



# **School Mission Statement:**

Using God's Word as our guide, St. Paul Lutheran School will raise up future generations of Christians in our community by assisting parents in the Christian teaching of their children and by striving for excellence in all areas of instruction.

Worship Schedule: Join us for worship at St. Paul! Services are on Sundays at 8am & 10:30am, and Mondays at 6pm. "I rejoiced with those who said to me, 'Let us go to the house of the LORD.'" (Ps. 122:1)

<u>2024 Tuition TAX Info & Report Cards</u>: Forms will be sent home today with your youngest student at St. Paul, reflecting what you've paid in 2024 for tuition. Report cards will be sent home with each student today.

<u>Call Updates</u>: Mrs. Alyssa Wascher, our 1st grade teacher, received a divine call to teach kindergarten at Cross of Life Lutheran School in Pflugerville, Texas. Please keep Mrs. Wascher and her family in your prayers as she deliberates the calls to Cross of Life and to St. Paul. Please reach out to her with your words of encouragement and support (awascher@stpaulappletonwi.com/262-364-9258).

<u>PTO Meeting</u>: Save the Date - our next PTO meeting will be held on March 4 starting at 6:30PM in a conference room at <u>The Bar-Lynndale</u>. Please join us as we reflect on the events that were planned at our previous meeting, discuss the final activities planned for this school year, and plan for the beginning of the 2025-2026 school year's activities.

We are thrilled to invite you to Grandparents' Day on Wednesday, February 12th! This special day is a chance for grandparents to spend time with their grandchildren and see the wonderful things happening at St. Paul. We are changing the format and time of our event, so please take note of the schedule below and invite the Grandparents! Please RSVP with this LINK or let your child's teacher know how many grandparents to expect by NEXT FRIDAY 1/24.

# **Chapel Service**

- 8:10 AM 8:40 AM | St. Paul Sanctuary
  - o K-8 students will open the service with "Rejoice!"
  - o ECC students will end with their music.
  - Grandparents with children in both ECC and LES are encouraged to visit ECC first.

# **ECC Breakfast & Classroom Visits**

- **8:45 AM 10:00 AM** | Church Basement & Classrooms
  - o Enjoy breakfast with your ECC grandchildren and visit their classrooms.

# **LES Refreshments & Classroom Visits**

- **8:45 AM 10:00 AM** | Lunchroom/Gym & Classrooms
  - o Refreshments will be available in the lunchroom/gym.
  - o Visit classrooms to join in games, crafts, or observe the regular routine.

Due to the anticipated large number of cars for this event, please consider **carpooling**. For those who are physically able, we encourage parking in the nearby **parking garage** or along the **street** to help ease congestion. We look forward to making this a memorable day for our students and their grandparents. If you have any questions, please contact the school office.

<u>Your Input is Requested</u>: There were some significant changes made in 2024 for the Advent worship season and Children's Christmas services. Please complete the following worship survey by 1/17/25: <u>School Survey</u> Thank you!

Future Falcon Cheer Camp: There will be a Cheer Camp held in the St. Paul gym for girls in  $3k - 3^{rd}$  Grade on Saturday, Feb.  $1^{st}$  from 9am - 11am. Parents are invited to come back to watch the showcase at 10:45am. Please wear non-slippery athletic shorts or pants, tennis shoes, and Future Falcon shirt\*. Come with hair tied back in a soft elastic, and no jewelry or gum is allowed. Bring your water bottle! No registration necessary.

\*If you would like to purchase a Future Falcon shirt, you may do so for \$12. Sizes are limited – check with Mrs. Wascher if you have questions. If you don't have a shirt, just wear your St. Paul t-shirt.

<u>Annie Jr.:</u> Information was sent home last week regarding Annie Jr. auditions for grades 5-8. Auditions are this week Tuesday through Thursday from 3:15-4:30. Auditions on Tuesday and Thursday will be held in the school learning center and Wednesday's auditions will be held in the Conference Room (right outside the ECC basement entrance). Students who are awaiting their audition may sit in the hallway outside the room and work on homework or read a book.

Please click the LINK to sign your child up for an audition time slot. The red note should be returned to your child's teacher by this Friday, January 17th.

### **Athletic News:**

Stay up to date with all games and practices here on the all ministries' calendar linked here: https://www.stpaulappletonwi.com/calendars/monthly-church-school-calendar

There have been quite a few basketball/cheer schedule changes so please make sure to note them and watch the calendar! **January 24th is a HOME GAME vs ST. PETER APPLETON!** We need volunteers for that game as well! Everything on the calendar and sign up genius is current and up to date!

**FRIDAY: HOME BASKETBALL GAMES vs. Riverview Lutheran.** We still need quite a few spots filled for the volunteer positions for Friday. Please check out the volunteer sign-up linked below to see where you can help out.

**WINTER SPORTS VOLUNTEER SIGN UP:** <u>Linked Here!</u> -Please reach out to Mrs. Pautz with any questions regarding volunteer hours or training on scorebook/scoreboard.

### **Upcoming Events**

1/20 Fang's Reading Challenge Begins

1/22 @ 8:10am School Chapel

1/23 @ 4pm VEX Competition at St. Paul

1/26 @ 8am Grades 1-3 Sing

1/28 @ 3:30 – 5:30 Kindergarten Open House

2/1 @ 9am Future Falcon Cheer Camp  $3k - 3^{rd}$  Grade

2/2 @ 2pm FVL Musicfest

2/3 School Choice Application Window Opens