

MONDAY MESSENGER

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THANK YOU: Thank you to the grandparents that joined us last Friday! A special thank you also to our volunteers that helped prepare and serve breakfast!

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

APRIL HOT LUNCH ORDERS: The hot lunch menu will be back open for ordering until 10:00 PM tonight. If you did not order for April last week, please do so by tonight.

GRADES 3-4 SINGING: Grades 3 & 4 will be singing for Palm Sunday this Sunday, March 24th at our 8:00 AM worship service. Students should meet in the school lobby at 7:45 AM. After singing students will sit with their families.

3K – GRADE 2 SINGING: 3K, 4K, Kindergarten, 1st and 2nd Grades will be singing for Palm Sunday this Sunday, March 24th at our 10:30 AM worship service. Students should meet in the school lobby at 10:15 AM. After singing students will sit with their families.

KINDERGARTEN – GRADE 8 KNOWLEDGE-A-THON: The Knowledge-A-Thon is this Friday! Pledge sheets from all students are due back this **Wednesday**, March 20th (pledge sheets only – money will be collected next week). If you need an extra copy of the pledge sheet, there are some available on the lobby bookshelf. Funds raised will be used to purchase a new sound system for the gym (which is used for the plays) and also educational apps. We would love for each student to aim for a personal goal of \$50.00 in pledges!

ROLLER SKATING - EVERYONE IS INVITED: The Lutheran Girl Pioneer spring district activity is roller skating at Incredi-Roll (10928 W. Oklahoma Ave., West Allis) on Tuesday, April 2nd. This will be held from 6-8 p.m. The cost is \$9.00 per person and includes skate rental. Leaders and helpers can still attend at no cost (\$9.00 if skating). This is a private event open to all Girl Pioneers, friends and family. It is recommended to arrive early as the line to get in can get long.

WLHS PIANO FESTIVAL: Congratulations to our St. Paul's students who each received a 1st in the WLHS Piano Festival this past Saturday, March 16th: Tyler Amann, Moriah Carabacan, Elizabeth Goff, Riya Thumma and Coogie Zoric.

LOOKING AHEAD – NO SCHOOL: There is no school next Friday, March 29th for Good Friday. The following week there is no school for Spring Break (April 1-5). School resumes on Monday, April 8th.

HOLY WEEK WORSHIP SCHEDULE: Our Holy Week worship schedule is as follows:

March 24 & 25 (Palm Sunday Weekend) – Sunday – 8:00 & 10:30am; Monday – 6:30pm

March 28 – Maundy Thursday – 3:30 & 6:30pm

March 29 – Good Friday – 1:00pm; Tenebrae – 6:30pm

March 31 – Easter Sunrise – 6:00am; Easter Breakfast – 7:00am; Easter Festival – 8:30 & 10:30am

4K TEACHER CALL: On Wednesday, March 6th we issued a call to Mrs. Patricia Snyder to be our 4K teacher starting next school year. She is currently serving at Faith Lutheran Preschool in Sussex, Wisconsin. We received this letter from Mrs. Snyder: Dear St. Paul's congregation, I have received your call to teach 4K at your school. Thank you for considering me for this important work in serving our Savior's little lambs. Please keep me in your prayers as I deliberate where I can best serve in God's kingdom. Your sister in Christ, Patricia Snyder *Feel free to reach out to Mrs. Snyder at ctlprek@yahoo.com or (262) 337-3441.

MIDWEEK LENTEN SERVICES: Reminder that our 7th & 8th grade classes are asked to usher and greet at each of our 3:30 PM Midweek Lenten worship services.

MIDWEEK LENT 2024 SERIES – “GOD ON TRIAL”: The unbelieving world has always insisted on putting God on trial. As our society becomes more secular, we Christians are increasingly aware of the many ways in which God—and his people—are judged. Temptations are many in this environment: treating unbelievers as enemies, retreating from the world, even questioning God ourselves. How do we live as people of God in this hostile world? We find our model—and our motivation—in Jesus. This series takes us back to the moments when God was literally on trial before men in the person of Christ. In these inspired episodes, we find forgiveness for us and all people, love for our enemies, strength for our faith, and courage to testify to the truth. We will once again be following a rotating schedule of pastors. The theme for each week is as follows:

- February 14 – “Truth” – John 12:20-33 (Pastor Adams)
- February 21 – “Restraints” – Luke 22:47-53 (Pastor Unnasch)
- February 28 – “Accusations” – Job 40:1-2,42:1-6 (Pastor Gaertner)
- March 6 – “Sympathy” – Luke 23:26-34 (Pastor Adams)
- March 13 – “Misconceptions” – Luke 23:1-12 (Pastor Unnasch)
- March 20 – “Testimony” – Matthew 26:57-75 (Pastor Marshall)

The times of our Midweek Lent services are 3:30 & 6:30 pm. Please come and join us each week as we walk with Jesus in his journey to the cross on Good Friday and the empty tomb on Easter Sunday morning.

2024-2025 SCHOOL YEAR: It's time to re-enroll for next school year! Click to view next year's [school calendar](#), [tuition information \(for K-8\)](#) and an important [enrollment timeline \(for K-8\)](#). Enrollment emails from TADS were sent out at the end of January. Enrolling early helps us better plan for next school year!

3RD QUARTER MISSION PROJECT: We collected \$467.98 for WLHS's “*Our Hands For His Service Project*”! Thank you for your donations! Watch for info on our 4th quarter mission project next week!

SCHOOL SINGING SCHEDULE: Our classes sing in church at various times during the school year. The schedule for this year is available [here](#). Please be sure to let your child's teacher know if he/she is unable to attend a scheduled singing date.

SCRIP (NOW RAISE RIGHT): RaiseRight orders are placed on the second Monday of each month. The next order will be placed Monday, April 8th. Please have your order in the Scrip box in the office by 3:00 PM, or you may place your order online.

SPORTS CALENDAR: Wrestlers, please continue to check TeamSnap for schedule.