

# Cross Lutheran School & Early Childcare Center

*Guiding children to learn, to love, and to live under the grace of God's forgiveness.*

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## NEWS for the week of **October 4, 2021**

Principal's Message	<p>There are many new announcements to take note of this week. For our school families, it is very important that your children arrive at school <u>on time</u>. Remember, the school day begins at 7:45. We would like children to be in their classrooms by that time.</p>
Childcare Center & School	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Masks must be worn by anyone entering the school, daycare, or church who is unvaccinated. Thank you for your cooperation with this.</li> <li>● We are getting ready to order this year's <b>school shirts!</b> Every student in Preschool-8th grade will receive a free t-shirt (we will order the size that was selected on the enrollment form). If you are interested in ordering additional types of shirts for your child(ren) or family members, please return the attached order form no later than <b>Tuesday, October 12</b> with your payment (a check made payable to <u>Minted, LLC</u> is preferred). If you would like this to be a surprise Christmas gift, please let your child's teacher know. The shirts should arrive in early November.</li> <li>● <b>Tues., Oct. 5-</b> PTO Family Softball/T-ball Games and Fun Night, 5-7 p.m.             <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Games will begin at 5:00; Those participating in the games should arrive at 4:45. Grades 4-8 will be playing softball and DK-3 will be playing t-ball. Parents may also participate in the games!</li> <li>○ Supper will be at 6:00 p.m. Pizza and drinks will be provided. Please bring a side dish or a dessert to share.</li> <li>○ Preschool and daycare families are invited to watch the games and come for supper!</li> <li>○ A short PTO meeting will follow the meal.</li> </ul> </li> <li>● <b>Wed., Oct. 5-</b> Chapel 8:05 a.m.; Parents/guardians are welcome to join us for Chapel each week! You can meet us in the church, and you are welcome to jump in line to sit by your child with their Chapel Family during the service.</li> <li>● Throughout the year your child may bring home <b>Scholastic Book Order Flyers</b>.             <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ You can place an order anytime you wish by going to <a href="https://clubs.scholastic.com/">www.https://clubs.scholastic.com/</a></li> <li>○ If your teacher does not provide you with a specific code for your child's classroom, you may use our school code, which is <b>H4TVG</b>.</li> </ul> </li> <li>● Chapel offerings this month will be used to support Huron County Safe Place. Throughout the year, offerings will also support the education of Berlina, a teenage girl in Haiti.</li> <li>● <b>Nov. 9-</b> Picture Retakes</li> </ul>
DK-8	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● <b>Progress Reports</b> will be sent home with 1st-8th grade students this week.</li> <li>● <b>CALENDAR CHANGE:</b> There will be <b>no school on Monday, Oct. 18</b>. This is due to a change in Lakers' calendar. We try to keep consistent with their calendar, as they provide bussing for our students.</li> <li>● <b>Reminder:</b> The school day begins at 7:45 a.m. and the front doors are locked at that time. If you arrive after 7:45 you must bring your child to the office entrance and they will be marked as tardy. Please make every effort to have your child(ren) here</li> </ul>

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DK-8 (cont.)	<p>on time for school.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● <b>Robotics Club</b> meets every Monday and Tuesday after school in Mr. Faupel's classroom from 2:45-4:00. Students must have a signed permission slip to attend.</li> <li>● <b>Sun., Oct. 17-</b> All students will be singing during the 9:30 service at Cross Lutheran Church. <b>(Please note DATE CHANGE)</b></li> <li>● Scrip order forms are available in the office. This is a great way to earn extra money that can be applied towards tuition for your child. Please reach out if you have any questions about the Scrip Fundraising Program.</li> </ul>
Preschool	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● This week we will focus on Zoo Phonics characters a-h, the letter B and numerals 0-1. Other activities include counting, sorting, graphing, name folders activities, journaling, and movement activities. Story time theme for the week is colors. For Bible time we will learn about God creating land and water.</li> <li>● Preschool has started attending Chapel with the grade school students on Wednesdays. Chapel offerings may be sent with your child on Wednesdays and kept in his/her mailbox until we go to Chapel.</li> </ul>
Fundraiser	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Cross Lutheran PTO/CEA is now offering beautiful Poinsettias, Amaryllis bulbs &amp; Christmas cactus. Classic Poinsettias are \$15, Painted Poinsettias are \$17, Amaryllis bulbs are \$16 and Christmas cactus are \$13. This is the same company that we have used for the last several years, the plants are absolutely gorgeous! An order sheet has been sent home. Orders &amp; monies are due October 25th. <b><u>Please combine the total of your order into one check - payable to Cross Lutheran CEA.</u></b> The exact delivery date will be given closer to December. If there are any questions, please don't hesitate to contact Rebecca Yackle at 989-551-8022.</li> </ul>
Church Events	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● You are always welcome to attend Cross Lutheran Church on Sunday mornings. Our service begins at 9:30 A.M.</li> </ul>