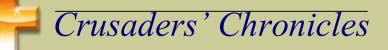
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### Worship Service Opportunities

<u>Sun. Apr. 21</u> Worship/Comm @8:15 & 10:30 a.m., <u>Mon. Apr. 22</u> Worship/Comm @6:30 p.m. <u>Wed. Apr. 24</u> Chapel 8:15 a.m.

# THIS WEEK IN SCHOOL

Sunday, April 21 Grades 4K-2 sing at 10:30 service.



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 4th quarter chapel offerings are going to Food for the Poor. Please consider sending a weekly Chapel offer with your child every Wednesday. This year's goal is \$600.00 in order to purchase children clothing and shoes, two-burner propane stove, a family goat, chickens, soccer ball, foldable cot with mattress, 3 pigs for a family, 100 lbs. of rice and beans and a fruit tree.

# National Volunteer Week



<u>April 21-27</u> is National Voulnteer Week. We would like to express our sincere thanks to all the wonderful people who volunteer here at St. Paul Lutheran School. They are Becky Ricker, Volunteer Coordinator, Carol Beck, Betty Beyer, Annette Fahser, Tom Helpap, Penney Korotka, DeAnn Miller, Janice Miller, Lisa Pynenberg, Gail Schertz, Pam Sturm, Gloria Zemple, Trista Sturm, Linda Much and Jeanette Rivers. We are very fortunate to have such dedicated and caring people. God has truly blessed our school. Remember to say THANK YOU to your volunteer helper.

Registration for the 2024-2025 school year is going on now. The forms can be found on our website or are available from the school office.

<u>Principal</u> Brian Elmhorst – Extension 1011 –<u>message</u> through FastDirect <u>Math Facts Challenge</u>



The third and fourth graders have begun their Math Facts Challenge. I am challenging them to study their multiplication and division facts for 5 minutes a night for 20 days in a row. All students that complete the challenge will be rewarded with a special treat. Please return your signed sheets by April  $17^{\text{th}}$ 

### <u>Principal</u> Brian Elmhorst - Extension 1011 -<u>message</u> through FastDirect <u>Fundraiser</u>

The sixth to eighth graders will be selling Cedar Springs Golf Course and the Pine Tree Supper Club cards until April 24<sup>th</sup>. This fundraiser helps support their trip to Six Flags and Brewer game in May. Please consider purchasing one of these cards to support our students.

### Wisconsin Parental Choice Program

On February 1, 2023, 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/

This year the 8<sup>th</sup> grade graduation will be held on Sunday, June 2 at the 8:15 church service.



All eighth-grade students are required to be in attendance to receive their diploma. There will be a reception following the service for family and congregation members. This will also be an all-school singing date.

### Important Dates to Remember

April 21 Grades 4K-2 sing at 10:30 service

- April 28 Confirmation
- May 5 Grade 3-8 sing at 8:15 service
- May 8 Mosquito Hill Gr. PreK-2
- May 10 6-8<sup>th</sup> Trip
- May 17 Track and Field
- May 23 Last Day of 3K
- May 29 Bay Beach 4K-8<sup>th</sup>, Last Day of 4K
- May 30 Last Day of School ( $\frac{1}{2}$  day with picnic)
- June 2 Graduation Service at 8:15 service

### Mark your Calendars!

On Wednesday, May 29, 2024 the school will be taking a fieldtrip to Bay Beach Amusement Park in Green Bay. This trip will be for all 4K-8<sup>th</sup> grade students and interested parents. The trip will be funded through by the carnival profits. Please watch for more information soon.

### PreSchool/PreKindergarten Rebecca Griesbach - Extension 1005 -message

### through FastDirect

This week we will be working on the letter Yy, its sound and things that begin with Yy. The children will also be recognizing the color blue, the shape diamond, and the number 8 eight. For 4K Math we will practice counting 1-80 and working with groups of 10. For 3K Math we will practice counting 1-40 and sorting shapes. For 4K Science we will be trying different foods and deciding if they are Yummy or Yucky. Please practice these concepts at home. Thank you to all the parents who helped chaperone on our field trip to the Farm. Also, a HUGE THANK YOU to the Fietzer Family for sharing their knowledge and time to teach us so many things that happen on a farm. Without Dairy Farmers there is so many things we would not have.

# <u>PreSchool/PreKindergarten</u> Rebecca Griesbach – Extension 1005 -message through FastDirect

This Sunday, April 21<sup>st</sup>, 4K-2<sup>nd</sup> grade will be singing *All God's Creations Have a Place in the Chorus*. We will also be singing this song with the Church Chorus. With us singing with the Chorus we will meet in the Chorus Area on the right side of church by 10:25. The children will then sit with their families right after the song. Next week is National Volunteer Week. Please give Mrs. Beck and Mrs. Miller a huge THANK YOU for all they do for the children and the classroom. We are so blessed to have such wonderful volunteers help out with the preschoolers.

# <u>April 21-4K-2<sup>nd</sup> grade sing with the Chorus at the 10:30 church service</u>. <u>Please meet in</u> the Chorus Area in church by 10:25.

### May 8-4K Field Trip to Mosquito Hill

**May 17-4K Trike Race on Track'n Field Day-**4K bring in your tri-cycle, big wheel, bike with training wheels or something that has at least 3-4 wheels for the Trike Race. Don't forget your Helmet.

May 23-Last day of 3K classes

May 27-No School-Memorial Day

May 29-Last day of 4K-4K-8<sup>th</sup> grade Field Trip to Bay Beach Amusement Park in Green Bay—Please watch for more information to be coming soon.

### Kindergarten Debbie Hintz - Extension 1008 -message through FastDirect

<u>Religion:</u> Thomas Sees Jesus; <u>Math:</u> Addition to 10; <u>Reading Theme:</u> Plants; <u>Phonics:</u> gl, pl, sl, cr, dr, gr, fr; <u>Sight words</u>: from, play; <u>Science:</u> Living and Non-living; <u>Social Studies:</u> Need/Wants.

We will be singing at the 10:30 service on Sunday. Please meet by 10:20 in the choir area. Mark your calendar for our Mosquito Hill Field Trip on May 8<sup>th</sup>. You are welcome to join in as a chaperone.

# <u>1st Grade</u> Rebecca Tellock/Lori Elmhorst - Extension 1015 -message through FastDirect

AR is so wonderful. The kids are really beginning to see the fun in reading. I hope you encourage this at home. We had a great time at the Fietzer Farm! There were so many wonderful things to see on their farm: pigs, goats and cows that get milked by robots. It was so exciting. Thank you to Craig and Melissa Fietzer. Thank you to Chase's Dad, Andy's Grandpa, Myla's Mom and Zoey's Dad for chaperoning on our field trip. We sure appreciated the tour of your farm. Have a great rest of the week!



# <u>1st Grade</u> Rebecca Tellock/Lori Elmhorst - Extension 1015 -message through FastDirect

- Sing in Church April 21<sup>st</sup> 10:30 Service
- PTO Snack April 26<sup>th</sup>
- Mosquito Hill Field Trip May 8<sup>th</sup>
- PTO Snack May 9<sup>th</sup>
- Track and Field Day May 17<sup>th</sup>
- PTO Snack May 24<sup>th</sup>
- No School Memorial Day May 27<sup>th</sup>
- Bay Beach May 29<sup>th</sup>
- Last Day of School/half day and picnic May  ${\rm 30^{th}}$
- Sing in Church on Graduation Sunday June 2<sup>nd</sup> 8:15 service/wear T-shirts

<u>**2nd Grade</u>** Brenda Jenks - Extension 1020 -message through FastDirect <u>Religion:</u> The Good Samaritan/Jesus at the Home of Mary and Martha; <u>Reading:</u> Two of Everything; <u>Spelling:</u> words with ai or ay, igh or y; <u>Memory:</u> the first question of Baptism; <u>Math:</u> customary and metric measurement; <u>Science/Social Studies:</u> Earth Day; <u>Accelerated</u> <u>Reader:</u> student-selected titles</u>

Grades 4K-2 are scheduled to sing for church this Sunday (April 21) at the 10:30 service. Please arrive by 10:20. After singing, the children will be dismissed to sit with their families. As mentioned last week, students should still bring a sweatshirt or light coat for recess due to the variable temperatures. Please keep encouraging your child's Accelerated Reader progress and practicing of Memory assignments and Spelling lists. They are doing very well because of their diligence. Have a blessed week!

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

### FastDirect

Here are a few reminders. Memory work is due Thursday, (April 18). We will have our reading, spelling, and grammar tests on Friday. The end of the year is approaching fast so encourage your child to keep reading to earn A.R. points. We are studying the continents, oceans, and landforms in Social Studies. Students will be tested on identifying the continents and oceans. Have a great rest of the week and weekend.

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

### FastDirect

This week things are pretty regular and they will be for the next few weeks. We will have our Reading and Spelling tests on Friday with memory due as well. They will be having a Science test on Thursday. Please encourage reading for their 15 AR points. If you need an update on their points, please let me know. Have a great rest of the week.