

MONDAY MESSENGER

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ST. PAUL'S ON FOX 6: Did you see us on the news last Friday evening? FOX 6 visited St. Paul's and put together this story: [FOX 6 News Story](#)

ARBOR DAY TOMORROW: With some great weather predicted for tomorrow, we are planning to hold our annual Arbor Day clean-up of our grounds. In the afternoon, students will work at sprucing up our outdoor areas followed by a treat afterwards! Grades 5-8 are asked to bring in rakes, if possible.

OPEN HOUSE STICKERS: If you have a yard sign at home, please stop in to pick up a new set of stickers for our next Open Houses, which are May 4th and May 12th from 4:30-7:30 PM. Thank you for your help in spreading the word about St. Paul's!

TEACHER APPRECIATION WEEK: Teacher Appreciation starts next week Monday, May 3rd – Friday, May 7th. The staff is being fed lunch daily by generous volunteers at St. Paul's.

A teacher mailbox will be in the main hallway for students to drop their teacher a card, picture, joke or story. (Thank you cards will be set out as well, in case a kid forgets at home.)

Better Together coffee truck run by members of the Richichi family will be in the parking lot from 7:30 to 9:30 Wednesday morning (May 5). Drinks can be purchased by anyone during this time.

ESCAPE TO CAMP ITCHYBOTTOM: Our 7th & 8th graders are proud to present this zany story about two Blues Brothers criminals who escape from prison! The boys, along with their tough Ma and floozy girl Didi, hide out as they disguise themselves as counselors at Camp Itchybottom. Hijinx ensue as the children at camp become suspicious of their new counselors. Music and laughter accompany this original and hilarious play written by St. Paul's former principal, Mr. Gary Wille. This play will be presented by live-stream on Friday, April 30th at 7:00 p.m. Use the QR code to join us!



VACATION BIBLE CAMP 2021: "Space Station Salvation" In order to offer a safe vacation bible camp experience this summer, it will be held outside and for a shorter period of time. VBC will be held Monday - Thursday, July 12-15. Tentatively, it will run from 5:00-6:30pm. All those entering 3K - 6th grade in the fall are invited. To make this a successful event, we will need many volunteers, both adults and teenagers. Forms will be available soon. Please consider volunteering for this important ministry at St. Paul's.

LOST AND FOUND: Have you checked the Lost & Found? Please stop by the table right inside the lobby this week and check for any missing items! All items unclaimed by this Friday, April 30th will be donated.

ENROLLMENT REMINDER: If you have not already enrolled your students in TADS for next year, please take a few minutes to do that this week! If you need the TADS link re-sent to you, please let the office know!

MAY DRESS-UP DAYS: We've planned some fun, themed Wednesdays to finish out the school year!

- Wednesday, May 5th is Class Color Day!
3K – blue, 4K – purple, Kindergarten – red, 1st – brown, 2nd – gray, 3rd – Pink, 4th – black
5th – orange, 6th – white, 7th – yellow, 8th – green
- Wednesday, May 12th is St. Paul's Hornet Day! Wear your Hornet gear!
- Wednesday, May 19th is Crazy Sock Day!
- Wednesday, May 26th is Beach Day (no swimwear, please)!

INSTRUMENT RECITAL: Our student musicians will be having their recital on Monday, May 17th at 6:00 p.m. The recital will be held in church with masks and distancing requirements in place.

HANGING FLOWER BASKET FUNDRAISER: Flower Petals Farm will once again be holding a hanging basket fundraiser to benefit St. Paul's! There are 6-8 varieties of baskets that can be seen here: www.flowerpetalsfarm.weebly.com. Baskets are \$25.00 each, with \$5.00 from each basket going to St. Paul's! Pick up dates are Sunday, May 9th and Sunday, May 23rd from 9am–noon, in St. Paul's parking lot. Please call (414) 517-5161 to place your orders and schedule a pick-up time. Thank you for supporting Flower Petals Farm and St. Paul's!

FOURTH QUARTER MISSION PROJECT – NEW BEGINNINGS: New Beginnings is a WELS-affiliated organization and has a location in Milwaukee on Wisconsin Avenue. Their primary focus is to provide a supportive environment and resources for new or single mothers in need. Many of the women they aid have a history of domestic abuse, neglect, or addiction. New Beginnings offers housing, education, financial advice, parenting classes, and so much more to these women to break the cycle and help them acclimate into society. Above all, they service everyone they come into contact with through their Christ-centered ministry and spiritual guidance. Currently, the staff at New Beginnings is looking to purchase a new site to double their current capacity to house additional mothers and their children. The money we raise would specifically go toward furnishing this new building to successfully equip it with items such as mattresses, toddler beds, study/office desks, and dining sets. If you are looking for more information on New Beginnings, you can check out their website, <https://www.homeformothers.com>.

SCRIP: The last Scrip order of the school year will be placed on Monday, May 10th. Now is the time to stock up for summer! Please have your order in the Scrip box in the office by 3:15, or you may place your order online.