



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 Services at St. Paul Lutheran Church: Please join us for worship! Services are Sunday mornings at 8:00, 9:15, and 10:30. Monday evenings are at 6:00pm. Due to the governor's mask mandate, face coverings are required at all services, with the exception of those with medical reasons preventing them from wearing one. *"I rejoiced with those who said to me, 'Let us go to the house of the LORD.'"* (Psalm 122:1)

Chapel Service Tomorrow: Our school will come together for a socially distanced chapel service tomorrow morning at 8:10. The theme for the week is 'Run to Christ...when chased by fear'. Offerings may be brought in to benefit our first semester mission project, Costa Maya Ministries in Mexico.

No School: Reminder that there is no school this week Thursday or Friday 10/29-30. Enjoy the long weekend with your family!

Box Tops Challenge – THANK YOU! The results for the Box Tops Challenge are in! It was a close race for 1st and 2nd place. 3rd grade took 2nd Place and 7th Grade took 1st Place by only 32 box tops and will be awarded an ice cream party. 521 box tops were collected by everyone. You can continue to scan receipts and clip and turn in box tops. The funds collected will go toward our PTO account, which benefits all of our students directly.

Kids Only – Cancelled: Sadly, as with so many other large gatherings and events during these uncertain times, we will be unable to hold our annual "Kids Only" shopping event. With the large number of children shopping and vast number of volunteers needed to hold this event there is surely no way to social distance or ensure everyone's safety. The St. Paul Women's Ministry is looking forward to offering it again next year!



Police Lights of Christmas: St. Paul Lutheran Ministries is once again partnering with Q90 FM and our local police, fire, and rescue departments to help those in need over this Christmas season. There are many individuals right here in our neighborhood that are homeless or are having trouble making ends meet that we'd like to help, but how can we find them? No one knows this better than our emergency services departments. We are teaming up with them so they may give out food, clothing, and other necessities to these people when they need it most. Last year, over 750 backpacks filled with necessities were

prepared for hand out, as well as \$75,000 worth of gift cards. St. Paul Lutheran Church, School, and ECC will be a drop off location this year. We will be collecting men's deodorants, body washes, and individually packaged snacks (oatmeal, fruit snacks, chips, etc.) in bins located in the church basement, ECC lobby, and near the Harris Street entrance of the school beginning Sunday, 10/25. The school drop off tote will be located just outside the doors on Harris Street, and available to both school families and the public to drop off items from 8am – 3pm. Monetary donations may be given through Community First Credit Union, or can be dropped off in the school office (cash or checks made payable to 'Lights of Christmas'). Donations will be accepted now through November 23rd. To learn more about this program, check out this link: <https://lightsofchristmas.us/the-vision>.

Falcon Wear Ordering Available: If you missed out on the recent Falcon Wear order through Fox Cities Embroidery, we have good news for you. They have opened up the School Store for us until **November 8**. Please follow this [LINK](#) to place your holiday shopping order. Orders will be delivered to school for pick up in the office. If you have questions, please contact Fox Cities Embroidery.

Veteran's Day Program: Veterans' Day is coming up! This year the school is having a **virtual** Veterans' Day program on November 12th with a 12:30 dismissal for the children. The pre-recorded program will be uploaded to our Ministries facebook page, as well as our website (stpaulappletonwi.com) on 11/12. Please share this info with your family and friends!

The school children will be making pictures or writing short letters for veterans. Do you know of any veterans that would enjoy getting an envelope of appreciation from the kids? If you do, please let the office know (office@stpaulappletonwi.com, call 733-9061 or stop in! The envelopes can be **picked up** from school that week.

Hot Lunch Program: St. Paul did receive funding for free hot lunches from the beginning of the school year. You should see a reimbursement in your hot lunch account if you paid for hot lunches in August and the beginning of September. If you have any questions, please contact the office.

As you may have seen, President Trump has extended the free lunch program through the National School Lunch Program for the remainder of the 2020-2021 school year or until funding is depleted. The current program ends December 31st. We will provide more information when we receive confirmation that we have been granted this extension.

As a reminder, if your child is absent, and you would like to order a free lunch, please let the office know when you call prior to 8:00AM.

Parent/Teacher Conferences: Parent/Teacher conferences will be held at the end of October and beginning of November so that we can spread the appointments out and offer both in person and virtual conference options. Please follow this [LINK](#) to schedule a conference with your child's teacher. The teachers will reach out to you to confirm your appointment and whether it will be in person or virtual. If you have any questions, please contact your child's teacher.

Cheer coach(es) needed: In (hopeful) anticipation of the upcoming basketball season, St. Paul is in search of a head coach (or coaches) for our 5th-8th grade cheer squad. If you are interested, please contact Mr. Stelter (tstelter@stpaulappletonwi.com).

Upcoming Events:

10/28 End of 1st Quarter
10/28 @ 8:10AM School Devotion
10/29-30 No School – Teachers' Conference
11/3 Report Cards Distributed
11/9 @ 6:30PM LES Board
11/10 4:30-6:30pm 8th Gr. Scheduling Night at FVL
11/11 @ 8:10AM Chapel Service
11/12 12:30pm Dismissal
11/13 No School
11/16 4:30-6:30pm 8th Gr. Scheduling Night at FVL
11/25 – 11/27 No School – Happy Thanksgiving!

