

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)

<u>**DEADLINE THURSDAY 4/21: The Wisconsin Parental Choice Program (WPCP)** offers families the opportunity to have their St. Paul tuition fully funded. The application period for WPCP is open through April 21! Visit this <u>LINK</u> for more information or email Mr. Phil Rehberger (<u>prehberger@stpaulappletonwi.com</u>).</u>

<u>Handwriting Contest:</u> This past winter, the students in grades K-8 participated in the Zaner-Bloser Handwriting Contest. A student from each grade was chosen to represent St. Paul. We were recently notified that Olivia J.'s (4th grader) handwriting is heading to the next level of competition. She received a medal as a National Handwriting Contest Winner! Congratulations Olivia!

<u>From the PTO - Teacher Appreciation (TA) Week:</u> TA week is 5/2 - 5/6. We would like to bring lunch in for our staff on Thursday, 5/5. If you would like to donate toward the meal, please drop cash off in the office by Tuesday, 5/3. Additional details will be in next week's school news.

Mother/Daughter Potluck Banquet - May 10: Women's Ministry would like to invite all Moms and Daughters to come to our potluck dinner on Tuesday, May 10. Make your favorite dish or dessert and join us for fun and fellowship. It will be held in the church basement – reception begins at 5:30pm, dinner at 6pm. The handicap entrance will be available upon request.

FVL Track Meet: Wednesday, May 11th: After a two-year pause, FVLHS is excited to welcome back 5th-8th graders to their annual track meet on Wednesday, May 11th! More information pertaining to specific events will be relayed in the weeks ahead, but I just wanted to get some initial information to you about the schedule of the day and St. Paul's volunteer assignments.

-The sessions will once again be split with 5th & 6th graders beginning at 8:45am, and the 7&8 graders beginning at 1:00pm. Teachers will provide more reminders in their weekly updates, but ALL 5th & 6th graders will need to be dropped off at FVL by 8:20am on 5/11. Teachers will work with parents to line up volunteer drivers to bring students back to school for the remainder of the day once the morning events are completed. Likewise, 7&8 grade teachers will be lining up volunteer drivers to take students from St. Paul to FVL after lunch. ALL 7&8 graders will need to arrange transportation from FVL at the conclusion of the afternoon session.

-Our volunteer assignments & times are all listed in the sign-up genius link below. We don't have too much to cover, but any help with the areas noted on the link are much appreciated! FVL has also indicated that they could use some additional help in other areas, so if you are willing to be there for a majority of the day and could offer some additional assistance, please speak to Mr. Stelter.

https://www.signupgenius.com/go/8050848AFAE29A5FA7-fvltrack

<u>Poster Contest Winners:</u> The following students have won the PTO Salmon Season Poster Contest: Mckinley K., Caleb H., Kody H., Wyatt S., Brynlee J., Edwin N., Hope P., Noelle K., Samuel H., and Elli Z. Please check out their fantastic art work in the school hallways and see below for more information about the PTO Salmon Season Fundraiser!

<u>CALLING ALL SALMON LOVERS!</u> This is your chance to enjoy the freshest salmon available in the Midwest. Our PTO is partnering with Salmon Season (a local small business) that brings flash-frozen sockeye salmon direct from Bristol Bay, Alaska to Wisconsin. Order forms will be coming home with your children this week.

St. Paul Brat Fry, Rummage & Outreach Event: We're excited to share that we're once again going to host a Rummage & Outreach event, complete with a Brat fry. The change? This year we're going to extend the sale TWO days! Dates: Friday & Saturday, June 3 & 4



How can you help?

Donations: You can begin bringing your donations to the back of the stage in the gym starting Friday, May 6. Please, no large appliances or tube TV's. **Please sort your CLEAN donations by category, meaning kids' clothes in one bag/box, men's in another, etc. This will help for easier set up.

Volunteers: We will need volunteers to help sort, price and set up the rummage sale, as well as volunteers to work the brat fry. Please contact Ann Pfefferle at 920-450-5530 or <u>ABPfefferle@gmail.com</u> to volunteer or for any questions.

<u>Call News:</u> The voters of St. Paul Lutheran Ministries have issued a divine call to Mr. Guy Gast to serve as 6th grade homeroom teacher, departmentalized science in the upper grades, and school technology coordinator. Guy Gast currently serves at Immanuel Lutheran School in Manitowoc, WI. Please keep him and his wife Katherine in your prayers as he deliberates the two calls he is now holding- to St. Paul and Immanuel. Please reach out to him via email (<u>ggast@ilutheran.org</u>) or phone (920-684-0876) to offer your support and words of encouragement.

Upcoming Events:

4/21 WPCP Application Window Closes

4/25 7pm Future Freshmen Night @ FVL

4/27 8:10am School Chapel

4/29 1:30pm & 6:30pm Grades K-4 Play performances

5/2 – 5/6 Teacher Appreciation Week

5/9 6:30pm LES Open Forum/Board Meeting

5/11 8:10am School Devotion

5/11 FVL Schools Track Meet at FVL

5/25 School Field Trip day

5/26 6pm closing service & graduation

5/27 8:10am School Devotion

5/27 Last day of school/picnic 12pm dismissal





