

March 13, 2024

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Worship Service Opportunities

Sun. Mar. 17

Worship/Comm @ 8:15 & 10:30 a.m.,

Mon. Mar. 18

Worship/Comm @ 6:30 p.m.

Wed. Mar. 20

Lent Worship @ 2:00 & 6:30 p.m.



Friday, Mar. 15

Wisconsin Herd Basketball Game

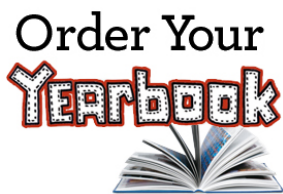
Sunday, Mar. 17

St. Patrick's Day

Tuesday, Mar. 19

1st Day of Spring

THIS WEEK IN SCHOOL



2023-2024 Yearbooks may be preordered this year. The price is \$14.00 each and order forms are available in the school office.

Orders are due this Friday, March 15th

REMINDER REMINDER REMINDER REMINDER REMINDER REMINDER

The monthly Education Fee payment is due on March 1, 2024.

A \$15.00 late fee will be collected if payment is made after the 15th of the month.



PLEASE TURN IN YOUR LAUNDERED BASKETBALL UNIFORM TO THE SCHOOL OFFICE. THANK YOU.



CHAPEL OFFERING

Our chapel offerings this year are being designated to four different missionaries or organizations that work to spread God's Love and message of forgiveness to all parts of the world. The 3rd quarter chapel offerings are going to Camp Luther. Please consider sending a weekly Chapel offer with your child every Wednesday.

Registration for the 2024-2025 school year is going on now.
Please see the school office for the forms.

CHURCH MEMBERSHIP CLASSES APRIL 7 - MAY 19 This class will meet in the parlor at the back of the church. It will meet from 9:30 - 10:15 a.m. It is for all who are interested in formally joining St. Paul Church. Please RSVP to Pastor Reichle or the office.

Principal Brian Elmhorst - Extension 1011 -[message](#) through FastDirect

WOW!!! The third quarter ends on March 22. Please encourage your students to continue to read their individual AR book. This portion of reading counts for 25% of the student's quarterly reading grade. These tests can be taken up to the last day of the quarter.

Lutheran School Week

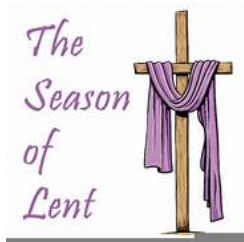
Lutheran Schools Week 2024 is complete. It was a great week to celebrate out Lutheran School and all of the families, students and staff that are a part of St. Paul's ministry in Manawa. The Book Fair is also complete for this school year. We had a total of over \$1,900 in sales, which gave the school a profit of over \$760. That money was used to purchase new library books for the school as well as classroom supplies for the school.

Thursday night was a great night for our school. The Waupaca County K9 Unit was entertaining, the science projects were educational and the St. Paul Men's Club food was delicious.

Congratulations to Haylee and Easton's Team for winning the Lutheran Schools Week Team competition. Enjoy your pizza lunch on Friday!!!



Lenten Service



The K-8th grade students will be attending the 2:00 Lenten Services. All parents are invited to attend the services as well. Students will sit with their classes or with parents/ grandparents during the service. Students can be dismissed following the church service by checking out in the school office. Students remaining in school will return to class for normal dismissal. The Lenten Services continue every Wednesday at 2:00 and 6:30.

Singing in Church

Grades PK-8 are scheduled to sing again in church on March 24 at the 8:15 Palm Sunday service. Please make this a priority to attend this service, as the students sound amazing when everyone is present.



St. Paul Spring Carnival

The annual Spring Carnival will be held on Friday, April 5 from 4:00-7:00. The spring carnival provides for the transportation cost for all school fieldtrips. More information will be coming soon!!!!

Wisconsin Parental Choice Program

On February 1, 2024, Open Enrollment began for the statewide Parental Choice Program. St. Paul is now part of that program for grades K-8 and we are excited about what this program will offer our school and community. Enrollments are being taken until April 18, but please do not wait until the final days to apply. Marie Fenske is our program coordinator and will help you walk through the steps of the application. Please contact her at

mfenske@stpaulmanawa.org

Or log on to the DPI website

<https://sms.dpi.wi.gov/ChoiceParent/>

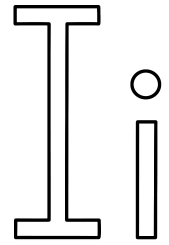
Fish Fry Wait Staff Volunteers

Students in 5-8th grades are invited to assist with the Men's Club Fish Fry on Friday, March 22. The students will be waitresses and waiters as well as runners for the carry-out supplies. Shifts available are 4:00-8:00, 4:00-6:00, or 6:00-8:00. Please sign up with Mr. Elmhorst.

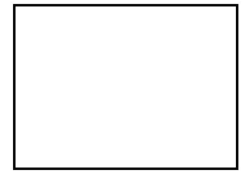


PreSchool/PreKindergarten Rebecca Griesbach - Extension 1005 -message through FastDirect

This week we will be working on the letter Ii, its sound and things that begin with Ii. The children will also be recognizing the color white, a rectangle, and the number 7. For 4K Math we will be practice counting 1-70 and working on ABC patterns. For 3K Math we will be practice counting 1-35 and working on sorting and counting objects. Please practice these concepts at home.



Registration for the 2024-2025 school year is going on now. Please see the school office for the forms. The morning classes for 3K and 4K fill up fast so register your child early.



Rectangle

St Paul's Spring Carnival is coming up on April 5 from 4:00-7:00 pm. This Family event is held in the gym and includes a fun filled evening of games, bouncy houses, prizes, as well as plenty of yummy food and treats. The proceeds from this event help provide the transportation cost for all school field trips.



March 14-15-Wear **Green** for St Patrick's Day

March 22-St Paul Fish Fry 4:00-8:00 p.m. Tickets are available in the church office.

March 24-4K-8th grade sing at the 8:15 church service for Palm Sunday.

March 29-April 1-NO SCHOOL Easter Break

April 5-St Paul Spring Carnival from 4:00-7:00 pm

Kindergarten Debbie Hintz - Extension 1008 -message through FastDirect

Religion: Mary Listens to Jesus;

Phonics: sh, th, ch;

Math: Comparing Sets;

Theme: Storms;

Sight Word: here.



Lutheran Schools Week was so much fun! The kids had a fabulous time building relationships with other children in the building. It was so encouraging to watch older children lead and encourage the younger children to do their best.

Third quarter will be coming to a close soon and skill testing will begin next week. Please continue to practice reading nightly with your child to help ensure continued success with this new skill.

1st Grade Rebecca Tellock/Lori Elmhurst - Extension 1015 -message through FastDirect

What a great time Lutheran Schools Week was! Thank you so much to all who helped make this week so successful. Our favorite things were bowling, banners, Minute to Win It games and the Book Fair!! Our favorite time was when we had our Service Project. We are so excited to give our flower pots to our volunteers. We came back from Spring Break, and they were already growing! We love Lutheran Schools Week! Thank you for all who purchased books and other items.

Spelling test will be Friday... as well as, share time for Myla. The words focus on r-controlled vowels like ir, ur, and er. Those are hard to sound out so the kids really have to study this week. Remember to keep reading AR books. The end of the quarter is coming up fast.

Praise the Lord! Happy St. Patrick's Day!

Upcoming events:

- PTO Snack - March 22nd
- End of third quarter - March 22nd
- March 24th - all sing for Palm Sunday @ 8:15
- March 29th and April 1st - No School (Happy Easter!)



2nd Grade Brenda Jenks - Extension 1020 -message through FastDirect

Religion: prophets in the Old Testament;

Reading: Half-Chicken;

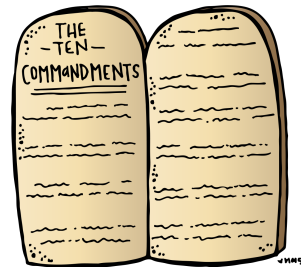
Spelling: words with prefixes re- or un-;

Math: creating and interpreting picture, bar, and line graphs;

Memory: the Eighth Commandment and James 4:11;

Accelerated Reader: student-selected titles;

Science: review of concepts



Welcome back! I hope everyone had a relaxing Spring Break. The 2nd graders are back to a full schedule of classes and activities this week, which includes our walking field trip to Manawa Quality Foods this Friday afternoon. We will be shopping for items to donate to the Manawa Community Food Pantry (funding provided by the Thrivent Action Team program). The trip allows the children to practice their money counting and management skills in addition to experiencing the job of a cashier. We are looking forward to it! The 3rd quarter ends next week Friday. The children have been working earnestly to earn AR points and their totals are very impressive. I am very proud of their achievements. Looking ahead, all grades PK4-8 are scheduled to sing at the 8:15 service on Palm Sunday, March 24, 2024. Please mark your calendars. Have a wonderful week.

3rd and 4th Grade Rachel Beyer - Extension 1023 -message through FastDirect

We will be taking reading, spelling, and grammar tests this Friday. Next week is the end of the third quarter. Please encourage your children to continue to earn A.R. points for this quarter. Low A.R. points will greatly affect their reading grade. All grades will sing at the Palm Sunday service. Students will be singing at the early service. Have a great rest of the week and weekend.



5th and 6th Grade Josh Korotka - Extension 1022 -message through FastDirect

I hope everyone enjoyed their nice long break! Lutheran Schools Week was amazing. The kids were great and we had a blast. I was also very impressed and happy with the Science Fair. Well done!

The next big thing is the end of the 3rd quarter is Friday, March 22. This means AR points are due. Many have their 15 or more and some have over 100!!! Please encourage reading 10-15 minutes at home. I will be messaging you if your child doesn't have their 15. Please contact me with any questions.



This week we will have a Reading and Spelling test on Friday along with Memory, week 23, due as well. Have a great weekend!

