

MONDAY MESSENGER – TUESDAY EDITION

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CHAPEL THIS WEEK: This week's Chapel service will be Friday at 8:30 AM. Parents are always welcome to attend!

HALF DAY: This Friday, October 13th will be a half day of school. Preschool/Junior Kindergarten will be dismissed at their usual time, 11:15 AM and Kindergarten – Grade 8 will be dismissed at noon. There is no extended care available.

PARENT OPEN HOUSE: 3K – Grade 8 will be having Parent Open House this Friday, October 13th. This is a chance for you to spend the morning in your child's classroom and get a feel for what their day is like. Please note, this day is also a half day of school (see note above).

THURSDAY EVENING HELP: In preparation for Friday's Parent Open House, we are looking for parent help in setting up the gym for Preschool and Junior Kindergarten. This will be done after the home volleyball games, which end at about 6:30 PM (come cheer on the Hornets and enjoy some concessions as well!). We would appreciate your help!

CONGRATULATIONS: Congratulations to the Girls B Volleyball Team for their 1st Place finish in the Clippers Tournament this weekend! Way to go, girls!

GRADES 3-4 FIELD TRIP: Grades 3-4 will be going to Old World Wisconsin next Wednesday, October 18th. Permission slips are coming home today and should be returned to Ms. Schmidt by this Thursday, October 12th. If you signed up to be a chaperone, please pay in the office. The chaperone cost is \$15.00 per person.

GRADES 5-8 FIELD TRIP: Grades 5-8 will be touring Luther Preparatory School in Watertown and enjoying a performance of their fall play. This is an all-day field trip, so we will need parent drivers! Permission slips are coming home today and should be returned to your child's teacher by this Thursday, October 12th.

GRADES 6-8 FIELD TRIP: Grades 6-8 will be going to Jerry Smith's Pumpkin Farm with their Chapel Buddies today!

K-2 FIELD TRIP: Kindergarten – Grade 2 will be attending First Stage Theater's performance of Chitty Chitty Bang Bang tomorrow!

SCHOOL CLEANING: Our next school cleaning date is scheduled for this Saturday, October 14th at 9:00 AM. The following families are scheduled to clean with Mrs. Manske: Borden, Glinsky, Hoffman/Milazzo, Milhans, Olson (Claire) and Paxton.

FALL SPORTS PICTURES: Cross Country and Volleyball will have their team photos taken Tuesday, October 17th beginning at 4:00 PM. Don't forget to bring your uniforms! Order forms will be coming soon!

TRUNK OR TREAT: Trunk or Treat is on Friday, October 20th from 6:00-8:00 PM. Trunk or Treat is an opportunity for families to get together in a safe environment and enjoy some fall fun. Children can dress up in costume and trick or treat to decorated trunks. There will also be a contest for the best costume and trunk, games, refreshments and even a barrel train ride! **The deadline to sign up is next Monday, October 16th.**

TESTING AT ST. PAUL'S: Typically at this time of the year Grades 3-8 take the Terra Nova3 Standardized Test. We have recently discovered that this test will no longer be used, and we need to replace it. The Board of Education has been investigating options for St. Paul's in order to evaluate student learning and continue to improve our students academically. There are a few options being looked at, recommended specifically are the ACT Aspire Test held in the spring and the MAPS test that is used throughout the year. Both tests have quick returns on results and useful data for teachers to use. Once a decision is made parents will be notified and any followup information will be shared with you. If you have any questions please feel free to contact the Board of Education or Mr. Schulmeister.

GUITAR LESSONS: Mr. John Miller, a fellow WELS member and guitarist, is willing to offer lessons at St. Paul's beginning in November. Cost will be \$15 per half-hour lesson. Days and times will be established once we are certain there is sufficient interest. Students need to provide their own guitar and lesson book. Call or email Mr. Miller for more information: jkjmm@juno.com; 414-712-9400.

FIRST QUARTER MISSION OFFERING: Our shoe drive will run September 18th through October 21st. Donate new or gently used shoes and make a life-changing difference in the life of adults and children in Africa. Sizes needed: Toddler - Adult 12. Please prayerfully consider how you can help with this mission.

GIRLS BASKETBALL COACH: We are in need of a Girls B Team Basketball Coach this year. Please contact Mr. Schulmeister if you are interested.

PTO: We are currently without a PTO President. If you are interested in this position, or want to learn more about what is involved, please contact Mr. Schulmeister.

BOX TOPS: We have a new leader for our classroom competition. The 3rd and 4th grades are now in the lead, 2nd grade is in 2nd place, and K & 1st grades are in 3rd place. It's a close race so far. Thanks to our church members for bringing in a total of 471 tops over the summer. Check out the Box Top app on your smart phone for more ways to earn Tops.

PRESCHOOL POWER HOUR: Join us at Power Hour two Fridays a month! Open to children ages 0-4 with their caregivers. Meet us in the church narthex from 10:45-11:45 AM on the following dates: October 12th & 26th, November 9th, December 14th, January 11th & 25th, February 8th & 22nd, March 8th & 22nd, April 12th & 26th and May 10th & 24th. See the flyer coming home today for more details!

SCRIP: Our next Scrip order will be placed Monday, October 16th. Please use the form on the lobby bookshelf to order for Kwik Trip. Please have your order in the Scrip box in the office by 3:15, or you may place your order online. New to our Scrip program? If you have not signed for scrip and would like to place an order go to www.shopwithscrip.com to enroll. Our school code is: D6DC88D14747. If you order and do not enroll or have a family account your rebate will go directly to the school. Families who are enrolled have the following options: 50% rebate to their family's tuition account, 50% cash back, or 50% charitable contribution to the school. We also have cards available in stock in the office. Payment is required at the time of purchase and orders will benefit your account if you have one set up.

SPORTS:

VB Practice: Wednesday, October 11th **A Team** 3:30-5:00 PM **B Team** 6:00-7:30 PM
Wednesday, October 18th **A Team** 3:30-5:00 PM

VB Games: Tuesday, October 10th – Home vs. Christ/St. Peter – B Team 4:30 PM, A Team 5:30 PM
Thursday, October 12th – Home vs. Atonement – B Team 4:30 PM, A Team 5:30 PM

VB Tournament: Saturday, October 14th @ St. Marcus (A Team only) – Time TBD
Saturday, October 21st @ WLHS (A Team only) – Time TBD

VB Family Fun Night: Tuesday, October 17th 6:00–8:30 PM

CC Practice: Wednesday, October 11th 3:30-4:00 PM
Monday, October 16th 3:30-4:00 PM

CC Meets: Wednesday, October 18th – Franklin Area Youth Race #3 (Franklin High School) 5:30 PM