Luther and experience what our high school has to offer. Shadow days are available on either a Wednesday or Friday. Lunch will be provided and students will be paired with an experienced shadow guide. Please schedule a shadow day with Abbie Amling, Director of Enrollment Management at aamling@martinlutherhs.org or [414.421.4000 ext. 233](tel:414.421.4000).

SPORTS UPDATE

Congratulations to all of our runners that competed at the State Cross Country meet this past weekend at Concordia. 8th grader Sophie Moravec placed 5th in her age grouping. **Congratulations to 6th grader Kayla Koble for winning State in her age grouping!** Both runners advance to the National meet October 21.

PRACTICE SCHEDULES

- **JV Volleyball – Monday and Wednesday 3:15-4:45pm**
- **Varsity Volleyball – Tuesday and Thursday 3:15-4:45pm**
- **Handbells – Friday 7:15am**

SINGING SCHEDULE

October 15	5K-1 st Grade Choir	8:00am
October 21	5 th -8 th Grade Handbell Choir	5:00pm
November 3	School Musical 5 th -8 th Grades	6:00pm
November 5	4K Choir	10:30am
December 20	Christmas Service 3K-8, Band and Bell Choir	6:00pm

SPORTS SCHEDULE

October 16	<i>JV Vball</i> vs. Mt. Calvary 4:30pm Varsity Vball @ MLHS vs. Our Redeemer 8:00pm
October 19-21	<i>JV Vball</i> Immanuel Tournament
October 20 & 21	Varsity Vball Immanuel Tournament
October 23	Varsity Vball @ MLHS vs. Mt. Calvary 8:00pm
October 24	<i>JV Vball @</i> Our Redeemer 4:00pm
October 25	Varsity Vball @ MLHS vs. Trinity 6:00pm Varsity Vball @ MLHS vs. Hales Corners 7:00pm

UPCOMING DATES

October 13	Rangerette Meeting 6:30-8:30pm
October 16	Butter Braids fundraiser starts
October 20	End of 1 st Quarter
October 24	1 st of two Choice Meetings 6:00pm Room 202
October 27	Parent/Teacher Conferences NO SCHOOL
November 3	School Musical 6:00pm
November 7	School Picture Retakes
November 15	Delivery of Butter Braids

FROM THE PASTOR

By now the “newness” has worn off. Depending on their grade level, students have looked over that new classroom from top to bottom. They have *figured out* their new teacher, and teachers have begun to *figure out* their students. Old friendships have been renewed, and new friendships formed. Kids have grown taller, what’s “in” as far as fashion is concerned has changed, that new desk or locker has been stuffed with new textbooks and personal stuff. It all reminds us that life is all about change. Old gives way to new, only to become old and familiar in a hurry.

In our theme verse (Hebrews 13:8) we read: “Jesus Christ is the same yesterday, and today, and forever.” It’s comforting to know that our Savior does not change. The same Jesus who promised that “whoever believes in Him shall not perish, but have everlasting life.” Is the same Jesus who fills our hearts and lives with Himself. The same Jesus who stretched out His arms on the cross and died for us, only to rise three days later that we might be forgiven and live forever, is the same Jesus who walks with us, speaks His Word into our ears, bathes us in Holy Baptism, and feeds us in His Supper. It’s a message we never tire of hearing. *Pastor Stanton*

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

Acolyte Schedule:

Saturday, October 14	5:00 p.m. – Dante Militello
Sunday, October 15	8:00 a.m. – Lillia Carson
Sunday, October 15	10:30 a.m. – Michael Matusewic