

<u>School Mission Statement:</u>
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 Times: St. Paul Lutheran Church worship services are on Sundays at 8am & 10:30am, and Mondays at 6pm. Join us on Sundays at 9:15 for Sunday School and Adult Bible Study at 9:20 in the church basement.

Chapel Service Tomorrow: Join us tomorrow at 8:05am for chapel as we focus on the theme 'God is for us'. This will be the final offering collected for the MLC Daylight Mission Trips.

Parent/Teacher Conferences: Parent/Teacher Conferences are scheduled for November 4-6. Please follow the directions below to schedule a time to visit with your child's teacher. If you have any questions, please let your teacher know. Your school is using PTCFast.com to make signups as convenient as possible this year. Please click or enter the following web address into your browser window: https://ptcfast.com/schools/St_Paul_Lutheran_School_1 If you do not have internet access, please contact the office at 920-733-9061.

Box Top Update: Congratulations to 6th and 3rd grade for collecting the most box tops! Your ice cream party will be coordinated with your teachers. Thank you to everyone for participating! We have just under 4600 Box Tops Collected. Please send any that expire 11/1/2019 to school by tomorrow, 10/23/2019. Don't forget about the 'Buy, Scan, Earn' boxtops program (Click HERE for more info) – if you are not comfortable downloading the app to do this, you may drop your receipts in the 'Box Tops' drawer near the lost and found and Mrs. Jelinek will scan them for you. Thank you all for your participation!

St. Paul Family Skate Night – TONIGHT! Our Fall Skate Night is scheduled for today, Tuesday, October 22nd from 5pm - 7:30pm. All are invited! Admission is \$6 per person, which includes skate rental. Non-skaters are free. Please note that this is a family event and ALL CHILDREN must be accompanied by a responsible adult. The PTO will be providing pizzas. Soda, popcorn, etc. will be available for purchase from the rink. Come and join the fun!

Pizzas for Plays - How Many Pizzas Have You Sold? Take advantage of the long weekend ahead and add some orders to your pizza form! Remember that all proceeds will go toward the St. Paul Theater Program. Additional order forms are available in the office. Please plan to help assemble pizzas on Sunday, November 17th. We will need MANY volunteers to join with Pizza Pros as we assemble all the pizzas that are sold. This will take place from noon until approximately 5pm, or until we are finished fulfilling the orders. If you are unable to assemble, please make time to come that afternoon and pick up your orders. We will not have refrigerator / freezer space for pizzas. Additional order forms will be available in the office. Thank you for supporting the SPL theater program!

Falcon Athletic Updates

A-team Volleyball: Congratulations to our A-team volleyball girls for taking 3rd place in this past weekend's FVWAL tournament. The season continues for one more week with the team competing at the Lutheran Sports Assoc. (LSA) state tournament in the Milwaukee area this weekend! Friday's pool play matches are at 5:00, 6:45, & 9:00pm & will be located at St. Paul in Grafton. Check the LSA link for pool play and bracket updates: https://www.lsawi.org/volleyball/friday-poolplay/ Saturday & Sunday's bracket play will be held at Milwaukee Lutheran High School. Continue to check our facebook page for updates as well. Go Falcons!

Basketball Reminders: Basketball players should have brought home a copy of the season-intro letter as well as a flyer for the Brian Butch skills camp on November 1st. An electronic copy can be found HERE. Dates are going up rapidly on the online calendar for games & practices at all levels. Everything should be set to go by the end of this week. Parents can also expect an email from their child's coach in the days ahead. Excited to get the season underway! Cheer updates: Girls in grades 5-8 who plan to participate in cheer this year will be receiving an email message from Coach Wert soon. As with basketball, practice dates should be set to go via the online calendar by the end of this week.

FVL Math Bowl Practice: Those planning on participating in the FVL math bowls will have practice after school from 3:30-4:30 on Wednesday, October 30th to prepare for the FVL meet. Team members should meet in Mr. Hoffman's room after school. Any questions should be directed to Mrs. Kelley or Mr. Hoffman.

Falcon Apparel Online Store – NOW OPEN! You will find the link here: https://stpaulfall2019.itemorder.com/sale All orders must be submitted by Friday, November 15th to ensure delivery by Christmas. The store will close at midnight on 11/15. All St. Paul orders will be picked up together once they are ready and brought to the school. You will be notified when they are available for pick up in the office.

<u>Veteran's Day Program:</u> Once again, St. Paul will be hosting a Veteran's Day Program on Thursday, Nov. 7th, beginning at 10am. All are invited to attend – especially our service men and women. We will need volunteers to assist with decorating the gym as well as serving and cleaning up the meal. If you are able to help, please sign up in the office. Also, we are asking that families of students in the ODD grades (1,3,5,7) bring in a dessert donation the morning of 11/7 for the luncheon. Questions may be directed to Mr. Rehberger.

Appleton Christmas Parade: All St. Paul School and ECC students are invited to participate in this year's Appleton Christmas Parade! Our school will once again be sponsoring a float. If you are new to our school or haven't participated in the past, like previous years we will be a "live nativity", with our younger students riding on the float dressed as stable animals and our older students walking before or after the float dressed as angels, wise men, and shepherds. Joseph and Mary will also be on the float under our stable.

The parade will be on the evening of Tuesday, November 26th. All costumes will be provided. If your child/children would like to participate, please e-mail their name and grade to Anne McCray at the4mccrays@gmail.com or call her (920-843-3235) no later than Tuesday, November 19th. Costumes will be handed out after school on 11/21-22. Any questions . . please ask!

Police Lights of Christmas – Culver's Day TOMORROW 10/23! St. Paul School has been chosen to partner with the 'Police Lights of Christmas' program this year. This program raises funds that allow police officers to hand out gift cards during the Christmas season to those in need. Their program coordinator will be purchasing scrip cards through St. Paul, allowing us the rebate percentage to benefit our scrip/tuition assistance program. The more money the program raises, the more they can purchase in scrip cards. One of the best ways that our school/church families can get involved is on Culver's Day 10/23/19. All of the area Culver's donate 10% of the sales from the whole day (15 locations in NE Wisconsin). The more people that get out to Culver's that day – the more money the coordinator will need to turn into gift cards!! Last year Culver's Day alone brought in just over \$20,000 for the program. Please add this day to your calendar and consider participating. Note this is not St. Paul Night at Culver's, but we would like to assist the 'Police Lights of Christmas' program by urging our families to participate in Culver's day on 10/23 because again, the more money they raise, the more scrip cards they may purchase from St. Paul and benefit our whole community. And who doesn't love a good Culver's meal?! (Remember to purchase your Culver's scrip in the office before you go!)

Have you ever wondered what a student with dyslexia experiences? If you answered yes, then you must come to this event at St. Matthew Lutheran Church on October 30 6:00-8:00 PM (see flyer). This will be an interactive evening with different stations to simulate what a student with dyslexia sees, hears, reads, and even writes. If you suspect your student may have dyslexia, don't miss this event. Your evening will be eye-opening, you will get your questions answered, and you will learn how to support your student. If you are an adult, parent, teacher, friend, or family member, you are welcome to this event. You will walk away with something valuable, no matter your background. Please note - this event is intended for adults only. This event is provided by Dyslexia Reading Connections and Bright Young Dyslexics.

Upcoming Events:

10/22 Skate Night @ Skate City, Kimberly 10/23 School Devotion at 8:05am 10/23 Culver's Day for Police Lights of Christmas 10/24-25 No School – State Teachers' Conferences 10/28 8th Grade Welcome Night @FVL 11/1 FREE Brian Butch Skills Clinic Grades 3-8 11/3 Jr. Choir sings at church 10:30 service 11/4-6 Parent/Teacher Conferences 11/7 Veteran's Day Service / 11am dismissal

11/7 Gr. 5-6 Math Bowl @ FVL 11/8 No School 11/11 @ 6:30pm Board of Ed Meeting 11/12 Gr. 7-8 Math Bowl @ FVL 11/13 School Devotion at 8:05am 11/14 @ 6pm PTO Meeting 11/26 Appleton Christmas Parade 11/27-29 No School – Thanksgiving Break