

# St. John's Ev. Lutheran School - February 10, 2020

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## NEWSFLASH

**THIS WEEK'S CHRIST LIGHT FOCUS: Old Testament study this year. Set 2**

11A: Judges 6:1-16,25-27,34-40 - God Chooses Gideon to Lead Israel - Why was Gideon able to lead the Israelites?

11B: Judges 7:1-8,15-25 - God Gives Gideon Victory - How did God help Gideon and his army?

*"The Lord is With Me" Psalm 118:6*

### **FEBRUARY PATRIOTS OF THE MONTH**

Our February Patriots of the Month are *Aiden Orzechowski, Grade 8, and Abigail Moor, Grade 2.* Congratulations. Read more about them on the Patriot Board at school.

### **6<sup>th</sup> GRADE KNIGHT FOR A DAY AT LUTHER HIGH – FEB. 10**

LES 6<sup>th</sup> Graders are invited to Luther High for a day. Monday, Feb. 10 - 6 students – 9:30-1:15. Sara Ronnenberg will drive them. Thank you.

### **LUTHER HIGH SCHOOL – TIME TO PLAN FOR 2020-2021**

**Registration Knight** - Class of 2024 (current 8<sup>th</sup> graders) – **Wed., Feb 12, 2020 Time 6:30pm - 7:30pm**

<https://www.luther.k12.wi.us/admission/apply>

**TADS** tuition assistance applications for Luther High 2020-21 are **due by Saturday, Feb. 15, 2020**

**Mr. Kutz is willing to help with any questions.**

### **CLASSES SING**

**Feb. 16 - Grades 7-8 sing at St. John's, Sunday, Feb. 16, 10:30am**

Feb. 26 - Jr. Choir sings for Ash Wednesday Worship, February 26, 7:00pm

March 8 – Sunday School sings at St. John's, 10:30am; They also will host Fellowship Hour at 9:00am

**March 15 – PreK & K rescheduled, 10:30am at St. John's**

March 18 - Grades 5-6 sing at St. John's for Lent Worship, Wednesday, March 18

March 29 – Grades 3-4 sing at St. Luke's, Pickwick, 10:00am service.

April 5 - Grades 1-2 will sing at Grace, Ridgeway on Sunday, April 5, not March 22, originally scheduled.

April 12 – Grades 5-8 will sing at St. John's Easter Sunday, 8:00am Service.

### **4<sup>TH</sup> GRADE E-PAL DAY – RESCHEDULED – FEB. 27**

The 4<sup>th</sup> Grade E-Pal Day at Luther High has been rescheduled. Our 4<sup>th</sup> graders are invited to meet their E-Pals on Thursday, Feb. 27, 9-11am. They will return to St. John's for lunch. Diann C will drive.

**FEBRUARY SCRIP**

Diann Crabtree will be managing the Scrip cards for the month of February.  
Kwik Trip cards are 10% this month – don't forget to stock up.

**POWER HOUR – TUESDAY – FEB. 11**

**For parents and children ages infant – 5** An opportunity for families to participate in a program of music, activities, Bible stories and parent discussions. Classes will be held six Tuesday evenings Jan. 28-April 7, 6:00-7:00pm beginning January 28. Our Spring Theme is *Jesus' Parables*.

**PRE K OPEN HOUSE –FEB. 16 - REGISTRATION OPEN FOR 2020-2021 SCHOOL YEAR**

**Open House - Sunday, February 16, 9:00-10:15am**

See the Room, Meet our Teacher, Invite a Friend. Registration forms are available at school and church. If you are interested in more information, please contact the school or website. A spot is held for your child once registration fee is received. Non-Refundable Registration Fee: \$35.00

**WINTERFEST – FEBRUARY 16**

Potluck dinner/hog roast will be at noon. Please bring a dish to share. Auction and activities will begin at 1:00. We will need helpers for the kitchen and items for the auction. If you have goods or services you would like to donate (i.e., pies, cakes, baked goods, jams, jellies, crafts, service coupons, etc.), please bring it to the school or contact the Outreach Committee: Paul Gady, Paul Orzechowski, Todd Hoffe, Adam Thorson.

**ASH WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 26 - Soup & Sandwich Supper 5:00pm-6:45pm**

Ladies Aid will provide the soup, please bring a plate of sandwiches or dessert to share.  
Communion Worship Service at 7:00pm, Jr. Choir Sings Lenten Services – Wednesdays, 7:00pm

**CEA HOSTS FELLOWSHIP HOUR – MARCH 1**

Fellowship Hour March 1st: CEA will be hosting. Please contact Kim Larsen if you can help set up, serve, bring food or drinks, and clean-up.

**CEA – APRIL MEETING & ELECTIONS – APRIL 2**

Spring Elections will be conducted at the April meeting. This year we elect a new Vice President and Treasure. If you are interested in serving, contact the school office. **Next Meeting: Thur., April 2, 7:00pm**

**MISSION OFFERINGS**

**Mission Offerings will also be collected at the monthly All-School Devotion.**

	<u>Given as of 01/31/2020 – Missions:</u>	<u>Debt:</u>
Grades 7 -8 – New Beginnings Home, WI “Baby Bottle for Donations” sent home	\$40.50	\$26.50
Grades 5 – 6 – Central Africa Medical Mission	\$62.75	\$12.10
Grades 3 – 4 – Friends of China	\$75.21	\$45.61
Grades 1 – 2 – Vietnam – Hmong Outreach	\$93.45	\$34.43
Kindergarten – MLC Daylight USA	\$22.70	\$18.50

**BASKETBALL** Tuesday, Feb. 18 at Silo, Lewiston Girls' A-5:00; Boys' A-6:00  
Fri-Sun, Feb. 21-23 MLC Tournament Co-Ed Team at New Ulm  
First Game: Friday 12:45pm at MLC vs Trinity - Belle Plaine

**LALSAC Tournament update**

Boys: W vs Immanuel 31-23; L vs Onalaska 4-49; W vs Tomah 38-26; L vs Caledonia 16-48  
Girls: W vs First/MCG 35-22; L vs Winona 17-21

Our girls have made it to the 3rd place game. The basketball tournament is postponed until  
**Wednesday, Feb. 12. Girls play Lewiston for 3rd place in the Auxiliary gym at Luther at 4:30**

Game time is 4:30. Parents and players are asked to not arrive before 4:00. Mr. Z will let the girls know where to meet. Locker rooms have not yet been assigned because of Luther basketball practice.

**The joint boys and girls practice this week will be on Thursday instead of Wednesday.**

**Schedule of A Practices and games for the end of the year:**

Monday – 2/10 – A practice (boys and girls)  
WED - LALSAC – 2/12 – Girls 4:30pm @ LHS  
THURSDAY – 2/13 – A practice (boys and girls)  
Monday – 2/17- A practice (boys and girls)  
Tuesday – 2/18 – games at Silo, Girls A 5:00, Boys A 6:00  
Wednesday – 2/19 – A practice (boys and girls)  
**Friday-Sunday – 2/21-23 MLC Tournament – First Game:** Friday 12:45pm at MLC  
St. John's – Dakota vs Trinity - Belle Plaine

**ATHLETIC BANQUET – FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 28**

Friday, Feb. 28 – Player Recognition Night / Parent-Player Games  
5:30pm meal; 6:00pm Recognition of Cheerleaders and Basketball Teams  
6:30pm Parent-Player Games – We will have two short B games and a two short A games  
We ask that only mothers, fathers, and coaches play against the children. If you have a need to arrange for a substitute (older brother or sister), please talk to Mr. Z ahead of time. Thank you.

**Feb. 28 Banquet – Meat and Drinks provided by the Athletic Department.**

- 8<sup>th</sup> Grade families are our guests.
- 5-7 Gr Boys: please bring a dessert
- 5-7 Gr Girls: please bring a salad, veggies, or side dish
- 4 Gr Boys & Girls: please bring chips or side dish

**All team members, cheerleaders, and families welcome!** If you would like to show your gratitude to the lay coaches with cards and gifts for their dedicated service to coaching your children, please feel free. Mr. Zuberbier asks for no gifts please. Your thank you is enough. Coaching is part of his call.

**If anyone is able or willing to help with set up and clean up, please contact Mr. Z.**

**PLEASE TURN IN UNIFORMS as soon as you are done with them.**

**GUN SAFETY CLASSES AT RIDGEWAY – MARCH 3 – APRIL 14**

Ridgeway Community School – Gun Safety Classes. Must be 11 years old by March 12. March 3–April 14, 6:00pm-8:00pm. To register, contact Steve Groth – 507-643-6366; sgroth@winonahealth.org

## WEATHER-RELATED CLOSINGS

Make sure *ALL* students have warm coats that zip, snowpants, hats, gloves, boots, etc., every day. *It is always colder on the ridge!* Keep in mind that weather-related closings are announced on the radio and television. If it says Winona– that includes St. John’s. Our busing is supplied through Winona 861 – if they close so do we. If there happens to be bad weather on a scheduled Parent Drive Day that Winona does not have school, please check WKBT–Channel 8 & WXOX–Channel 19 for St. John’s School closings.

**If there is a 2-hour delay, school will start at 9:45am. PRE-K 9:30-11:30 AM  
No Early PreK Care on 2-hour delays.**

## SCHOOL CLEANING -

Remember that cleaning duties change each week. Thank you for your cooperation. A spare school key is located in the Church utility closet. If you need a key to clean after 7pm, contact Mr. Kutz (H-643-6280; C-715-586-1564) or Pastor Harbach (643-6840). We do have a key lock box and you can be given the code.

Please check cleaning duties and instructions in janitor’s room. Whoever has Bathrooms and Meeting Room will be taking mop heads and rags home to be washed over the weekend. Pastor Harbach holds Confirmation Class on Wednesday from 4:45-6:30 in the 7-8 Room please plan accordingly. These room assignments can be cleaned on Tuesday, if the Wednesday time conflict is a problem. The Meeting Room is used daily until 5:00pm or so, for After School Care FYI

Don’t forget to mark your initials by your task so we know the work was finished. If you have not initialed it you will get a phone call reminding you of your task. Skipped cleaning days will result in a charge of \$27, to pay someone else to clean for you.

## SCHOOL CLEANERS

### **February 12 & 14**

K & 1/2	Paid – Miller
3/4 & 5/6	Paid – Crabtree
7/8 & PreK	7/8 grade & J. Henderson
Bathrooms /Meeting	Paid – Kutz
Halls & Office	Miller
Gym & Kitchen	Bailey

### **February 19 & 21**

K & 1/2	Paid – Crabtree
3/4 & 5/6	Paid – Kutz
7/8 & PreK	Paid – Miller
Bathrooms /Meeting	E & S Wieser
Halls & Office	Anderson
Gym & Kitchen	E. Gady

## **SCHOOL CALENDAR** February

Tuesday	Feb. 11	6:00pm Power Hour
Wednesday	Feb. 12	Girls BB at Luther High LALSAC 4:30pm
Sunday	Feb. 16	Grades 7-8 Sing at 10:30; PreK Open House 9:00-10:15am; Winterfest
Tuesday	Feb. 18	Bball at Silo, Lewiston Girls A-5:00; Boys A-6:00
<b>Fri-Mon</b>	<b>Feb. 21-24</b>	<b>NO SCHOOL – MLC Tournament in New Ulm</b>
Tuesday	Feb. 25	6:00pm Power Hour
Wednesday	Feb. 26	Jr. Choir sings 7:00pm Ash Wednesday Service, Soup & Sandwiches 5pm
Thursday	Feb. 27	4 <sup>th</sup> Grade E-Pal Day at Luther High
Friday	Feb. 28	5:30pm Athletic Banquet