

MONDAY MESSENGER

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THANK YOU: Thank you to everyone that attended Family Game Night last Thursday! Through your concession purchases and freewill offerings, we raised \$333.00 for Camp Phillip!

THANK YOU: Thank you to the families that cleaned on Saturday! You did an amazing job and we appreciate your help!

LUTHERAN GIRL PIONEERS: Girl Pioneers meet tonight at 6:00 PM.

HOT LUNCH PREVIEW: January's hot lunch menu **preview** is coming home today! If you would like to pre-pay for January's lunches, please have cash or check (payable to St. Paul's Hot Lunch) in the box in the office by Friday, December 9th at 3:00 PM. Online ordering will take place next week, December 12-16th. *Be sure to read The Kitchen Connection on the back of the preview for an important message about February hot lunch.

COMING UP – DECEMBER FUN: Every Friday in December will be an opportunity for some Christmas cheer!

- Friday, December 9th – Wear your funny/ugly Christmas sweater
- Friday, December 16th – Dress up in your Christmas best
- Friday, December 23rd (half day)– Wear Christmas colors

MIDWEEK ADVENT WORSHIP SERVICES & MEAL: This Wednesday, December 7th we will be having our Midweek Advent worship services at 3:30 PM & 6:30 PM. Junior Choir will be singing at our 3:30 PM service. The Board of Elders will also be serving sub sandwiches in between the services beginning at 4:30pm.

CLASSROOM WISH LISTS: In past years we've had a Christmas tree in our school lobby full of "wishes" for our classrooms. Once again our tree is digital! If you would like to grant a classroom wish, please scan the QR Code on the flyer coming home today, on the poster in the school lobby, or you can find it [here](#). Thank you for your support of our school!

BASKETBALL CONCESSIONS – VOLUNTEERS NEEDED: Please continue to check our home basketball game Sign-Up Genius and volunteer where you can! We appreciate our volunteers! [Basketball Sign-up Genius](#)

HOLIDAY WORSHIP SCHEDULE: During the upcoming holiday season there are many opportunities for worship! Please join us!

Advent Services – Wednesday, December 7th at 3:30 PM and 6:30 PM (supper in between)

Children's Christmas Service (K5-Grade 8) – Sunday, December 18th at 4:30 PM

Preschool & Junior Kindergarten Christmas Service – Friday, Dec. 23rd at 11:00 AM

Christmas Eve Candlelight Service – Saturday, December 24th at 4:30 PM

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

Christmas Day Service – Sunday, December 25th at 10:00 AM

Worship Service with Communion – Sunday, January 1st at **10:00 AM** (one service only)

WINTER WEATHER CLOSINGS: For any snow closings, please watch for St. Paul's – Franklin on the local news stations. We will also announce closings via phone/text through TADS Educate, on our Facebook page and website. 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.

MEN'S WELS BASKETBALL LEAGUE: The area WELS churches are starting up the men's basketball league again. St. Paul's is looking for interested players, college age and older, who want to be part of our energetic team. The league will run on Sundays from January 8th through March 26th, 2023 with games at several different area gyms. If you are interested in being part of the SPF team, please contact Caleb Manske with your interest by December 19th at caleb.manske@rasmith.com or 262-442-4286.

MEN'S OPEN GYM: Men's Open Gym will held Thursday nights from 7:30 – 9:00 pm every week starting December 8th. All college age and older men interested in stretching their legs are invited to participate. Please be sure to watch the Weekly Schedule at the end of the church bulletin every week for updates or cancellations as we approach the Christmas Season.

SECOND QUARTER MISSION PROJECT – HAT, SCARF AND GLOVE DRIVE: This Friday is the last day to bring in hats, scarves and gloves! Our mission offerings for the 2nd Quarter will be going to the Milwaukee Rescue Mission. Since 1893 this Christian organization has been supporting the hungry and hurting in Milwaukee helping to restore their lives and their hope by meeting both physical and spiritual needs. Monetary offerings will go toward other items of urgent need. Let's fill those bins and share both warmth and love this holiday season. *"Whatever you did for one of the least of these brothers and sisters of mine, you did for me."* Matt. 25:40

SCRIP: The next Scrip order will be placed Monday, December 12th. Please have your order in the Scrip box in the office by 3:15, or you may place your order online.

SPORTS:

Monday 12/5	Tuesday 12/6	Wednesday 12/7	Thursday 12/8	Friday 12/9	Saturday 12/10
B Boys Basketball 3:15-4:45 PM C Boys Basketball 3:45-5:15 PM	Home: Mt. Calvary C Girls @ 4:15 PM C Boys @ 5:05 PM B Girls @ 5:55 PM B Boys @ 6:45 PM	Advent Worship 3:30 PM Advent Meal 4:30-6:00 PM Advent Worship 6:30 PM	C Girls Basketball 3:15-4:30 PM B Girls Basketball 4:30-5:45 PM Away: Mt. Lebanon* B Boys @ 4:30 PM A Boys @ 5:20 PM	Away: Risen Savior* B Boys @ 4:30 PM B Girls @ 5:20 PM A Boys @ 6:10 PM	Wrestling 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM

Monday 12/12	Tuesday 12/13	Wednesday 12/14	Thursday 12/15	Friday 12/16	Saturday 12/17
B Boys Basketball 3:15-4:45 PM C Boys Basketball 3:45-5:15 PM	Away: St. Jacobi* C Girls @ 4:00 PM C Boys @ 5:00 PM B Girls @ 6:00 PM A Boys @ 7:00 PM	B Boys Basketball 3:15-4:45 PM C Boys Basketball 3:45-5:15 PM Wrestling 5:15-7:00 PM	C Girls Basketball 3:15-4:30 PM B Girls Basketball 4:30-5:45 PM A Boys Basketball 6:00-7:30 PM	Home: St. Paul's/Zion B Girls @ 4:15 PM B Boys @ 5:15 PM A Boys @ 6:15 PM	Wrestling 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM

*Mt. Lebanon: 8444 W. Melvina St., Milwaukee, WI 53222

*Risen Savior: 9550 W. Brown Deer Rd., Milwaukee, WI 53224

*St. Jacobi: 8605 W. Forest Home Ave., Greenfield, WI 53228