



# Christ-St. John's Lutheran School

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## Cougar News

Monday September 30, 2024

### NEW THIS WEEK

**From the Principal:** Greetings in the name of our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ. This week, we are having the parking lot ripped up. We also have the shed being put together. In the end, there is a lot of work being done this week. We have a lot of work and stressors in our lives. That's the truth. Although we have a lot of work that needs to be done, there are files to be sorted, projects to be finished, children to be cared for, we need not worry. The Lord has done the ultimate work for us. The ultimate work in sending his Son, who then worked perfectly for us. May we continue to keep our eyes fixed on him in all that we do.

Blessings on the rest of your week.

In Christ,

Jace Fellers  
Principal

**Vision Screening** will be held on Tuesday, October 1<sup>st</sup>.

**No Afternoon Bussing** on Monday, October 9<sup>th</sup>, due to an early release for the West Salem School District.

**Future Singing Dates:** The 3K through 5K classrooms will be singing at Christ Lutheran in the 10:30 a.m. service on Sunday, October 20<sup>th</sup>. The 5<sup>th</sup> through 8<sup>th</sup> grades will be singing at St. John's in the 8 a.m. service on Sunday, November 10<sup>th</sup>. The 1<sup>st</sup> through 4<sup>th</sup> grades will be singing at Christ Lutheran in the 8:00 a.m. service on Sunday, November 17<sup>th</sup>. Please let your classroom teacher know if your child will not be attending. Thanks!

### NEW THIS WEEK

**5<sup>th</sup> through 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Science & Fine Arts Fair Art and Craft Entries:** This year your child will be entering an art project in the Science and Fine Arts Fair at Luther High School on Saturday, November 2<sup>nd</sup>. It will be an art project they have done at school and it will be part of their grade. Your child will be bringing home a judging form for you to sign. Please return the form to school by Wednesday, October 9<sup>th</sup>. If your child would like to enter a second art or craft project, please contact Mrs. Cook or Mrs. Black for a form to sign. This form will also be due by Wednesday, October 9<sup>th</sup>. Students have until Tuesday, October 22<sup>nd</sup> to hand in the finished art project. Please contact Mrs. Cook if you have any questions about the art and craft entries. 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. More information to follow regarding this important program. Offerings to date total **\$357.69**.

**Fall Festival:** The CSJ Fall Festival will be held on Saturday, October 19<sup>th</sup>, from 11:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. We will have concession food, carnival games and bingo with prizes. If you are willing to donate time or run a booth in the gym or have any other questions, please contact the school office. Please use the following link to donate items for the event: [Link to Sign Up Genius](#)



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## LIBRARY NEWS

**From Mrs. Garbers:** Our school year is off to a wonderful start, as is our Library. It's that wonderful time of the year of Autumn and Fall colors and it is also the time of the year where we start the Library Reading Achievement Program. Many students are very excited about the reading program. The program starts on Tuesday, October 1<sup>st</sup>, 2024, and will end on Saturday, March 1<sup>st</sup>, 2025. This year's program is: "Make Friends with a Book" with Elephant and Piggie (from the Mo Willems series) exploring the Library with books and reading. Your child will be bringing home the information on the program and their first reading sheet this week. Happy exploring your Library and "Making Friends with Books!"

## ATHLETICS

**Volleyball Practice** will be held on Monday, September 30<sup>th</sup>, and Wednesday, October 2<sup>nd</sup>, from 3:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m.

**Volleyball News:** The A-Team participated this weekend in a tournament hosted by Coulee Christian School. The girls went 1-1. Our next match will be at Luther High School on Saturday, October 5<sup>th</sup>, for both A and B teams. A Team plays at 8:00 a.m. and the B Team plays at 1:15 p.m. Go Cougars!

**Flag Football News:** Our next flag football event will be held on **Saturday, October 5<sup>th</sup>**, at Luther High School. Any girls or boys in 5<sup>th</sup> through 8<sup>th</sup> grade are welcome to participate. If you would like your child to participate, please email Mr. Voigt by **Wednesday, October 2<sup>nd</sup>**. Thanks!

## ATHLETICS CONT.

**Cross Country News:** The next cross country meet is scheduled for **Monday, October 7<sup>th</sup>**, at the Maple Grove Venues. The start time is 3:15 p.m. The grade school runners will race before the Chileda Classic, a high school cross country meet. Since a high school meet is at Maple Grove Venues that day, a \$5.00 parking fee will be assessed to all vehicles. If you would like your child to participate on that day, please email Mr. Voigt by **Wednesday, October 2<sup>nd</sup>**. Participants will be dismissed by **2:30 p.m.** from school on Monday, **October 7<sup>th</sup>** in order to prepare for the race.

## OCTOBER CALENDAR

- 9 No Afternoon Bussing – Early Release for the West Salem School District
- 11 Children's Theatre (Kindergarten through 4<sup>th</sup>) 9:30 a.m. @ Luther High School
- 11 End of First Quarter (36 Days)
- 14 Picture Retake Day
- 16 CSJ Winter Sports Meeting 6:30 p.m.
- 18 No Bussing – No School for the West Salem School District
- 19 Fall Festival 11:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.
- 21 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Welcome Night 6:30 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. @ Luther High School
- 21-23 Parent/Teacher Conferences 1<sup>st</sup> Grade Through 8<sup>th</sup> Grade
- 23 No School – In-Service Day/Parent Teacher Conferences if needed
- 24-25 No School – State Teacher's Conference in Milwaukee, WI



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