



# ST. PAUL'S LUTHERAN SCHOOL NEWSLETTER



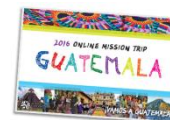
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"Oh give thanks to the Lord, for He is good; for His steadfast love endures forever!"  
Psalm 118:29

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## CHAPEL OFFERING MISSION

This month we are supporting Lutheran Hour Ministries. This past week the students at St. Paul's participated in the Lutheran Hour Ministries' Online Mission Trip (OMT). Much of the church's enthusiasm today for evangelism and mission involvement is fueled by opportunities for "hands-on" service and learning alongside Christians around the world. People travel across the globe to meet, work with and witness to people in other countries who need to hear about the eternal life God offers through Jesus Christ.

Children's opportunities for hands-on service in the field tend to be limited - but through Lutheran Hour Ministries' International Online Mission Trips (OMT), students can experience much of the learning and thrill of a mission trip - and develop a deeper understanding and appreciation for the work of Lutheran Hour Ministries around the world.

Through OMT, students all across the United States "went" to Guatemala and experienced life through the eyes of children that are connected to Jesus via the LHM ministry center in Guatemala. They also learned about the country and culture and gained unique perspective on the world beyond the walls of our classroom.

Thank you for supporting Lutheran Hour Ministries as they *"Bring Christ to the Nations - and the Nations to the Church."*

## FROM THE PRINCIPAL

- **Open House** - St. Paul's Lutheran School is hosting an Open House for **New Families** to our school for the 2016-17 school year. It is being held on Thursday, February 4th. Grant Street will be open from 5:30pm - 6:15pm for grades 3K - grade 2; and Lincoln Avenue will be open from 6:15pm - 7:00pm for grades 3 - 8. If you know of anyone who may be interested in sending their children to St. Paul's next year, please pass along the information to them. A flyer is attached. Please forward it on to friends and relatives; you can also post it at your place of work if that is allowed. Thanks for your support and cooperation. (See attachment for more information.)

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In Christ, the community of St. Paul's Lutheran School partners with families to equip children academically and prepare children and families spiritually to witness and serve.

**January 29, 2016**

Due to the water in the building being turned off for a repair, the school office will be open from 11:00-3:00pm

### **5<sup>TH</sup> – 8<sup>TH</sup> GRADE SPECIAL SERVICE**

All 5<sup>th</sup> – 8<sup>th</sup> grade students are leading worship on Saturday, February 6<sup>th</sup> at the 5:00pm service. Band students need to meet in room 105 at 4:30pm to warm up. All other students will meet in room 104 at 4:40pm. Each student has a speaking part and will be singing so attendance is very important. Please contact your classroom teacher with any questions.

### **COMMUNICATING BY EMAIL**

St. Paul's has been doing more and more communicating by email. This seems to be working with keeping parents informed. If you have any friends, relatives or grandparents who would like to stay on top of the activities here at St. Paul's, please get their email address to Mrs. Evers so they can be included in on our mailings.

### **PANTHER PALOOZA HELP NEEDED**

Our annual fundraiser, Panther Palooza, will be held on Friday, February 5<sup>th</sup>. We will need help to run the Panther Palooza activities. If you could help with this event, please contact the school office.

### **BASKETBALL AND YEARBOOK GROUP PICTURES**

Individual and team basketball pictures will be taken on February 16<sup>th</sup> (picture order forms will be sent home one week prior to pictures being taken). All basketball players need to have their jersey here that day and band members should have their instruments here as well.



Group pictures for the year book, such as band, short shots (wear your short shot shirt), volleyball, cadets, etc. will also be taken.

### **SOLO AND ENSEMBLE REMINDER**

The Solo and Ensemble contest that is required for all 5<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> grade band students is being held at Martin Luther High School this year from 8:00am-3:00pm on March 5<sup>th</sup>. The time(s) of each student's event(s) will be available after February 15. St. Paul's covers the cost of this festival for our students.

### **CHOIR SCHEDULE**

January 31	Middle School Choir (grades 5-8) sings 10:30am
<b>February 6</b>	<b>Grades 5-8 Special Service 5:00pm</b>
February 17	4K & 5K sings @ 6:00pm
March 2	Grades 1, 2, 3, & 4 sing 6:00pm
March 9	Middle School Choir (Grades 5-8) sings 6:00pm

## **SPORTS SCHEDULE**

Jan 28-31	Immanuel Brookfield Tournament 5/8Boys & 6/8Girls Boys first game is Friday @ 8:05pm Girls first game is Friday @ 4:30pm
February 4	4/5 Girls vs. Hales Corners @ home 6:15pm
February 6	6/8 Girls vs. Our Father's @ MLHS 1:00pm 5/8 Boys vs. St. Martini @ MLHS 1:00pm
February 11	4/5 Girls & 4/6 Boys Elm Grove Tournament 6/8 Girls Grace Tournament
February 16	4/5 Girls vs. Divine Redeemer @ home 5:00pm 4/6 Boys vs. Divine Redeemer @ home 6:00pm
February 18	4/5 Girls vs. Grace MF 4:00pm
February 22	4/5 Girls @ Our Redeemer 5:15pm 4/6 Boys @ Our Redeemer 6:15pm
February 26-28	St. Paul's Boys Basketball tournament St. Paul's plays at 7:30pm

## **UPCOMING DATES**

January 28	Parent Teacher Conferences begin at 3:20pm
January 29	Parent Teacher Conferences – NO SCHOOL
February 2	Toddler Class 6:00-7:15pm
February 6	5 <sup>th</sup> – 8 <sup>th</sup> grade Special Service 5:00pm
February 9	Toddler Class “We Love Jesus” party 6:00-7:15pm
February 10	Ash Wednesday
February 12	Professional Development Day – NO SCHOOL
February 17	Lent Worship services at 10:00am & 6:00pm Lent Dinner 4:45pm
February 19	Big Deal Burgers Dining Out 4-8pm





