

St. John's Ev. Lutheran School - February 25, 2020

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NEWSFLASH

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

13A: Ruth 1 - Ruth's Faith - Why did Ruth go to Canaan with Naomi?

13B: Ruth 2:1-23; 4:13-22 - Ruth and Boaz - With what did God bless Ruth?

"The Lord is With Me" Psalm 118:6

MR. KUTZ HAS RECEIVED A CALL

On Sunday, Feb. 16, Mr. Kutz received a Divine Call from St. Paul's Lutheran School in Moline, IL, to serve as principal and upper grade teacher. Please keep the Kutz family in your prayers as he considers this Call and deliberates where his talents will be best used for the Kingdom.

MR. ZUBERBIER HAS RECEIVED A CALL

Mr. Zuberbier has received a Divine Call from St. Stephen's Lutheran School in Beaver Dam, WI, to teach Grade 6 and serve as Athletic Director. Please keep him in your prayers as he considers this Call and deliberates where his talents will be best used for the Kingdom.

POWER HOUR – TUESDAY – FEB. 25

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*.

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

4TH GRADE E-PAL DAY – RESCHEDULED – FEB. 27

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

CEA HOSTS FELLOWSHIP HOUR – THIS SUNDAY - 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.** 507-459-6893 nodine@acegroup.cc

CEA – APRIL MEETING & ELECTIONS – APRIL 2

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

LHS CALL UPDATE

The Board Of Control at Luther High School has extended a Divine Call to Jon Engelbrecht to serve as Principal of Luther High School. He is the current Dean of Students.

MLC TOURNAMENT

Thank you to all our families and fans for your support over the weekend.

Our co-ed team played 4 games: W 43-12 vs Trinity, Belle-Plaine; W 45-32 vs Good Shepherd, Sioux Falls
L 20-53 vs St. John's, Caledonia; L 37-49 vs Samuel, Marshall.

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.

8th 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.

NO SCHOOL - MONDAY – MARCH 9

Teacher In-service day, no school for students Monday, March 9

PARENT DRIVE DAYS – MARCH 10 - 13 & March 30

Winona Spring Break – Parent Drive Week – Tuesday, March 10 - Friday, March 13.

Ridgeway is open, so hot lunch will be served as scheduled. Please sign up for After School Care if needed.

Monday, March 30, will also be a Parent Drive Day.

LHS DRAMA – FRIDAY, MARCH 13

Friday, March 13, 9:00am – Grs 7-8 will attend the Luther High Spring Drama, “*Hello, Dolly!*”

We will need drivers for this day (11 students). Student cost \$5.00. Drivers – no charge.

Contact Mr. Kutz if you can help. Nodine's own Maddie Crabtree is performing with this cast.

Public Performances: March 13, 7:00pm; March 14, 7:00pm, March 15, 2:00pm

Mr. Kutz is planning to take the class bowling after the play as part of their Christmas gift. Bring a lunch.

SCIENCE & FINE ARTS FAIR – MARCH 14

Instrumental, Piano, Science project display – 5-6 class group project,
Science 7-8 optional paper drone - Devin, Matthew, Karly, Ben C., and Jacob B
Social Studies Team: Ben C., Allison, Devin, Ben W. Alternates- Karly, Jacob

RIDGEWAY BASEBALL AND TEE-BALL

Registration is open for Ridgeway Summer Ball
A NEW Player Registration meeting will be held Sunday, March 15th, 5:00 pm, Witoka Reception Hall
All registration fees are due at that time for new players and the link for clothing will be provided. Some cash and carry clothing items may be available for purchase. Financial assistance may be available if needed for families. If you are unable to attend registration, please contact Kinsey Hornberg at kinsey.hornberg@live.com or 507-450-6618

CAMP WHITEWATER

Registration for Camp Whitewater is now open! Each year this camp is held at Whitewater State Park, near St. Charles, MN, for Grades 3-8. There are 2 separate weeks of camp. The dates for camp this year are **July 12-17 and July 19-24**. Go to **campwhitewater.org** to download all the forms needed to register. The cost for camp this year remains at \$160.

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

WEATHER-RELATED CLOSINGS

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.

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.

SCHOOL CLEANERS

February 26 (Ash Wednesday) & 28

K & 1/2	Paid - Crabtree
3/4 & 5/6	M Erdmann
7/8 & PreK	Moor
Bathrooms/Meeting	Paid - Miller
Halls & Office	Paid - Kutz
Gym & Kitchen	Schaper

March 4 & 6

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3/4 & 5/6	Zenke
7/8 & PreK	Paid - Kutz
Bathrooms/Meeting	M & H Wieser
Halls & Office	E & S Wieser
Gym & Kitchen	Moor



SCHOOL CALENDAR

Saturday, February 29, 2020

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 th Grade E-Pal Day at Luther High
Friday	Feb. 28	5:30pm Athletic Banquet

MARCH

Sunday	March 8	Sunday School sings at St. John's, 10:30am; Fellowship Hour 9:00
Monday	March 9	NO SCHOOL – Teacher In-service day
Tuesday	March 10	6:00pm Power Hour
Tues-Fri	Mar 10-13	PARENT DRIVE WEEK – Winona Spring Break
Friday	March 13	Grades 7-8 go to Luther High Drama
Sunday	March 15	PreK & K Sing 10:30am
Tuesday	March 17	6:00pm Kindergarten Round Up
Wednesday	March 18	Grades 5-6 Sing, 7:00pm
Tuesday	March 24	6:00pm Power Hour
Sunday	March 29	Grades 3-4 Sing at St. Luke's, Pickwick, 10:00am
Monday	March 30	PARENT DRIVE DAY
Tuesday	March 31	K Fun & Fitness Day at Luther High

Ash Wednesday, February 26 Soup & Sandwich Supper 5:00pm-6:45pm

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Please have your food in the school kitchen by 5:00pm

Communion Worship Service at 7:00pm, Jr. Choir Sings