

MONDAY MESSENGER

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WEEK AT A GLANCE:

Monday 11/11	Tuesday 11/12	Wednesday 11/13	Thursday 11/14	Friday 11/15
Red, White & Blue Day!		Picture Re-Takes Classroom Photos	Gr 7 to WLHS Chapel Buddy Spaghetti Dinner 6:00 PM	Chapel - 8:30 AM K-4 to Wehr Nature Center

THANK YOU: Thank you to the families that cleaned this weekend. Everything looks great!

VETERANS DAY: Our faculty and students would like to thank all those who have served in our U.S. Military!

WINTER WEATHER CLOSINGS: For any snow closings, please watch for St. Paul's – Franklin. We do not follow the Franklin School District, or Wisconsin Lutheran High School. Please note that we do not close for cold weather, as we have no students waiting at bus stops.

WINTER GEAR: Please make sure that your children have appropriate clothing for going outside during this snowy and cold weather!

PICTURE RE-TAKE DAY: Picture re-take day is this Wednesday, November 13th. If you would like your child's picture retaken, please return the original photo package on the 13th. We will also be taking class group photos that day.

GRADES 6, 7, & 8: Each November we hold a bake sale that benefits Camp Phillip. This year we will hold our bake sale on Sunday, November 24th, before and after services. Grades 6-8 are asked to provide the baked goods for this sale. Please see the letter coming home today for more details! Thank you for your help in supporting Camp Phillip!

GRADE 7 FIELD TRIP: 7th Grade will be going on a field trip to tour Wisconsin Lutheran High School on Thursday, November 14th. **We need to leave school at 7:50 AM for this trip – please be on time!**

KINDERGARTEN – GRADE 4 FIELD TRIP: Kindergarten – grade 4 will be going to Wehr Nature Center on Friday, November 15th. This is an outdoor field trip, so please have your children dress appropriately for the weather.

CHAPEL BUDDY SPAGHETTI DINNER: Thank you to the families that have RSVP'd! We are excited to host our 3rd annual Chapel Buddy Spaghetti Dinner **this Thursday, November 14th** at 6:00 PM. See you there!

JUNIOR CHOIR: Junior Choir sings this Sunday, November 17th at the 8:00 AM service. Please meet in the Bible classroom by 7:45 AM.

CALL RECEIVED: Dear Members of St. Paul's Evangelical Lutheran Church, This past weekend, I received a call to teach grades 3 and 4 at Divine Savior Academy in Missouri City, Texas. During my years at St. Paul's the Lord has blessed me in so many ways and I have truly enjoyed serving this congregation. I have much to deliberate during this time that I told these two divine calls – one here at St. Paul's and the other to Divine Savior Academy, and must decide where the Lord can best use my talents and abilities to serve His kingdom. I ask for your continued prayers during my deliberation and welcome any and all comments or input you may have. In His Service, Heather Schmidt

THANKSGIVING/CHRISTMAS SERVICES: As we approach the holiday season, please make note of the many opportunities for worship! Join us!

Thanksgiving Eve Worship – Wednesday, November 27th at 6:30 PM

Thanksgiving Day Worship – Thursday, November 28th at 10:00 AM

Advent Service – Wednesday, December 11th at 6:30 PM

Preschool & Junior Kindergarten Christmas Service – Friday, December 20th at 11:00 AM

Children's Christmas Service (Kindergarten – Grade 8 sing) – Sunday, December 22nd at 4:30 PM

Christmas Eve Candlelight Service – Tuesday, December 24th at 6:30 PM

Christmas Eve Candlelight Service – Tuesday, December 24th at 10:00 PM

Christmas Morning Service – Wednesday, December 25th at 10:00 AM

New Year's Eve Service – Tuesday, December 31st at 6:30 PM

MARCUS MOVIE TICKET FUNDRAISER: Our annual Marcus movie ticket fundraiser begins today and runs through Friday, November 22nd. Tickets are as follows: Platinum \$8.50, Silver \$6.50. Plastic Gift Cards are \$10 and \$25. Profits (15%) will be split 50/50 into your Scrip account. If you haven't signed up yet for Scrip you still can at any time. For every \$25 gift card purchased, you will receive a \$5 snack cash coupon. For sales over \$300 you will earn two silver tickets and a \$3 snack cash coupon. Additional order forms are available on the lobby bookshelf.

SECOND QUARTER MISSION PROJECT – HUNGER TASK FORCE FARM: Our 2nd quarter mission project is underway – the Hunger Task Force Farm. The Farm is a unique 208 acre urban farm right here in Franklin. During the growing season, The Farm infuses half a million pounds of fresh fruits and vegetables into their food bank's supply. More than 25 different varieties of produce is grown each season to feed children, seniors and families in our community. Our mission offerings this quarter will support The Farm's Adopt-A-Crop program: \$25 supplies a bushel of sweet corn to a local food pantry, \$50 provides 40 pounds of green beans to local seniors, \$100 grows 100 heads of lettuce for local families in need and \$250 sponsors an acre's worth of broccoli seed!

HAT AND MITTEN COLLECTION: The Mary & Martha Society of St. Paul's invites our congregation and school families to participate in a hat and mitten collection to benefit Southside Ministries. We will collect new and gently used children's hats, mittens and gloves as well as jackets and boots. A bin will be placed in the school lobby and donations will be accepted until November 18.

Donations of small toys that can be used as stocking stuffers (matchbox cars, beanie babies etc.) as well as other new or gently used toys are also greatly appreciated. Gary Eickhorst and Southside Ministries will use these as Christmas gifts for immigrant children. Thank you for your support of Southside Ministries.

PRESCHOOL POWER HOUR: Join us at Power Hour two Thursdays 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: November 21, December 5 & 19, January 16, February 6 & 20, March 5 & 19, April 2, May 7 & 21.

SCRIP: Our next Scrip order will be placed on Monday, December 9th. Please have your order in the Scrip box in the office by 3:15, or you may place your order online.

SPORTS:

Boys A Team BB Practice: Monday, November 11th 6:00-7:30 PM
Wednesday, November 13th 5:30-7:00 PM
Monday, November 18th 6:00-7:30 PM
Wednesday, November 20th 5:30-7:00 PM

Boys B Team BB Practice: Monday, November 11th 4:30-6:00 PM
Wednesday, November 13th 4:30-6:00 PM
Monday, November 18th 4:30-6:00 PM
Wednesday, November 20th 4:30-6:00 PM

Girls C Team Practice: Thursday, November 14th *No practice – gym unavailable
Friday, November 15th 3:30-5:00 PM
Thursday, November 21st 3:30-5:00 PM
Friday, November 22nd *No practice – gym unavailable

Games: Tuesday, November 26th – Home vs. Mt. Calvary
Girls C at 4:30 PM
Boys B at 5:20 PM
Boys A at 6:10 PM

Tournaments: November 15-17th @ Shoreland Lutheran High School
Boys A Team Tournament – 1st Game: Friday, November 15th at 5:30 PM

November 21-24th @ Mt. Olive
Boys B Team Tournament – TBA