



ST. PAUL'S LUTHERAN SCHOOL NEWSLETTER



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"Trust in the Lord forever, for the Lord God is an everlasting Rock." (ESV)
Isaiah 26:4

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FROM THE PRINCIPAL

Information from St. Paul's Lutheran School:

- We have a new school website. Go to the regular church website, click on the School tab on the top, and that will take you to our new site. More items will appear and this will be a much better and easier way for me to communicate with you for things like school closure due to bad weather. Check it out.
- Please plan accordingly for our Thanksgiving Break. This year, we only have school over the Thanksgiving Week on Monday, November 21st and Tuesday, November 22nd. We have off for Thanksgiving - Wednesday, November 23rd - Friday, November 25th.
- St. Paul's has Thanksgiving church on Wednesday, November 23rd at 6:00pm and Thursday, November 24th and 9:00am if you are looking for a place to worship. You are always welcome.
- Bad weather will be here some day. Watch the new school website, your emails, your texts (if you signed up with me for this last year), and TV and radio stations. I will include more information in next week's school newsletter.

SAVE THE DATE!

Cookie Walk Fundraiser! Saturday December 10th from 1-5:00pm and 6-7:00pm (following church). Each school family is asked to make at least **3-4 dozen homemade cookies**. If you have a favorite family recipe that you think would sell well, please feel free to make that type of cookie! If not, we have split up the grade levels into different cookie types. Recipes were emailed home last week. We are hoping that we will have a wide variety of cookies for people to choose from!



This event is open to the public. Please tell your family, friends, and neighbors! How can you help? Bake cookies! Also, we will need many volunteers on the day of the Cookie Walk. Go to the following link to sign-up! www.SignUpGenius.com/go/30E0D4DA5AC2DABFF2-stpauls
Any questions, contact Erin Carson (erin.carson@gmail.com) or Megan Kitt (delanykitt@gmail.com).

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.

26TH ANNUAL GIRLS' BASKETBALL TOURNAMENT

This weekend marks the 26th year of providing a girl's tournament at St. Paul's. We will have a Pep Rally on Friday afternoon at 1:30pm in our gym. Band members need their music and instruments to perform. The first game played on Friday evening will be at 5:00pm. The school doors will open at 4:00pm. Students whose parents are working after school may remain and sit on the bleachers until 4:00pm. All other students are to leave after school and return at 4:00pm. St. Paul's Lady Panthers play at 7:30pm with the band being here to warm up at 6:30pm. The final game of the evening for Friday should end around 9:45pm.



The games on Saturday begin at 9:00am and will end at about 9:00pm. This is because each team will play 2 games on Saturday and there are no games on Sunday. It is a 2 day tournament. The first set of games end around 4:15pm, leaving time to worship, with games starting up after church at 6:30pm and the final championship game at 7:45pm.

Remind your children that they need to be the example and witness to our visitors as to how we let our lights shine at a Christ centered event. We can always use more help over the two day event, so please consider giving us a hand by working at the tournament.

THE CHRISTMAS STORE

On Monday, November 28th when we return from Thanksgiving break, items for the Christmas Store can be brought to the stage at the Lincoln Campus.



For our new families, the Christmas Store is a special event set up for the students in 5K-8th grade to shop for Christmas gifts for their immediate family. New or gently used gift items are donated by families, and the students can purchase items for .50, .75, \$1.00 and \$1.25.

We are in need of gifts to sell, especially for men (as we always run out of men's gifts). We also need wrapping paper, boxes for the gifts, and bows and labels to put on the packages. Most of all we need people to help the younger children shop, along with wrappers. Set up for the Christmas Store is on Thursday, December 1st beginning at 12:15 p.m. until finished. The Christmas Store is on Friday, December 2nd beginning at 8:15 a.m. until maybe 1:00 p.m., before we get everything cleaned up. Please call the school office, 414-541-6251, if you can volunteer for set up and/or to work the store.

SWEATPANTS/LOUNGE PANTS DAY

As voted on during our Election Assembly last week, the students will be able to wear sweatpants/lounge pants to school on Tuesday, November 22nd.

CHRISTMAS DOVES

We will once again be helping families this Christmas with our Dove Tree in the narthex. If you are having financial difficulties and are struggling with how you are going to provide any year, we want to help.

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like to have a dove put on the
her a list of clothing item
shirts, and shoes/boots. You



would think they would like. All this information is kept anonymous, only Mrs. Evers and Mr. Schneider will know your name. The doves will then be put on the tree set up in the narthex, for both church and school members to take and purchase the gifts. The gifts are wrapped and brought to the office by December 14th to be sorted and labeled for pick up the Friday before Christmas vacation, December 16th. If you have any questions, please contact Mrs. Evers in the school office.

gifts for your child(ren) this
Please call Mrs. Evers, at the
3011, and tell her you would
tree for your child(ren). Give
sizes, including coats, pants,
can also include 1 toy that you

WINTER PRACTICE SCHEDULE

- Boys Basketball – Monday and Thursday from 3:15-4:45pm
- JV Girls Basketball – Tuesday and Friday from 3:15-4:30pm
- Varsity Girls Basketball – Monday and Thursday 6:00-7:30pm
- Dance – Wednesday from 4:15-5:15pm (may change during Advent)

UPCOMING DATES

November 18/19 St. Paul's Girls Basketball Tournament
Lady Panthers play at 7:30 p.m.

November 23-27 Thanksgiving break – **NO SCHOOL OR EXTENDED CARE**

November 30 Advent Worship 10:00am & 6:00pm

December 1 Christmas Store set up 12:30 p.m.

December 2 Christmas Store 8:15 a.m.

December 7 Advent Worship 10:00am & 6:00pm

December 10 PTL Cookie Walk 1:00-5:00pm and 6:00-7:00pm

December 14 Children's Christmas Service 10:00am (Gr. K-8) and
6:00pm (Gr. 3K-Gr. 8)

Dec 17-Jan 2 Christmas break – **NO SCHOOL OR EXTENDED CARE**

January 3 Classes resume

**Church at St. Paul's: Saturday - 5:00pm; Sunday - 8:00am and
10:30am; Sunday School/Adult Bible Class - 9:15am**

Two Week Acolyte Schedule:

11-19 5:00 p.m. – Kaden Hutchins
11-20 8:00 a.m. – Michael Matusewic
11-20 10:30 a.m. – Dante Militello

Wednesday 11-23 6:00pm Sophia Moravec
Thursday 11-24 9:00m Laura Quigley

11-26 5:00 p.m. – Brey Rudig
11-27 8:00 a.m. – Elena Gonzalez Clark
11-27 10:30 a.m. – Claire Igielski