

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 on Sundays at 8am or 10:30am, or on Mondays at 6pm. "I rejoiced with those who said to me, 'Let us go to the house of the LORD.'" (Psalm 122:1)

Upcoming Midweek Worship Opportunities:

Midweek Advent Special services: This week Wednesday at 3:45pm and 6:00pm, with a fellowship meal served between (from 4:30pm – 6pm). Grades 5 & 6 sing during this week's 3:45pm Advent Service.



Call News:

Mrs. Alicia Evers has returned the call to serve as 1st grade teacher at St. Paul Lutheran School. There is a voter's meeting scheduled for this Sunday to issue another divine call for a teacher for our 1st grade classroom. It is great to know that the LORD already knows who will teach His little lambs in our 1st grade classroom!

Mr. Tommy Stelter has returned the call to serve as teacher at Garden Homes Lutheran School in Milwaukee. This means that Mr. Stelter will continue to serve at St. Paul Lutheran School. Please keep Garden Homes in your prayers as they fill the need for a teacher at their school.

Christmas Food Pantry Collection: We are collecting food for the Apple Valley Food pantry as our Christmas gifts to those in need. The following list from the pantry will indicate what your child's class is collecting:

K: Toothbrushes, applesauce and fruit in individual cups

- 1: Boxed meals (hamburger, chicken or tuna helpers) and regular pudding and jello (we have plenty of sugar free at this time)
- 2: Cookies and small plastic jars of applesauce (24 oz. size)
- 3: Peanut butter and jelly/jam
- 4: Condensed tomato and chicken noodle soups, cheese flavored crackers (we have plenty of saltines)
- 5: Cereal, preferably the healthier ones (Cheerio type, Rice Crispy and Chex type, Special K, Total, etc.)
- 6: Personal care products (deodorants, lotions, body washes, men's 2-in-1 products)
- 7: Cleaners & Paper Products (toilet bowl, kitchen/bath cleaner, bath tissue, facial tissue, paper towel)
- tomatoes and tomato sauce

*Please note: The Pantry is unable to distribute expired, dented or partially used food.

8: Canned meats (canned chicken, tuna, ham, spam) and canned tomato paste, diced ECC: Baby items (diapers, wipes, shampoo, lotion, formula)



Kids Only 2021: "Kids Only" is on Saturday, December 11th from 1:00 till 3:30 in the school gym (Women's Ministry will also be holding a bake sale at this time). All kids from St. Paul School, ECC and church, ages four - eighth grade are welcome to come do some Christmas shopping for the special people on their list. Just one dollar per item, with a maximum of 12 gifts per child. Gift wrapping is included. This entire event is supported by donations. All proceeds will go to St. Paul School to help offset costs for the new whiteboards in each classroom. Volunteers will be available to assist young shoppers since parents are asked to wait outside the

shopping area. We are in need of boys, girls, teens and men's gift items, and Christmas gift bags. Donation can be brought to the school office or put in the Kids Only box in the church basement. Donations can also be brought to the school gym the morning of Saturday, December 11th from 10:00 until 11:30. We have quite sufficient wrapping paper, tissue paper, bows and tape. If you did not sign up to volunteer and would still like to help, we will be at school from 10:00 until 4:00. High Schoolers... this is a great opportunity to get some of those volunteer hours. Feel free to contact Jacki Sievert (851-9436) or Sheryl Wert (858-6553) with any questions.

Falcon Basketball & Cheerleading Returns!

After almost two years, it was exciting to see our Falcon teams back in action this past Friday night as we hosted the Lions of St. Mark. It was an exciting atmosphere for all teams, fans, and cheer squads to be a part of. All teams on the court gained valuable experience and are excited to continue to learn & grow in their individual & team skills as the year progresses. Results are below: B-girls (4-38 L). A-girls (16-37 L), B-Boys (13-14 L), A-boys (39-34 W). Our Falcons take the court again this Friday, 12/10 at St. Peter, Freedom. B-girls start things out at 4:15pm. Let's go Falcons!



Order of games

We apologize for the confusion regarding game times on Friday. Until further notice, the order of Friday night BB games will follow this schedule:

B-Girls (4:15); A-Girls (5:15); B-Boys (6:15); A-Boys (7:15). All changes have been updated on the online calendar.

Volunteer Opportunities

There are still plenty of slots available for our home game volunteer schedule. The next scheduled home game is Friday, 1/7. Thanks for your valuable assistance in these areas! If you have any questions about what each slot entails, please contact Mr. Stelter.

https://www.signupgenius.com/go/8050848afae29a5fa7-splbasketball

St. Paul Night @ FVLHS

St. Paul night at FVL is scheduled for THIS Thursday, 12/9 as the Foxes take on the Truckers of Clintonville. JV1&2 start at 5:45pm, with the varsity scheduled to tip-off at 7:00pm. Students will be able to use their game pass to get into the game for free. Go Foxes!

PTO NEWS:



PTO Advent meal: PTO will be serving the Advent fellowship meal on 12/15. Volunteers will be needed to serve and clean up. Families of students in EVEN grades (K, 2, 4, 6, & 8) are asked to donate a dessert. Desserts may be brought to the school kitchen that morning.

Upcoming Events:

12/8 Chapel Service @ 8:10am/Advent Services @ 3:45 & 6pm

12/9 St. Paul Night @ FVL BB vs. Clintonville

12/11 Kids Only

12/13 6:30pm LES Board Meeting (Open Forum at the beginning of each meeting)

12/15 Advent Services @ 3:45 & 6pm & PTO Meal 12/22 – 1/4 NO SCHOOL Christmas Break

12/24 @ 1pm & 3pm Children's Services

01/05 School Resumes

