

School Mission Statement:

TOGETHER, we partner with families to nurture children for Christian lives of service and for eternity.

<u>Join Us for Worship!</u> Sunday services are at 8am & 10:30am with Sunday School and Bible Class in between. Monday service is at 6pm. All are welcome! "I rejoiced with those who said to me, 'Let us go to the house of the LORD.'" (Psalm 122:1)

<u>Vision Screenings:</u> Thank you to the local Lions Club for coming in yesterday to do vision screenings for our students. Your child will receive a hard copy of their results today. Please note any special instructions stapled to their sheet. We did have a few children that tested 'out of range', who they are referring to an eye doctor for further examination.

<u>Chapel. Coffee. Connections</u>: Our first event will be on **Friday, Oct. 17.** Chapel begins at 8:05 a.m., followed by coffee for our **1st and 7th grade families.** Come connect in God's Word, with fellow parents, and with our pastors and principal.

<u>Fall Festival THIS SUNDAY (10/19)!</u> Everyone is invited to Fall Festival! Come for food and fellowship – there will be a roast beef dinner (hot dog meals for the kiddos), raffles, soup sale, and more! Tickets on sale at the door for dinner (\$12 adults, \$5 kids) and raffle (\$2 each). Doors open at 11am – see you there!



<u>Wisconsin Lutheran Seminary Choir</u> will be leading our worship at St. Paul on Sunday, October 26th. There will be <u>ONE</u> <u>service</u> that weekend – Sunday at 10:30. There will not be 8am (Sun.) or 6pm (Mon.) services. Please also spread the word that this service will be broadcast on WNAM 1280 live at 10:30am (no 8am radio broadcast). We hope you can join us!

<u>Teacher News:</u> Mrs. Dina Dietzler, our 3rd grade teacher, informed us that she will resign at the end of this school year. Mrs. Dietzler will be working as a writer for our new Bible curriculum that is currently being developed for our early childhood centers, grade schools, and high schools. The LES Board will be meeting soon to discuss replacing this position for the 2026-2027 school year. We plan to issue a divine call for this position on October 28.

<u>The parking lot will be under construction</u> October 27-31. This corresponds with our Teachers Conference week so drop off and pick up for the school will only be impacted October 27-29. Since the parking lot will be inaccessible for October 27-29, we will utilize the Harris Street Entrance for our school building for drop off and pick up purposes.

Drop Off: 7:20-7:55AM

Please use Harris Street for drive through and drop off purposes only. There will be no parking available on Harris Street near our school building. This means that you will pull up to the entrance and let your child out of your car to enter the building. **The traffic flow pattern will go eastward along Harris Street, so please utilize Appleton Street for your entrance to Harris Street.** Please be as timely as possible when dropping off your child. If you do need to come into the building to drop off your child, utilize the 2 hour parking on the east side of Durkee Street or the 2 hour parking on Harris Street to the east of our campus. MAP

Pick Up 3:10-3:45PM

Please use Harris Street for drive through and pick up purposes only. There will be no parking available on Harris Street near our school building. This means that you will pull up along Harris Street and faculty and staff will help bring the children to you for pick up. The traffic flow pattern will go eastward along Harris Street, so please utilize Appleton Street for your entrance to Harris Street. Please be as timely as possible when picking up your child. It would be best if you could stagger your pick up throughout the pick up time to alleviate traffic congestion. This means that not everyone needs to pick up at 3:10PM. We have extended the pick up time so that we have extra time for children to be picked up from school. If you do need to come into the building to pick off your child, utilize the 2 hour parking on the east side of Durkee Street or the 2 hour parking on Harris Street to the east of our campus.

LES Board Meeting & Open Forum: Reminder that our LES Board meetings begin with an open forum for school families to bring any concerns to the board. The next opportunity will be Monday November 10th @ 6:30pm.

Parent/Teacher Conferences will be held after school November 3-12 based on teacher availability. It is highly recommended that you schedule a day and time to meet with your child(ren)'s teacher(s). This will give you and the teacher(s) the opportunity to discuss how the school year is going and strengthen the partnership we have in training Jesus' little lambs for Life and Eternity! Please follow the links below to schedule your Parent/Teacher Conferences. If the days/times do not work for your family, please reach out to the teacher to discuss an alternative opportunity for a meeting together. If you would like to meet with Pastor Holtz, Pastor Shrum, Mrs. Ivan, or Mr. Kelley, please individually reach out to them to schedule a meeting. May the LORD bless your meetings together! As a reminder, you do not need to wait for us to initiate a meeting to discuss your child(ren)'s progress. You can reach out to your teacher(s) at any time to set up a meeting. If you have any questions, please let us know. Click your teacher's link below to register for a Parent/Teacher Conference: Kindergarten: Stacy Shrum, First Grade: Alyssa Wascher, 2nd Grade: Alyssa Kelley, 3rd Grade: Dina Dietzler, 4th Grade: Jason Dutcher, 5th Grade: Mike Schulz, 6th Grade: Matthew Ivan, 7th Grade: Jewel Pautz, 8th Grade: Naomi Leyrer & Guided Studies: Kirsten Schwerin

Stephanie Ivan

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<u>Police Lights of Christmas</u>: The Penny War is in full swing until October 24! We are raising money to buy gift cards for Police Lights of Christmas. Please note that there will be NO snack collection this year. No cash? No problem! Scan this Venmo code and fill in the 'what's this for?' box with the grade you'd like to give positive points.

<u>Future Falcons Volleyball Camp:</u> The first camp date is November 8. No separate registration needed for the event—families should have already completed that when they ordered shirts. Students are still welcome to attend even if they didn't register.

Shirts have been ordered and should arrive soon. Please drop off \$10 shirt payment to Mrs. Wascher or the office if you haven't already done so (shirts won't be handed out until payment is received). More details click <u>HERE</u>.

<u>Athletic News:</u> Please check the <u>school calendar</u> for any practice and game information. Please reach out to Mrs. Pautz (jpautz@stpaulappletonwi.com) if you have any questions regarding St. Paul Athletics. Thank you!

Upcoming Events:

- 10/15 Math Bowl Practice (3:30 4:30)
- 10/17 Chapel. Coffee. Connections.
- 10/19 Fall Festival
- 10/20 8th Grade Welcome Night @FVL 5pm
- 10/21 End of 1st Quarter
- 10/22 Math Bowl Practice (3:30 4:30)
- 10/27 10/31 Parking Lot Closed
- 10/29 Math Bowl Practice (3:30 4:30)
- 10/30-31 No School
- 11/3-12 Parent/Teacher Conferences
- 11/10 @ 6:30pm LES Open Forum & Board Meeting
- 11/13 @ 10:15am Veteran's Day Service
- 11/13 11:30am Dismissal
- 11/14 No School
- 11/25 Appleton Christmas Parade
- 11/26-28 No School Thanksgiving Break