MONDAY MESSENGER

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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!

MID-TERMS: Mid-term reports are coming home today for Grades 2-8. Please check your child's backpack.

GRADES 6, 7, & 8: This Wednesday is our bake sale benefiting Camp Phillip. Please bring your items either before or after school on Wednesday. Thank you for your contributions!

MIDWEEK ADVENT WORSHIP SERVICE & MEAL: This Wednesday, December 12th we will be having our only Midweek Advent worship service at 6:30 PM. Junior Choir and Handbells will be a part of this special service. The Board of Elders will also be serving a meal prior to the service beginning at 5:30 PM. In order to assist in our planning for the meal, we ask that you sign up on the sheet in the office if you'd like to attend the meal. Monetary donations are welcome at any time, and there will be a free-will offering gathered at the meal.

HORNET DAY: This Friday, December 14th is Hornet Day! Show your school pride by wearing your St. Paul's gear!

BASKETBALL CONCESSIONS SIGN-UP: There are still slots to be filled – please take a look to see where you can help! Following is the concession sign-up link for basketball games in 2018. Sign-ups for games after the holidays will be added in the next few weeks. Thank you for your help! https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C0E4AADA92BA0FF2-basketball

SCHOOL CLEANING: Our next school cleaning date is this Saturday, December 15th at 9:00 AM. The following families are scheduled to clean with Mr. Willms: Abramowski, Burke, Huettl, Olson (Claire), Sanchez, Ziegler.

STEM CHALLENGE: We will be having our next school-wide STEM Challenge next Wednesday, December 19th. We will be building sleds! We can use a few supplies to help us: aluminum foil, masking tape and peppermint candies. If you would like to donate supplies to help us, please place them in the box in the office marked, "STEM Challenge".

CHRISTMAS WISH TREE: The Christmas Wish Tree is up in the main school hallway today. This year the envelopes that are hanging on the tree represent mainly school-wide STEM supplies and a few other items. If you would like to grant a wish, please take the envelope, make checks payable to St. Paul's School and place it in the box in the office marked "Wish Tree".

PRE-K – GRADE 8 CHILDREN'S CHRISTMAS SERVICE: The children will all be participating in the Children's Christmas Service on Sunday, December 23rd at 4:30 PM. The teachers ask that students be in their classroom by 4:15 PM but not before 4:00 PM. If you arrive before 4:00 PM please keep your child with you until the classrooms open. As this is not a Christmas "program" but a Christmas Worship Service, we ask that no cameras be used during the service. As stated in previous years, we encourage families to come together

early and enter together so that reserving seats is not necessary. If your child will not be participating in this service, please let his/her teacher know as soon as possible.

SECOND QUARTER MISSION OFFERING: Our food drive for Feeding America: Eastern Wisconsin has begun and will run through Friday, December 21st! We have set 2 goals for St. Paul's: raise \$500 in funds and collect 1,000 lbs. of nonperishable food items. So far we have raised \$339.23!

CHRISTMAS SERVICES: This Christmas season there will be many opportunities for worship! Please join us! Advent Service (Jr. Choir/Handbells are a part of this service) -- Wednesday, December 12th at 6:30 PM Christmas Service (K3 – Grade 8 sing) – Sunday, December 23rd at 4:30 PM Christmas Eve Candlelight Service – Monday, December 24th at 6:30 PM Christmas Eve Candlelight Service – Monday, December 24th at 10:00 PM Christmas Morning Service – Tuesday, December 25th at 10:00 AM New Year's Eve Service – Monday, December 31st at 6:30 PM

WINTER WEATHER CLOSINGS: For any snow closings, please watch for <u>St. Paul's – Franklin</u>. 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.

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: December 13th, January 10th & 24th, February 14th & 28th, March 14th & 28th, April 11th & 25th and May 9th & 23rd.

WLHS BOYS BASEBALL CAMP: The 2019 WLHS boys' baseball camp is set to take place at Wisconsin Lutheran High School's Main Gym on Sunday, January 27th, February 3rd, and February 10th. There will be two sessions each day (Grades 2-4) from 12:00 noon - 1:00 pm and (Grades 5-8) from 1:30 pm-3:00 pm. The camp will focus on proper throwing mechanics, defensive skills, and developing the hitter's swing. Registration information is located on the Wisconsin Lutheran Junior Vikings Website (wlhs.org/jrvikings). Camp fee is \$40 - the deadline to register is January 13th, 2019.

SCRIP: The next Scrip order of the year will be placed today -- Monday, December 10th. Please note that this is the only Scrip order we will place before Christmas! Plan ahead and let Scrip help you with your holiday shopping! 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. If you have questions, please contact Kendra Matus at (414) 403-9298.

SPORTS:

Boys A Team BB Practice: Tuesday, December 11th 7:00-8:30 PM

Thursday, December 20th 7:00-8:30 PM

Boys B Team BB Practice: Tuesday, December 11th 5:30-7:00 PM

Thursday, December 20th 6:00-7:30 PM

Boys C Team BB Practice: Tuesday, December 11th 4:30-5:30 PM

Tuesday, December 18th 4:30-5:30 PM Thursday, December 20th 4:30-5:30 PM

Games: Thursday, December 13th – Home vs. St. Paul's Muskego

Boys C @ 4:30 PM Boys B @ 5:20 PM Boys A @ 6:10 PM

Friday, December 14th @ Loving Shepherd

Boys A @ 5:00 PM

Saturday, December 15th Home vs. Pilgrim

Boys C @ 2:00 PM

Tuesday, December 18th @ Mt. Lebanon

Boys B @ 4:30 PM Boys A @ 5:20 PM

Tournaments: Saturday, December 15th – St. Paul's Hosting Mukwonago & Pilgrim

Boys B Team Triangular - Games @ 11:00 AM, 12:00 PM, 1:00 PM