



Christ-St. John's Lutheran School

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Cougar News

Monday October 28, 2024

NEW THIS WEEK

From the Principal: The extended weekend allowed students and staff to take advantage of time to relax. As part of this time, however, the teachers were at a conference in Milwaukee, WI. At this conference, a speaker explained his life as a detective and how this led him to become a pastor. He was brought to the thought of being a pastor due to situations in his job that put his life on the line. In our lives, we may not face this type of situation on a consistent basis. We may come across times in our lives where we feel overwhelming stress, we may face hardships in relationships, or even find ourselves in situations as dire as mentioned above.

However, no matter the hardship, we have the sure foundation that the Lord has saved us. It is important to put our trust in him to help in these times rather than trying to do it alone. Ephesians 2:8-9 states this for us, "For it is by grace you have been saved, through faith—and this is not from yourselves, it is the gift of God—not by works, so that no one can boast." It is not from our own abilities, our own experiences, our own work that we receive the ultimate gift. It is from the Lord. May we continually put our trust in him.

Blessings on the rest of your week.

In Christ,

Jace Fellers, Principal

NEW THIS WEEK CONT.

Olympic/Color Team Shirts: On Friday, November 1st, your child will receive the T-shirt that we tie-dyed last week. Your child should wear this shirt for any field trips and Olympic/color team events. The shirt has already been washed and is ready to be worn! Here are some future washing instructions: Wash separately in cold water and dry as desired. Be sure to keep the shirt in a safe place. We had so much fun dyeing the shirts together. Go CSJ!

Singing Schedule: The 5th through 8th grade will be singing at St. John's in the 8:00 a.m. service on Sunday, November 10th. The 1st through 4th grades will be singing at Christ Lutheran in the 8:00 a.m. service on Sunday, November 17th. Please let your classroom teacher know if your child will not be attending. Thank you!

Our First Semester Mission Offering will be sent to the Crossing Bridges Program in the Detroit area. This program helps to provide a Christ-centered education to the children of the Palabra de Vida Church in Detroit. Offerings to date total **\$521.38**.

ATHLETICS

Basketball Practice: Boy's A & B teams will practice on Mondays and Wednesdays from 3:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m. Girl's A & B teams will practice on Tuesdays and Thursdays from 3:00 to 5:00 p.m. **Boy's first practice is Monday, October 28th and the girl's first practice is Tuesday, October 29th.**



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"Fix Your Eyes on Jesus" Hebrews 12:2



ATHLETICS CONT.

Looking Ahead: Our first basketball game of the season will be home vs. First Lutheran, La Crosse. All teams will be playing. Games start at 5:00 p.m. with the B girl's game. Go Cougars!!!

Concession Stand Schedule will be sent out via Fast Direct by the end of this week.

Don Kish Memorial Basketball

Tournament: Save the date for the Don Kish Memorial Basketball Tournament for A boy's and girls' basketball teams which will be held on Saturday, November 9th, at Mt. Calvary-Grace Lutheran School in La Crosse. Tournament bracket and menu will be sent home via Fast Direct as soon as it is available. Go Cougars!

November Calendar

- 2 Fall Science & Fine Arts Fair @ Luther
- 4 Principal's Conference @ Luther 12:30 p.m.
- 22 End of 1st Trimester – 3K, 4K & 5K
- 27-29 No School – Thanksgiving Break

