

# St. James Lutheran School Newsletter

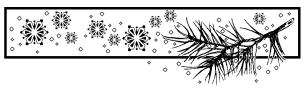
October 23, 2020

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## Equipping and Empowering Families and Students through Christ

<u>Halloween reminder:</u> any type of costumes, dressing up, coloring of hair or other things that coincide with Halloween are not permitted at St. James Lutheran School during the school day. Thank you to all parents and students for your cooperation.

The early arrival of snow is reminding us to have our winter gear ready. Recesses are usually outside, so be sure your child(ren) is/are prepared with boots, snow pants, mittens, hats, and scarves.



<u>If school is called off</u> due to weather conditions you will be notified through School Messenger. We follow HLWW's decision on school closures since our students use their busses. You can also learn of school closures on WCCO TV or radio by listening for Howard Lake Waverly Winsted. (If you see or hear St. James listed on TV, that is the town of St. James, MN, not our school.)

<u>PTL MEETING</u> The next PTL meeting will be held on Monday November 2 at 6:30 p.m. in the library. Come with your ideas and suggestions or just to learn more about ways you can help our school.

## Yard Games in the Gym



The PTL is planning this event for the 5th-8th graders on Nov. 4 from 6:30-7:30. More details will be coming, but save that date on your calendar for FUN!

<u>PTL will be hosting</u> a book fair and craft night again this year the second week of November. Times and date are still being finalized, so watch future newsletters for details.

NOTICE: Adult lunches are now \$3.85.

Sunday, October 25

Choir:

10:30 a.m. Preschool Choir

Chapel Service: Wednesday, October 28

8:10 a.m. Pastor Loder

<u>In Our Prayers</u>: This upcoming week please add these prayer requests to your daily prayer time:

- t For our church and school, students and staff.
- t For Zae Sean's grandma as she recovers from surgery.
- t For a return to health for all who are sick.
- t For Connie Baumann and all others going through cancer treatments.
- t For farmers as they harvest their crops.
- † For missionaries around the world as they spread God's Word.

### Parent/Teacher Conferences Nov. 12

On November 2 look in your Fast Direct emails for a link to Sign Up Genius. Use this link to sign up for the time most convenient for you to come for parent/teacher



conferences. If you signed up already at Back to School Night, your time has already been entered into the program.

You may choose between an in person conference or a telephone conference.

Our chapel offerings this year will go to support the



Orphan Grain Train program. This organization helps those in need all over the world by gathering food, clothing, school supplies, etc. Thanks

to your generosity we have reached a total of \$288.49!!!

# <u>Boxes are outside each classroom door to receive the</u> donations for Thanksgiving Dinner Baskets.

Oct. 19-23 stuffing and instant potatoes
Oct. 26-30 canned corn or green beans

Nov.2-6 canned cranberries & dessert

Nov. 9-13 canned gravy & cream of soups



## Next Week at St. James School:

Sun., Oct. 25

10:30 a.m. Preschool Choir

Mon., Oct. 26

Scrip orders due

Wed., Oct. 28 8:10 a.m. Chapel

Thurs., Oct. 29 Library

Sat., Oct. 31

Reformation Day

10:00 a.m. Reformation/Confirmation

Service

Mon., Nov. 2

6:30 p.m. PTL meeting in Mr. Baumann's room

Tues., Nov. 3
Election Day

Wed., Nov. 4

8:10 a.m. Chapel

#### At the reception desk:

- \*Yearbook order forms
- \*Mayer Knights information
- \*Scrip order forms
- \*HLWW Youth basketball registration information



<u>Members in the beginning band</u> group have started group and individual practices with Mrs. Loder. Part of being a beginner is learning how to put your instrument together so that practice can start. It's great to see their enthusiasm and the growth in our band program.

<u>Kindergarteners</u> used coffee filters and paint to create their own beautifully colored "leaves". They glowed in the sunshine just like the leaves on the trees do.



AND THEN WITHIN TWO WEEKS -----



<u>Kindergarten and First Graders</u> thought the early snow was great fun at recess time! It's not often you can make snow angels in October!!

<u>Yearbook orders are due on Nov. 6.</u> To be certain that you get a yearbook when they arrive in May you **MUST PREORDER**. Forms are available at the reception desk.

#### Saturday, October 31 at 10:00 a.m.

Join us as we celebrate the Reformation and the confirmation of last year's eighth graders at a special service.

Open House at Mayer Lutheran High School every Wednesday. Call 952-657-2251 x. 1011 with any questions.

Online HLWW Youth Basketball registration for boys & girls grades 4-8. <a href="https://www.hlwwlakerhoops.com">www.hlwwlakerhoops.com</a> Registration closes on Tuesday, Nov. 2.