

Cross Lutheran School Preschool-8th Grade

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 **March 11, 2019**

<p>Prayer Requests</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Families of the Week- During the month of March, we will be specifically praying for each family in the school. Please join us in praying for God's blessings and guidance every day for each family. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Mon: Allison Protzman; Ellie and Nicholas Rujan ○ Tues: Ava Reibling; ○ Wed: Asa Shetler; Gloriel Salas ○ Thurs: Everret Shetler; CJ Simmons ○ Fri: Ava Stachowiak; Grace Trost ● Staff Member: Ms. Kunisch, Secretary ● Local Church/Pastor: Pigeon First United Methodist Church; Pastor Cindy Gibbs
<p>K-8</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Mar. 13- Chapel, 8:00 a.m. ● Mar. 13/14- Pigeon District Library ● Mar. 15- Home Sweet Home ● Mar. 21, 7:00 pm- MUSIC PALOOZA!!! All K-8 students are part of this delightful event showcasing our students' music skills through songs, rhythm instrument arrangements and band instruments. Save this date! Invite your family and friends! ● Directions for Music Palooza: ALL STUDENTS WEAR THEIR "SHINE" CROSS LUTHERAN T-SHIRTS AND BLUE JEANS. Grades K-4 students - arrive by 6:45 and report to your classrooms. Grades 5-8 students - arrive by 6:35 and report to the music room. ● Mar. 21- A science fair will be held by junior high students after Music Palooza. ● Please Note Calendar Change: April 18 will be a half-day, 11:00 dismissal. Laker Schools made this change, and we are also as they provide our bussing
<p>Preschool and K-8</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Bake Sale- A bake sale will be held during the Fish Fry this Friday as a benefit for Mrs. Kuhl, to assist with medical expenses that resulted from her accident. Baked goods are needed. If you are able to bake something, please bring your donations to the school on Friday. They can also be dropped off Thursday, if necessary. Mrs. Kuhl is such a blessing to us! Please help us bless her and her family! ● Spring Fundraiser - please look for a Spring flower/plant fundraiser flyer which was sent home at the end of last week. The plant & flowers are beautiful & 100% guaranteed. This is a tuition assistance fundraiser (profits from what you sell go toward your tuition balance). Any questions please contact April at 989-553-0663. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Orders & money due Monday, April 1st. ○ Make ONE check for child's entire fundraising order payable to: <u>Cross Lutheran CEA.</u> ○ Plants will be delivered the first week of May, the exact date will be given closer to that time. ○ Plants need to be picked up on the delivery date & delivered timely to

<p>Preschool and K-8 (Cont.)</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">ensure proper care!</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Please complete the Parent Survey that was mailed home. If you prefer to complete the survey online, you may do so on the school website, www.crosslutheranschool.org. ● March is Reading Month. We will doing a variety of fun reading activities across all grade levels this month. ● Scholastic Book Orders- If you are interested in ordering books for your child this month, submit your order online by March 13. To order: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Visit www.scholastic.com/bookclubs ○ Use the class code H4TVG if you do not already have an account ○ Contact Mr. Faupel if you have any questions ● Mar. 14 - CEA Board Meeting, 4:45 in the Library. All parents invited to attend. -School Board Meeting, 5:30 in church overflow. ● Mar. 25-29- No School; Spring Break ● Thurs., Apr. 4- Meet, Greet, & Treat Night, 6:00-7:30- Put this date on your calendar, and start spreading the word! This will be an open house and an opportunity to register for 2019-2020. Each family that attends will earn a ticket for the Scholarship Drawing. ● Chapel offerings this month will be used to support Global Barnyard. Throughout the year, our offerings also support the education of Berlina, a teenage girl in Haiti.
<p>Preschool</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Thanks to Avenia and Asa for snacks! Thanks to Carrie Krzeszewski and Robbi Shaffer for classroom help!!! ● MARCH IS READING MONTH! We are having an at-home reading program which will culminate in an ice cream party on March 21. Remember to turn in Reading logs as they are completed. Each student receives a free book and bookmark for participating! ● The State of Michigan has changed the rules for Vision & Hearing screenings, and did not test the younger preschool students this year. Screenings are required for students entering Kindergarten in the fall.
<p>Band</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● All band students will be playing in the Music Palooza event on March 21. Also, Solo & Ensemble participants will be playing their pieces during the event. ● Clarinet reeds are available for \$2.50. Alto Saxophone reeds are \$3.25.
<p>Church/Community Events</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Remember that you are always welcome to attend Cross Church services: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Wednesday Potluck (6:00) and Service: 7:00 p.m. ○ Sunday School: 9:00 A.M. ○ Sunday Worship: 9:30 A.M. ○ Open Gym on Sundays-6-8 PM ● Cross Lutheran Church Fish Fry- March 15, 5-7:30 p.m.