



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

November 14, 2019

FROM THE PRINCIPAL

IMPORTANT!!! After School Care November 22

Due to the Girls Tournament on November 22, **ALL** After School Care will be held at the ECC. Lincoln students will be walked down to the ECC at 3:00, and can be picked up at their normal time, but at the ECC.

AMAZON GIVES BACK

Amazon.com has a program called Amazon Smile where they give back a percentage of your purchases to whatever registered non-profit organizations you designate. I am looking for a volunteer to help organize this program and help us get it off and running ASAP. This would be a great fund-raiser for our organization, especially with Christmas right around the corner! If you would be interested in helping me with this, feel free to email me soon.

Thank You.

GIRLS TOURNAMENT SIGN UP

Your help is needed on Friday and Saturday, November 22nd-23rd, for our girls 29th Annual Basketball Tournament, the Holiday Classic. Please click on the link below and choose an area to help out - kitchen, concessions, tickets, score table, and ushers. Please sign-up....our success for our tournament hinges on all of our St. Paul's people pitching in and helping out. Thank you.



<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/20f0c4eabaf2aa57-stpauls15>

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.

SPIRIT WEEK DRESS UP DAYS

- ✓ Monday, November 18 – Pajama/Sweatpants Day
- ✓ Tuesday, November 19 – Wacky Tacky Tuesday
- ✓ Wednesday, November 20 – Dress Your Best Day
 - ✓ Thursday, November 21 – 80's/90's Day
 - ✓ Friday, November 22 – Panther Pride Day

CHOICE MEETINGS

As most of you know, St. Paul's participates in the Wisconsin Parent Choice Program and the Milwaukee Parent Choice Program. One of the stipulations of the Choice Program is to hold two meetings per school year to meet with all families to answer any questions about the Choice Program, get any information about the Choice Program, and learn about the Choice Program. **Our first meeting this school year has been changed to Thursday, November 21st at 6:00pm.** School Board members will be available to answer any of your questions. This meeting is for all of our families, not only families who are in the Choice Program this year or may be in the Choice Program in future years. The second meeting is set for February 20th. Please come to our meetings if you would like to learn more about the two Choice Programs in which St. Paul's participates.

CALLING ALL ST. PAUL'S ALUMNI AND FRIENDS

Come join the St. Paul's pep band on Friday November 22nd to help support our team during the St. Paul's girls basketball tournament.

You may play for our pep rally Friday afternoon beginning at 1:30PM before the games begin AND/OR during our first team game at 7:15 PM. Contact Michelle Prince:

michelle@splcwa.org or the school 414-541-6251 to let us know if you can join us!

Let's praise the Lord with our instruments and celebrate our team!



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

Acolyte Schedule:

Saturday, November 16

5:00pm – Keira Hutchins

Sunday, November 17

8:00am – Ashton Poritz

10:30am – Aubrey Vinney

MARK YOUR CALENDARS

4TH ANNUAL COOKIE WALK

DECEMBER 14TH FROM 9-11AM



CHRISTMAS DOVES



We will once again be helping families this Christmas with our Dove Tree in the narthex. If you are having financial difficulties and are struggling with how you are going to provide any gifts for your child(ren) this year, we want to help. Please call Mrs. Evers, at the Lincoln Campus 541-6251 x3011, and tell her you would like to have a dove put on the tree for your child(ren). She will get you a list to fill out with sizes and toy ideas. All this information is kept anonymous, only Mrs. Evers and Mr. Burkee will know your name. The doves will then be put on the tree set up in the narthex, so both church and school families can take and purchase the gifts. The gifts are wrapped and brought to the office to be sorted and labeled for pick up the week before Christmas vacation. If you have any questions, please contact Mrs. Evers in the school office.



Congratulations to Olivia Kukor & Hannah Schaber. Both of these young ladies participated in Singing in Wisconsin Saturday November 9th at Carroll University, Waukesha. This is the fourth time both of these girls have prepared and participated in this event. They enjoyed singing with a group of young women from around southeast Wisconsin.

JR. HIGH YOUTH NEWS

Fall Schedule 2019

- ✓ Sunday, December 1st – Swim n Lights Country Christmas (meet at St. Paul's 2:00pm)
- ✓ Wednesday, December 4th – Serve Advent Dinner 4:30pm (meet in kitchen)

Save the dates....

Please join Pastor Noah and Shelly on Sunday, December 1. We will be going to the Swim N Lights event in Pewaukee again for waterpark fun and holiday activities. Cost is \$25 per youth, prepaid with permission slips. More details will be forthcoming! Also, our youth annual food drive "Fight Hunger: Feed Hope" will begin November 4th and run through Thanksgiving. This will be the kick off to a fun month of friendly competition! Can't wait to see how God works through our group to make this a successful food drive!

Blessings and thank you! Shelly Mueller

FROM THE PASTOR

To the families of St. Paul's

The month of November is a month when we often remember to give thanks. The Thanksgiving holiday tends to be the pulse of the whole month. As followers of Jesus Christ, we are called to give thanks over and over again. Giving thanks is one of the hallmarks of living life as a disciple of Jesus. But, it's not just about merely saying, "thank you." But it is about saying, "thank you" to the *right person*. For us, we give thanks to our Heavenly Father for what he has done for us in Jesus Christ. We give thanks because we have been redeemed and forgiven by Jesus himself. I pray that you spend time this month intentionally speaking to our Heavenly Father about all that he has done for you to support you in your body and life.

King David writes this:

*"I give you thanks, O LORD,
With my whole heart;
Before the gods I sing your praise;
I bow down toward your holy temple
And give thanks to your name for
Your steadfast love and your
Faithfulness, for you have exalted above all things
Your name and your word.
On the day I called, you answered me;
My strength of soul you increased." Psalm 138:1-3*

Together we join with King David to return thanks to our gracious God for all that he has done for us: giving us his grace, the promise of eternal life, and being incorporated into the community of faith. Please join us as this community of faith over our weekend worship services and for our Thanksgiving Eve & Day services: November 27th 6:00 P.M., and November 28th at 9:00 A.M. See you there!

Gratefully Yours,
Pastor Noah Kegley

PRACTICE SCHEDULES

- **Handbells – Wednesday 7:15am**
- **JV Boys Basketball**
Monday and Wednesday 3:30-5:00pm
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Monday 5-6:30pm and Thursday 3:15-5:00pm
- **Varsity Boys Basketball**
Tuesday and Friday 3:30-5:00pm
- **Varsity Girls Basketball**
Tuesday and Thursday 5-6:30pm

SINGING SCHEDULE

November 16	4-5 Choir 5:00pm
November 24	2-3 Choir 8:00am
December 11	Grades 1-8 Christmas/Advent Service 10:00am & 6:00pm
December 18	3K, 4K & Kindergarten Christmas/Advent Service 10:00am & 6:00pm



SPORTS SCHEDULE

November 22 & 23	St. Paul's Holiday Classic Basketball Tournament St. Paul's first game on Friday at 7:30pm
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November 20	Martin Luther Jazz Lab & Troubadours here 1:45pm
November 22-23	Girls Basketball Tournament
November 27-29	Thanksgiving Break – NO SCHOOL
November 27	Thanksgiving Worship 6:00pm
November 28	Thanksgiving Worship 9:00am
December 11	Christmas Service Grades 1-8 10am & 6pm
December 14	Cookie Walk 9-11:00am
December 18	Christmas Service 3K, 4K & 5K 10am & 6pm
December 19	Christmas Store

