



ST. PAUL

LUTHERAN MINISTRIES



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.'"* (Psalm 122:1)

St. Paul Skate Night TONIGHT! Join the fun at Skate City in Kimberly (708 S Railroad St, Kimberly) on October 22nd, from 6pm – 8pm. Cost is \$8 per skater; St. Paul PTO will be providing pizzas. Please note this is not a drop off event, all children must be accompanied by a responsible adult.

Vision Screenings: 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 the special instructions stapled to their sheet. We did have a handful of children who they are referring to an eye doctor for further examination.

End of 1st Quarter: Wednesday (10/23) is the end of our 1st quarter. Grade reports will be distributed to parents next Tuesday (10/29) at the end of the school day. If you have any questions, please contact your child's teacher(s).

NO SCHOOL: The teachers will be attending the Wisconsin Lutheran State Teachers Conference on Thursday and Friday this week. There will be no school on Thursday (10/24) and Friday (10/25). Please enjoy your extended weekend.

The FVL Cheer and Stunt Team is hosting a **Daddy/Daughter Dance** at FVL on Saturday, November 2 from 1:30-4:30 PM. Information and registration link are at fvlhs.org/news.



Veterans Day Service: St. Paul Lutheran School will be hosting a Veterans Day Service on Thursday, November 7th, beginning at 10:00AM. All are invited to attend – especially our service men and women. The students will be celebrating veterans and our country with songs and speeches. Our guest speaker is Mr. Brad Price, President of Lutheran Military Support Group. The Armed Forces Salute

will be played at which time all veterans and current service members will be recognized. A light lunch will be served following the program for our veterans and their families. ***All St. Paul students will be dismissed at 11:30AM.*** Please join us for this Christ-centered event!

Veterans Day Desserts: We are asking for dessert donations from families with students in the ODD grades for the Veteran's Day event (1, 3, 5, 7). Bars, pies, and tortes always go over best. Desserts may be dropped off in the school kitchen the morning of 11/7. Don't worry, even grades will get a turn later in the year...! Thank you for helping to make our Veterans Day luncheon a success!

Police Lights of Christmas: St. Paul is again teaming up with Police Lights of Christmas to fill 1,000 backpacks for local officers to give out to children in need in our community. These backpacks are filled with our donated prepackaged snacks and necessities. Please consider contributing to this worthy cause. Pre-packaged items to donate are boxes/bags of individually wrapped snacks. No items that require microwave or oven prepping, and NO CANDY. Some ideas include: Chips, Crackers, Cookies, Granola bars, Applesauce, & Fruit Snacks. Your child can bring the items to their classroom from October 21st through November 6th. This collection is a friendly classroom competition – the classroom with the most donations



will receive a pizza party and the second and third place classrooms will get ice cream treats, compliments of the St. Paul PTO. Let the games begin! [FLYER](#)

Call News: Miss Sara Mears graduated from Wisconsin Lutheran College and was issued a 1-year provisional call to serve as 4th grade teacher at St. Paul this school year. She recently got engaged to a senior at Wisconsin Lutheran Seminary who will be assigned to a parish next Spring. In view of this, the voters of St. Paul Lutheran Church issued a divine call to **Miss Megan Bauer** to serve as 4th grade homeroom teacher and to assist church worship services with organ and piano beginning July 1, 2025. Miss Bauer currently serves at St. John Lutheran School in Wauwatosa, WI. Please keep her in your prayers as she deliberates where she can best serve Jesus and His people. Her contact information is megan.bauer@sjtosa.org and 262-880-4730.

Members of the FVL Schools Executive Committee met to discuss the list of candidates, provided by the Commission for Lutheran Schools, for the Executive Director role and the Director of Curriculum, Instruction, and Assessment role. In a unanimous vote, the committee issued the Call to **Mr. Phil Punzel** to serve as Executive Director. Mr. Punzel currently serves as Principal of Luther High School in Onalaska, WI. Also, in a unanimous vote, the committee issued the Call to Dr. Kari Muentz to serve as Director of Curriculum, Instruction, and Assessment (CI&A). Dr. Muentz currently serves as a professor at Martin Luther College. Please pray for Mr. Punzel and Dr. Muentz as they now deliberate their two Calls.

Parent/Teacher Conferences will be held October 28 - November 6 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](#) 1st: [Alyssa Wascher](#) 2nd: [Alyssa Kelley](#) 3rd: [Dina Dietzler](#) 4th: [Sara Mears](#) 5th: [Mike Schulz](#) 6th: [Matthew Ivan](#) 7th: [Jewel Pautz](#) 8th: [Naomi Leyrer](#) Guided Studies: [Kirsten Schwerin](#)

Athletic News:

MARK YOUR CALENDARS: Winter Sports parent meeting will take place after school on October 28th in the school lunch room.

Please review the **Athletic Handbook** with your athlete before the parent meeting. If your athlete did not participate in a fall sports program, they need to **turn in their athletic agreement** to the office before their first practice.

The calendar will change with some games/times so be aware of that as we head into the cheer and basketball season.

Go Falcons!

Upcoming Events:

10/22 PTO Skate Night
10/23 @ 8:10am Chapel Service
10/23 End of 1st Quarter
10/24-25 No School – Teacher's Conf.
10/28-11/6 Parent/Teacher Conferences
11/4 & 11/14 8th Grade Scheduling Nights @FVL
11/7 @ 10am Veterans Day Service
11/7 @ 11:30am Dismissal
11/7 Gr. 5-6 Math Bowl at FVL

11/8 No School
11/12 Gr. 7-8 Math Bowl at FVL
11/13 @ 8:10am Chapel Service
11/26 @ 8:10am Chapel Service
11/26 Appleton Christmas Parade
11/27 – 11/29 No School: Happy Thanksgiving!