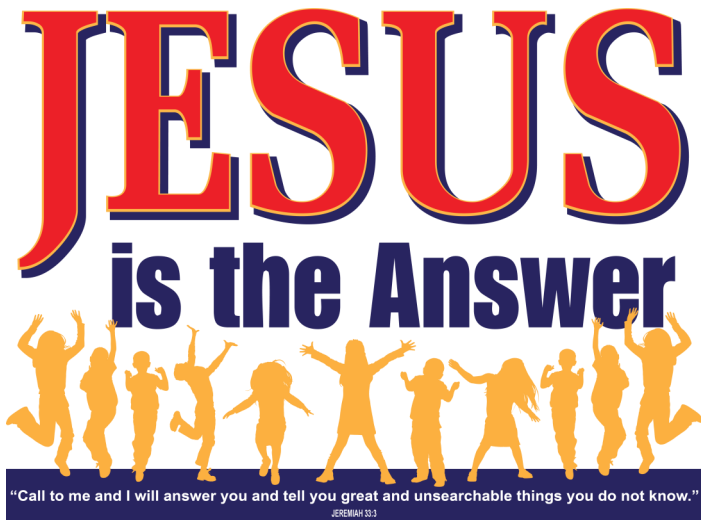


Eagle News

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School Year Theme

In every generation Christian parents have sought to instill in their children the truth that no matter what questions might arise in the lives of their children, Jesus has the answer. The same is true for us today at St. John's. We are grateful to serve as your partner in training young disciples who turn to Jesus for the answers that lead them to a blessed Heavenly home. Throughout the school year we will be growing together under the theme "Jesus is the Answer". Together we will explore this thought within God's Word and practice it in our words and actions.

1st Quarter Mission

When our students bring their offerings for our weekly chapel in our first quarter, they will be supporting our mission on the Caribbean island of Grenada. The missionary there leads an outreach effort that includes a Lutheran elementary school. When Pastor and Mrs. Prange were helping with the mission there this past summer, they discovered that the school has a shortage of books, especially books that are appropriate in a classroom. Our school has already sent the first shipment of classroom books to Grenada, and our mission offerings will help support the school in its work of teaching the children about Jesus. Please remember this mission in your prayers and chapel offerings.

Immunization Reminder

Grades PK, K, and 6 are all required to turn in updated immunization records. If you haven't done so already, please turn them into the school office as soon as possible.

Parents Please Note: Before/After School Care

Please do not drop off and leave children unattended before 7:50am. The faculty's morning Bible study ends at 7:45 and we will open the doors shortly afterwards. If children need to arrive earlier, they should be brought in to the Before School Care. Students remaining here after 3:15 will attend the After School Program. Both Before and After School Care is billed monthly to the parents. Thank you for your help in keeping our students safe!

Hot Lunch

Parents may purchase hot lunches daily or bank money for multiple future lunches. Each hot lunch costs \$3.00 and a second entree serving may be purchased for \$.50. Payments can be brought to the school office.

Spirit Wear

The first spirit wear online store session is open. But don't wait too long. To get the goods here quickly, the opportunity to shop will be closing on September 8. Sweatshirts, t-shirts, polos, and more are available at the St. John's Spirit Wear Store. (add link: <http://www.kmsportsusa.com/welcome-to-st-johns-lutheran-school>)

TADS

Please check your TADS Enrollment and make sure you have your account set for billing. You may contact the school office with questions regarding your account.

Please make use of the TADS Educate module for keeping current on your child's classroom progress. A link was sent via email to set up your TADS Educate account.

EJO Tye-Dying Volunteers Needed

Our annual EJO tye-dying of shirts is coming up in a hurry! The date is Friday, September 13, at 1 PM. We will need 7 people to help with the dying and 7 to assist with the washing of shirts at their homes. If you can be available for either of these requests (or both), please contact the school office via email or phone.

Bus Route Cards

The public schools open Sept. 3. Thomas Bus will now use the regular routes for pickup and dropoff. We should only need to use the "alternate schedule" on November 13.

Calendar Events

August 29 -8:05am School Chapel

August 30 -No School

September 2 -Labor Day - No School

September 4 -9:30am Preschool Power Hour

September 5 -4:30pm Volleyball B team @ Illinois United

-5:30pm Volleyball A team @ Illinois United

September 8 -Deadline for Spirit Wear orders

**** Picture Day-September 17
Includes: 3K through 8th Grade
Individual Pictures, Class Pictures, & Retakes ****

Band/Strings Information from Shoreland

On Thursday students in grades 4-8 will be meeting Ms. Siegler and Mr. Wordell, our Shoreland Lutheran High School strings and band teachers. Whether a returning veteran or first time learner, parents will be asked to register for these lessons if desired. The kids will bring home information, but you can see even more with the SLHS link. https://docs.google.com/presentation/d/1SwPbZZjqMf5hGxV7E2bJKYy6SnnlGpKyopY32x_y1Jl/edit?ts=5b84d1f5#slide=id.p

Please feel free to email, call, or text Mr. Wordell with any questions or concerns, now or at any time throughout the year. (wordkeit@gmail.com) cell: 612-805-3829

Preschool Power Hour

Welcome to the Fall Preschool Power Hour! Here is a list of the Wednesday @ 9:30 am fall dates: September 4 & 18, October 2 & 16, November 6 & 20, December 4. A flyer with more information is located on the school information table. Feel free to take copies to share with friends.

Eagle News Sent to Family Emails

We will again be primarily sending the Eagle Newsletters via email. If you would like a copy sent to a different or additional email address, please email the office. You may also email if you prefer not to receive them via email. Students and parents can stop in the school office weekly to pick up a paper copy if they wish.

“Color Days” Are Here Again!

It is that time of year when the whole school can wear the “Color of the Day” on Thursdays. For the past several years, St. John’s students and faculty have been celebrating “Color Days” by wearing the color of the week that 3K is learning about in school. Mrs. Meinke, the preschool teacher, will be taking pictures of students wearing the color of the week to be hung in the hallway or used in the yearbook. It is a lot of fun to see the whole school participating in “Color Days”.

So start looking for your red Badger clothes or 4th of July t-shirt to wear on:

Red Day, Thursday, September 5.

Thank you for your participation.

Thursday, September 5 – “Red” Day
Thursday, September 12 – “Blue” Day
Thursday, September 19 – “Yellow” Day
Thursday, September 26 – “Green” Day
Thursday, October 3 – “Orange” Day
Thursday, October 10 – “Pink” Day
Thursday, October 17 – “Purple” Day
Thursday, October 31 – “Black” Day
Thursday, November 7 – “White” Day
Thursday, November 14 – “Brown” Day
Thursday, November 21 – “Gray” Day