

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)

St. Paul Facemasks are IN! Our new Falcon facemasks are IN, and they look great! They will be sold in the office for \$8 each, cash or check made payable to St. Paul (exact change is appreciated!). Please note that these are one size, adjustable masks in three different prints. They'll be sold on a first come, first served basis until they're gone. Get yours today!

Picture Retake Day: Retake Day is scheduled for Tuesday, October 6th, 2020. Anyone who was not photographed on August 27th will have their photo taken this day, along with anyone who would like their photo retaken. If you were not happy with your original package, please have your child bring the photos back to school that morning to give them to the photographer. New packages may be ordered by going to mylifetouch.com and using Picture Day ID: EVTNJWJFD, OR pick up a hard copy order form in the office.

Yearbook Coordinator Needed: If you would like to coordinate our School Yearbook for the 2020-2021 school year, please contact Mr. Kelley or Mrs. Jen Jelinek for additional information.



Retake Day Helper Needed: If you would be available to assist with bringing students down to the gym for picture retakes, please let Mr. Kelley know or stop by the office. We will only need one helper the morning of 10/6 at 9am for approximately an hour.

Virtual Book Fair: The St. Paul Scholastic Book Fair is NOW OPEN! Check out the great assortment of books available for purchase: https://shop.scholastic.com/parent-ecommerce/parentstore-2.html?fairId=4916929 Please note that Scholastic gives back 25% of all purchases during this event to the school in the form of rewards to use for the purchase of classroom books. Our Book Fair purchase window is available through October 11th.

St. Paul Flu Clinic: Adam Huth (Registered Pharmacist with Walgreens) is offering a flu shot clinic in the St. Paul gym on Sunday, Oct. 11th from 8am – 1pm. They are able to bill your insurance for you. *Appointments are required* – to sign up, please follow this link: https://wagsoutreach.com/ss/STP057674. Prior to your appointment, you will need to complete the 'Community Off-Site Administration Record' (LINK) and bring it along. Copies of this form are also available for pick up in the office or back of church.

ONLINE SUNDAY SCHOOL: As we await the reopening of our "in-person Sunday School" on 10/4, we have a great online alternative. Our Wisconsin Synod is offering pre-recorded Sunday School lessons for children Pre-K to Grade 8. Videos are being produced for the first quarter of the Sunday School year, from September 13, through December 6, 2020. The lessons are taught by experienced WELS teachers. When you go to https://online.nph.net/ss-at-home a screen will appear inviting you to choose the grade level(s) you prefer – either PreK-K; or Grades 1-2; or Grades 3-4; or Grades 5-8. Hard copies of the lesson are available by calling the church office, 733-9061. The videos are posted on Fridays and can be accessed at any time after that. They run about 10 minutes, and are intended for children and their parents. Most of us know children who are not hearing God's word and who know little about Jesus and His love. Pass this information on to them and to their parents so as many as possible can take advantage of this FREE opportunity.

St. Paul Sunday School Plans for 2020: We are happy to announce that St. Paul will begin offering in-person Sunday School again, starting Sunday, October 4th. Based on feedback from several families, we have decided to move forward with two options for Sunday School this year. For those who would prefer in-person Sunday School, we have teachers who are happy to share the Word of God with your children every Sunday. For those who prefer online Sunday School, we will provide weekly lesson sheets and a link to an online lesson. We will follow this format for the next few months and then will reevaluate based on interest and on the state of the pandemic.

The online video links will be posted on our Facebook page and on our website www.stpaulappletonwi.com starting October 4th. Student Lesson Guides and Worksheets can be mailed to you.

In-person Sunday School will follow the same regulations as our elementary school, which means masks (except for those 5 and under) and distancing. We will provide more details and guidance to interested families. For now, please e-mail our Sunday School Coordinator, Jay Uhlenbrauck (jayuhl@hotmail.com) or call the church office to let us know which option you plan to take advantage of. Also provide the number of children who will attend. Please reply ASAP. We appreciate a quick response so that we can make plans for classrooms and for materials. We look forward to serving your children and connecting them weekly to their Good Shepherd, who loves each of them dearly!

<u>Confirmed Case of Head Lice:</u> There was a confirmed case of head lice with one of our students over the weekend. For more information about head lice, please follow this <u>LINK</u>. A child may return to school 24 hours after the child has been properly treated.

Box Tops Challenge: The annual Box Tops Challenge is underway! We've had box tops trickling in from many classrooms – keep up the great work! Help earn cash for our school by scanning and/or clipping Box Tops from products you buy anyway. Each Box Top is worth 10 cents and they add up quickly! All funds earned go directly back to our students through the PTO for pizza parties, ice cream socials, field trip funding, etc. This is our largest source of income to be able to provide fun events in our school. Each student will be bringing home a collection sheet this week. Once that one is filled up, you can pick up additional sheets in the office. Each class is competing against each other and the class who collects the most box tops will win an ice cream party! Please consider asking your friends, family, and neighbors to contribute. Bring in your physical box tops by October 23rd. Expired Box Tops may be thrown out and do not count toward class totals.

How to Download Digital Box Tops:

- 1. Download the Box Tops App (iTunes or Google Play)-It's Free!
- 2. Create a user name and connect it to "St. Paul Lutheran School" Appleton, WI
- **3.** Scan your grocery receipt within 14 days of purchase
- **4.** Items with the new Box Tops label will be credited to our school
- ***For online receipts, email a copy to: receipts@boxtops4education.com



FVL Boys Hoops Club: The FVL Boys Hoops Club is now open to boys in grades 3-8. Practices begin Sunday, October 11 and run through early November. Practices will be held in the FVL gymnasium; grades 3-5 will be from 5-6:30 PM, and grades 6-8 will be from 6:30-8 PM. Games begin Saturday, November 7 and run through mid-December. Visit <u>fvlhs.org/youth-sports</u> to learn more and to register! The cost per athlete is \$75. Please note: league dates are subject to change due to COVID-19 restrictions. Questions? Contact Coach Jay Wendland at <u>jwendland@fvlhs.org</u>.

FVL Nothin' But Net: FVL's Nothin' But Net basketball program is open to girls in grades 3-8. Nothin' But Net is the booster club for the FVL girls' basketball program. Practices for the 2020-21 season start October 4. Visit fvlhs.org/youth-sports for more info and practice times. Registration info can be found at fvlhothinbutnet.com. Contact Coach David Schroeder (fvlhothinbutnet@gmail.com or g20-284-4607) with questions.

Upcoming Events:

9/28 – 10/11 Scholastic Virtual Book Fair 10/4 In Person Sunday School Begins 10/6 Picture Retake Day 10/11 Flu Shot Clinic 10/12 6:30PM LES Board Meeting 10/29-30 No School – Teachers' Conference



