

St. John's Lutheran School

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APRIL EVENTS

- ♦ April 24, 6:30 P.M.
PTS Mtg., Gr. 1&2
Serve, Fine Arts
Fair Performers

- ♦ April 25, 4:00 P.M.
LLHS Math Meet

MAY EVENTS

- ♦ May 1
6:30 P.M.
Piano Recital
- ♦ May 3
6:30 P.M.
Examination
- ♦ May 6
10:30 A.M.
Confirmation
- ♦ May 14
1:30 & 7:00 P.M.
Spring Concert
School Gym

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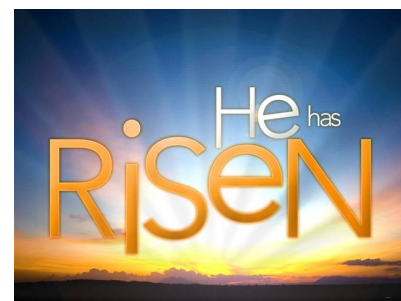
Weekly Schedule

Sun., April 22	8:00 AM	DIVINE WORSHIP SERVICE (Gr. 5&6 Sing)
	9:15 AM	Sunday School & Bible Class
	10:30 AM	DIVINE WORSHIP SERVICE (Sunday School Sings)
Mon., April 23	7:15 AM	Faculty Mtg.
	12:05 PM	Hot Lunch: Village Garden
	3:15 PM	Faculty Mtg.
	3-4:30 PM	Track Practice
	7:00 PM	Board of Education Mtg.
Tues., April 24	3-4:00 PM	Math Team Practice (All)
	3-4:30 PM	Softball Practice
	6:30 PM	PTS Mtg.—Gr. 1&2 Serve Fine Arts Fair Performers Parish Nurse Presentation on Keeping Active and Physical Fitness for Families
Wed., April 25	7:15 AM	Faculty Mtg.
	12:05 PM	CHAPEL/MISSION OFFERING
	3-4:30 PM	Hot Lunch: SubWay Track Practice
	4:00 PM	LLHS Math Meet
Thurs., April 26	9:15 AM	Gr. K-4 FT to LPS "Snow White & the Seven Dwarfs"
	3-4:30 PM	Softball Practice
	6:30 PM	DIVINE WORSHIP SERVICE
Fri., April 27	8:30 AM	CEF Stamps & Band Practice Gr. 6 to LLHS "The Nifty Fifties"
	3-4:30 PM	Popcorn Friday Track Practice
Sat., April 28	9:00 AM	School Cleaning

Worship Schedule

I know that my redeemer lives,
and that in the end
He will stand on the earth. (Job 19:25)

Sunday—8:00 & 10:30 A.M.
Bible Class (church basement)— 9:15 A.M.
Sunday School (school)—9:15 A.M.
Youth Bible Class (school)—9:15 A.M.
Thursday—6:30 P.M.



From the Principal's Desk

Am I Really a Believer?

Since, then, you have been raised with Christ, set your hearts on things above, where Christ is, seated at the right hand of God. Set your minds on things above, not on earthly things. For you died, and your life is now hidden with Christ in God. When Christ, who is your life, appears, then you also will appear with Him in glory.

Colossians 3:1-4



By definition, the name *believer* says that you depend on things you can't see or feel. The Bible says that "nothing good lives in our sinful nature" (Romans 7:18), but it might not seem so to us. The Bible says that "Jesus is the atoning sacrifice for our sins" (1 John 2:2), but we might not *feel* forgiven.

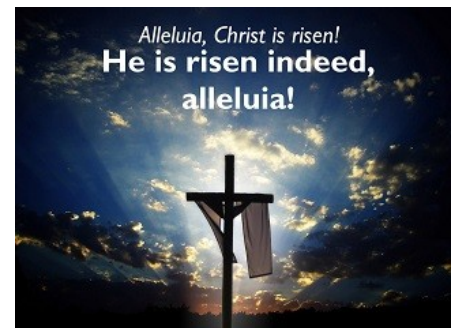
Sin and forgiveness aren't the only things hidden from our eyes. In today's reading, the apostle Paul states that a believer's whole *life* is now hidden with Christ in God. Paul is saying to believers, "Everything you do looks holy to God. Everything that ever happens to you is to your benefit. God has blessed you with an entire life of uninterrupted spiritual success." Paul is also saying, "This life is *hidden*."

It sure is. When we reflect on our efforts to live the way God wants us to, we see consistent failure. When a pile of trouble hits us, it can feel very much like we're being punished. Believers who see and feel such things may even begin to wonder, "Am I really a believer?"

In today's reading, Paul pries our eyes away from what we can see and feel, away from earthly things, and speaks God's Word to us: "You died..." He says. "You have been raised with Christ." The apostle Paul is talking about Baptism. Baptism is God's Word and promise of forgiveness, connected to water. Through Baptism, God works faith in our hearts and connects us to Jesus who by His death and resurrection has taken away our sins. Baptism is a drowning of the sinful nature, and a resurrection to new spiritual life.

Paul says, "Set your mind on things above, not on earthly things." Looks can be deceiving, and feelings can't always be trusted. God has given us something better, something that will never change because it comes from Him. When believers struggle with guilt and pain, God invites us to look past what we can see and feel. Our baptism tells us who we *are*.

Prayer: Dear Jesus, set my mind on things above. Amen.



HAPPENINGS AT ST. JOHN'S

Church Singing

Sunday, April 22, 8:00 A.M.: **Gr. 5&6** Sing
10:30 A.M.: **Sunday School** Sings

Sunday, April 29, 10:30 A.M.: **Gr. 3&4** Sing

Mission Offerings

4th Quarter—Ministerial Education

Luther Preparatory School, Watertown

Total collected so far: **\$81.36**

Please remember that our mission offerings for our Lord are collected on Wednesday.

Parent Teacher Society Meeting

Our last PTS meeting of the year is on Tuesday, April 24, at 6:30 PM. Our Parish Nurses will do a presentation on keeping active and physical fitness for families. Julie Karbula will speak on this topic. Students who performed at the Fine Arts Fair held at Lakeside will also entertain. If your child received a first place rating or did really well at the Fine Arts Fair for their performance, he/she is invited to perform at the meeting. Please let Mrs. Leissring know if your child will perform, the instrument they will play, and the title of the music selection by Monday, April 23rd. **Gr. 1&2** parents will serve snacks and beverages at this meeting.

Gr. 6 to LLHS Play

Gr. 6 will travel to Lakeside Lutheran High School on Friday, April 27th, to see "The Nifty Fifties". They will leave St. John's at 8:30 A.M. and be back by 12:30 P.M. The cost for the play and transportation will be shared soon.

Gr. K-4 to Luther Prep Play

Gr. K-4 will travel to Luther Prep on Thursday, April 26th, to see "Snow White & the Seven Dwarfs". They will leave St. John's at 9:15 A.M. and be back by noon. The cost for the play and transportation is \$5.00.

Math Meet



The whole team will practice on Tuesday, April 24th, from 3-4:00 P.M. If any of the math team members are in softball also, they will go to practice after math practice is over. Our math team will travel to LLLHS on Wednesday, April 25th, for the math meet. All participants should be there by 3:45 P.M. We will leave school at 2:55 P.M. Transportation should be arranged by parents. Parents are asked to wait in the cafeteria at LLHS until the awards presentation at 5:15 P.M. Please bring something to do or you can just visit with other mathlete parents while you wait. Everything should be wrapped up by 5:30 P.M. We will then meet at Culver's in Johnson Creek on Hwy. 26 for food, fellowship and test results. If you have any questions, please contact Mrs. Noldan, Mrs. Colantonio, or Mrs. Schultz.

Go Eagle Mathletes!!

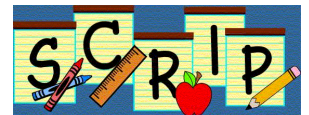
School Cleaning



Our next school cleaning day is Saturday, April 28th, starting at 9:00 AM. The following families signed up to clean: Kluz, Krueger, Niemuth, Ockerlander, Preskar, R/J Schaalma, Schmidt, K/J Wolter, & M/K Yuenger. Please bring along buckets and rags. We start at 9:00 A.M. and should be done by noon.

Our June cleaning date is yet to be determined. The following families have signed up for June: Cody & M/J Schaalma.

HELP is needed for the June date. If you would like to change your cleaning date or sign up for either date if you haven't fulfilled your obligation for the school year, please contact Mrs. Leissring in the school office as soon as possible!



Scrip News

The end of the Scrip fiscal year will be the end of May. Purchase your Scrip before then to get credit for your book bill for the 2018-2019 school year.

Piano Recital

The piano recital for the students of Mrs. Bonnie Loersch will be held on Tuesday, May 1st, at 6:30 PM. *If you are a student with another piano teacher and would like to participate in the recital, please let Mrs. Leissring or Mr. Cody know by Monday, April 23rd.* Everyone is welcome to attend.



Grade Eight Washington D.C. Trip



Thank you to all who chaperoned for the trip!

Lost & Found

The lost and found items will be located on a table by the trophy cases until after the school picnic on May 25th. They will then be donated to "Twice Is Nice" if they are not claimed. Please check the table to see if any of these items are yours. Thank you.

Busing Forms

A busing form is enclosed in your family envelope. If you require busing for your child for the 2018-2019 school year, please fill out the form and return it to school via your family envelope by Monday, April 23rd.

Spring Band, Jr. Choir, & Gr. 3 Recorder Concert

Our spring concert will be held on Monday, May 14, at 1:30 P.M. and 7:00 PM in the school gym. Band, Jr. Choir, and Third Grade Recorders will be performing at this concert. The band and Jr. Choir will wear their orange shirts, black t-shirts, and black pants, capris, or skirts. The orange shirts will be handed out before the concert and are to be turned in after the concert. Eighth grade parents are asked to serve for the concert. We will have ice cream sundaes. Contact Mrs. Leissring if you are able to help with this.

SPRING DATES TO REMEMBER

LLHS Math Meet: Wednesday, April 25, 4:00 P.M.

Piano Recital: Tuesday, May 1, 6:30 P.M.

Examination: Thursday, May 3, 6:30 P.M.

Gr. 1-4 Track Meet @ Columbus:
Friday, May 4, 12:30 P.M.

Small School Track Meet: Saturday,
May 5, 8:15 A.M. @ Jefferson High School

Confirmation: Sunday, May 6, 10:30 A.M.

Ascension Service @ Zion, Columbus:
Thursday, May 10th, 6:30 P.M.

BLAC Conference Track Meet:
Saturday, May 12, 8:15 A.M.
@ Ft. Atkinson High School

Spring Music Concert: Monday, May 14

Preschool Spring Program:
Tuesday, May 15, 6:00 P.M.

BLAC Conference Softball Tournament:
Friday, May 18

Awards Banquet: Tuesday, May 22

Civil War Night (Gr. 5): Wednesday, May 23

Graduation Service: Thursday, May 24

School Picnic: Friday, May 25

Walking Bus



There will be a "walking bus" to school Tuesday mornings until May 22nd. If you would like to participate, please meet at the Juneau Public Library at 7:15 A.M. You will walk to school from there. This program is a part of the "Blue Zone Project" that Dodge County is participating in. Adult chaperones will be there to walk with the children. Have your child get some early morning exercise before school. Check it out!

Popcorn Day

Popcorn Day will be Friday,
April 27th.



Pick Up Your Sleds



Spring is not here, unfortunately! Please pick up your sleds from the front of school after the snow melts.



Juneau Rec. Dept.



Summer recreation booklets are available in the school office. They are also available at Dodgeland Elementary School, Juneau Public Library, City Hall, and Recreation Department.

ATHLETICS

Softball

April 23-27 Practices:
Tuesday & Thursday, 3-4:30 P.M.

Mathletes should report to Math practices first when practices overlap.

Orange team coaches are: Lee Weiss & Steve Schultz

Black team coaches are: Mr. Cody & Ted Fehrman

May 2: Orange Team Here vs. Zion, Columbus Black Team @ St. Paul, Lake Mills, Rotary Park

May 8: Black Team Here
vs. Holy Trinity, Okauchee

May 11: Orange Team Here
vs. St. Paul, Lake Mills

WARNING—TEAM CHANGE—May 15:
Orange Team @ Holy Trinity, Okauchee

May 16: Both Teams Here
vs. St. Paul's, Ixonia
4:00 P.M.—Black and 5:15 P.M.—Orange

May 18: TBD—Both Teams
@ BLAC Tournament at Watertown Parks

Softball Gloves/Hats/Visors

Softball players, please remember your glove and hat or visor. All fifth graders were given a hat or visor. Gr. 6-8 students that were in softball last year should have a St. John's hat/visor. If you need a hat replacement, the cost will be \$7.00. Replacement visor cost is \$12.00. Please contact Mrs. Colantonio or Mr. Krebs if you need a replacement.

Eligibility Guidelines

We are letting you know that students who become ineligible in the fourth quarter will not be eligible to participate in sports or extra-curricular activities at the beginning of next school year. They will be ineligible for three weeks. Eighth graders are reminded that this eligibility requirement also applies to them. Please encourage your son or daughter to keep working faithfully until the end. "Whatever you do, work at it with all your heart, as working for the Lord, not for men."

Track

Practices have begun. Additional information is included in your family envelope.

April 23-27 Practices:
Monday, Wednesday, & Friday, 3-4:30 P.M.

Coaches are: Lee Weiss, Ted Fehrman, Heide Brandt, Ashley Rabehl, Shannon Schmidt, & Pastor Schupmann

Track Meets—8:15 A.M. to approximately 3:00 P.M.

May 5: Track Meet @ Jefferson High School

May 12: Track Meet @ Fort Atkinson, High School

Softball & Track Shirts

For all softball games and track meets, team members are expected to wear their St. John's solid orange t-shirt (not tie dyed & not with any other logos other than the one shown).



Church & School Family Campout

The church and school family campout has been set! Details are as follows: Sites and cabins have been held at Lake Arrowhead Campground in Montello, Wisconsin for June 1-3. They are held under "Ron Preskar". The campground's phone number is 920-295-3000. You may also visit their website at www.lakearrowheadcampground.com.

Join us for a great weekend of fun! If you have any questions, call Ron at 920-382-2356.



Reminder—Medication



If your child requires medication to be given at school, a medication permission form is required to be on file at school. All medications including over the counter drugs and cough drops require this permission form. If your child requires over the counter medication, they must have a bottle or package here at school. The medication must be in its original packaging and marked with the student's name. Please give the medication to either Mr. Cody, Mrs. Leissring, or your child's teacher.

According to school policy, no medication is to be kept by the student or kept in their backpack. The medication is kept in the school office with the exception of an inhaler, epi pen, and diabetes medication.

Immunizations

Children who will be in Kindergarten or Gr. 6 will need to have their immunizations updated for the 2018-2019 school year. Children in Kindergarten will need various vaccinations if they have not already had them. Children in sixth grade will need to have a T-dap immunization. Please contact your doctor to get your child's immunizations updated. If you would like to view your child's immunization record at school, please contact Mrs. Leissring in the school office.

Reminder: If you have or will have your child's immunizations updated, please let Mrs. Leissring in the school office know. Your child's immunization record will be updated with this new information.

*The Son of God became a man to enable
men to become the sons of God.*

C.S. Lewis

HAVE A BLESSED WEEK!

VBS Dates

Vacation Bible School will be held on June 11-14th in the afternoon after Dodge Land's Summer School. Please mark this on your calendar.

Reading and Math Summer Order

On page seven there is an order blank for anyone who would like to provide their child with practice this summer in reading and math. You may order or not order them at your discretion. Samples to look at are available in the school office. Order the grade that your child is completing. You may pay now or when the books come in. If you would like to order, please fill out the form and return it to Mrs. Leissring in the school office by Monday, April 30th. Thank you!

Spring Field Trips

Thursday, April 26: Kindergarten, Gr. K-4 to LPS to see
"Snow White & the Seven Dwarfs"

Friday, April 27: Gr. 6 to LLHS to see "The Nifty Fifties"

Friday, May 4: Gr. 1-4 Track Meet @ Zion, Columbus

Thursday, May 10: Gr. K-2 to Olbrich Gardens, Madison

Gr. 3&4 to Miller Park/Discovery World, Milwaukee

Thursday, May 17: Gr. 5&6 to Cave of the Mounds

Lakeside News



Lakeside Lutheran High School Drama Presents *The Nifty Fifties*

It was the fifties. Captain Midnight decoder rings and hula hoops. Teenage girls dressed in poodle skirts with bobby socks and saddle shoes. Teenage boys imitating Marlon Brando's black boots and black motorcycle jacket or James Dean's blue jeans and a white t-shirt. Elvis on the Ed Sullivan show. American Bandstand. And, of course, there was a place in every town where kids would gather to have a coke and some fries after school while listening to the jukebox. Our story begins in a place just like that. Your LLHS is staging a vintage 50's musical that will have you cheering! Advance tickets are available online (start at llhs.org/drama) or by calling 800-838-3006. Call or email the LLHS office with questions at 920-648-2321 or office@llhs.org. Friday and Saturday, April 27 & 28, 7:00 P.M. both nights. \$8.00 for reserved floor seating, and \$5.00 for walk-up non-reserved bleacher seating.

Lakeside Lutheran Summer Band Program and Sports Camps

The summer band program is looking for any band student in grades 4-7 to join the Lakeside Lutheran High School band summer program. If you do not play an instrument, color and honor guard members are needed also. Contact Mrs. Leissring for a registration form. Lakeside is also offering summer sports camps. Check out llhs.org/K8sports for online information and downloadable versions of their brochures and registration items.



Reading and Math Summer Order

Reading	Quantity	Price Each	Total
Gr. Level K		\$19.00	
Gr. Level 1		\$19.00	
Gr. Level 2		\$19.00	
Gr. Level 3		\$19.00	
Gr. Level 4		\$19.00	
Gr. Level 5		\$19.00	
Gr. Level 6		\$19.00	
Gr. Level 7		\$19.00	
Gr. Level 8		\$19.00	

Math	Quantity	Price Each	Total
Gr. Level K		\$19.00	
Gr. Level 1		\$19.00	
Gr. Level 2		\$19.00	
Gr. Level 3		\$19.00	
Gr. Level 4		\$19.00	
Gr. Level 5		\$19.00	
Gr. Level 6		\$19.00	
Gr. Level 7		\$19.00	
Gr. Level 8		\$19.00	
Pre-Algebra		\$19.00	
Algebra I		\$19.00	

_____ Enclosed is my payment

_____ I will pay when the order arrives

(Name of Child(ren))

(Parent Signature)

Please return this order form by Monday, April 30, 2018.



Lakeside Fine Arts Fair Results April 14, 2018

Jr. Choir—2nd

Band—2nd

Piano Solos & Duets:

Kyle Main—1st

Olivia Passig—1st

Kaitlin Feller—1st

Caleb Guenther—2nd

Michel Krebs—1st

Jenna Schaalma—1st

Trio—Michel Krebs, Olivia Passig,
& Jenna Schaalma

Vocal Solos:

Grace Cody—1st

Miranda Mohr—2nd

Instrumental Solos:

Abigail Tolkinen—Clarinet—1st

Caleb Guenther—Trumpet—2nd

Michel Krebs—Trombone—1st

Emily Krueger—Flute—2nd

Landon Roy—Trumpet—1st

John Shramek—Saxophone—1st

Collin Smith—Clarinet—2nd

Matthew Passig—Saxophone—1st

Logan Preskar—Drum—1st

Instrumental or Vocal Duets/Trios:

Mixed Trio—Michael Krebs,
Matthew Passig, & John Shramek—1st

Vocal Duet—Ella Brandt & Grace Cody—2nd

***Thank you to Mr. Lober &
Joan Hohenstein for accompanying
the various instrumental solos and
groups!***

