

## Christ-St. John's Lutheran School

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# Cougar News

Monday, April 29, 2024

#### **NEW THIS WEEK**

**LET'S CONFESS!** How important are words? When you think about it, words are essential. There is no communication without them. Everything we know, picture, and conceive of is identified in our minds by words. Words are essential because that is how the Lord communicates to us. It is in his word that we find out who he is, how much we need him, and what he has done to save us.

This is why God's word is the foundation of Christ-St. John's Lutheran School. God's word is life. Each morning as our students learn from God's word in Chris-Light or in Catechism class they are blessed as God draws them closer to him.

How important are words? God's word is necessary to know Jesus. How important are words? God wants our words to reflect and confess our love for him. Consider these words from Romans 10:10, "For it is with your heart that you believe and are justified, and it is with your mouth that you confess and are saved."

That's how important words are. May our words always reflect the love of God in Christ, and may they confess our faith in him.

In Christian love, Pastor Schultz

**Teacher Appreciation Week** is May 6<sup>th</sup> through May 10<sup>th</sup>. Look for more information coming this week.

#### **NEW THIS WEEK CONT.**

**The Time, Talent, & Treasure Showcase** will be held on Friday, May 3<sup>rd</sup>, starting at 6:00 p.m. Doors open at 5:30 p.m. in order to check out all of the amazing projects that our students have completed. Individual, group and classroom performances are scheduled to begin at 6:00 p.m. Please have your student performer to CSJ by 5:45 p.m.

Thank you to those who signed up for the preperformance meal. If you signed up to enjoy the meal prior to the event, we will be serving dinner from 5:15-5:50 p.m.

Next singing date: Christ-St. John's joint Ascension Service will be held at Christ Lutheran Church on Thursday, May 9th at 6:30 p.m. A meal will be served prior to the service from 4:30-6:00 p.m. Grades 1-8 will be singing with the Adult Choir at the service. The children and the choir will meet in the church at 6 p.m. for a joint rehearsal.

Grades 5K-8th will be singing on Thursday, May 23, 2024, for the 6:30 p.m. graduation service. Please have your child meet in the multi-purpose room at 6:15 p.m. to warm up.

Friday Chapel Mission Offerings: Our second semester mission offering will be going to Cornerstone Lutheran High School. Our offerings to date total \$902.20

### **NEW THIS WEEK CONT.**

**Logger Dog Reading Incentive Program** CSJ readers are off to a great start!
Reading results are as follows:

24 readers made it to first base

18 readers made it to second base

17 readers made it to third base

13 readers hit a homerun!

Reminder that the Logger Dog Program ends on Monday, May 6<sup>th</sup>. Please turn in your reading logs by Tuesday, May 7<sup>th</sup>. If you have any questions, please contact the school office. Thanks!

#### LIBRARY NEWS

**From Mrs. Garbers:** The last day for books to be checked out is Wednesday, May 1<sup>st</sup>. All books need to be returned to the Library by Friday, May 10<sup>th</sup>.

Thank you for your cooperation and I hope you all have a happy summer!

### **COUGAR CAFE**

**Menu Change:** We will be serving Spaghetti and Meatballs on Tuesday, April 30<sup>th</sup>, instead of Meatballs and Gravy. Thanks!

#### **ATHLETICS**

Track Meet Information: The track meet for Saturday, May 4th, hosted by LALSAC, will be held at Luther High School. All field events will start at 9:00 a.m. and running events will begin at 10:30 a.m.. Remember that all running events take precedence over field events. Please remind your athlete to listen carefully for their running events to be called. If they are waiting at a field event and their race is called over the loudspeaker, please tell the person running the field event they need to run, and they will be back to do the field event. Please contact Mr. Fellers by email if you have any questions.

Kickball Mixer Information: The LALSAC will be hosting a Coed Kickball Tournament for 5<sup>th</sup> through 8<sup>th</sup> grade in Holmen on Saturday, May 11<sup>th</sup> from 8:30-1:00 p.m. at Deerwood Park (500 Henderson St, Holmen, WI 54636). If your child would like to participate on this date, please email Mr. Voigt by Tuesday, May 7<sup>th</sup>. They will be placed on teams with children from other LALSAC schools.

**Track Practice** will be held on Tuesday and Thursday, April 29<sup>th</sup> and May 1<sup>st</sup>, from 3:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.

# **CSJ PROGRAMS**

**Scrip Program:** Participating in the Scrip Program is a great way to cover some or all of your tuition costs and helps CSJ at the same time. If you would like more information on how our Scrip program works, please contact the school office. Thanks!



# **CSJ PROGRAMS**

#### **Kwik Trip Ultimate Car Wash Cards**

are available for purchase in the school office. There are five washes per card at a cost of \$35.00. The car wash cards make a great gift and helps support your school. For more information, contact the school office. Thanks!

## **May Calendar**

- 3 Time, Talent & Treasure Showcase
- 5 St. John's Confirmation 10:30 a.m. Service
- 5 Spring Spotlight 2:00 p.m. @ Luther High School
- 8 No Afternoon Bussing Early Release for West Salem Schools
- 9 Ascension Service 6:30 p.m. @ Christ Lutheran
- 17 Olympic Day @ CSJ
- Graduation Service (5K through 8<sup>th</sup> grade sings) 6:30 p.m.
- 24 Last Day of School Half Day-Dismissal at 11:30 a.m.
- 24 End of Fourth Quarter (44 Days)
- 24 End of Third Trimester 3K, 4K & 5K
- 28-29 Faculty In-Service 8:30 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.