

# St. John's Lutheran School

## EAGLE CLAW

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### SEPTEMBER EVENTS

- ◆ *Sept. 20-30*  
**FALL BOOK FAIR**
- ◆ *Mon., Sept. 24*  
**SCHOOL PICTURES**
- ◆ *Tues., Sept. 25*  
**6:30 P.M. PTS Mtg.**
- ◆ *Fri., Sept. 28*  
**NO SCHOOL**

### OCTOBER EVENTS

- ◆ *Oct. 17&18*  
**Gr. 5&6 to Camp Phillip**
- ◆ *Oct. 19*  
**Forensics Meet @ Zion, Columbus**
- ◆ *Oct. 22, 6:30 P.M.*  
**Social Studies Fair & Praise Concert**

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### Weekly Schedule

Sat., Sept. 22	9:00 AM	School Cleaning <b>BLAC Conference Soccer Tournament</b> <b>DIVINE WORSHIP SERVICE (Horicon)</b>
	5:00 PM	
Sun., Sept. 23	8:00 AM 9:15 AM 10:30 AM	<b>DIVINE WORSHIP SERVICE</b> <b>Bible Class &amp; Sunday School</b> <b>DIVINE WORSHIP SERVICE (Gr. 5&amp;6 Sing)</b> <b>Book Fair Open After Both Services</b>
Mon., Sept. 24	7:15 AM <b>8:00 AM</b> 12:05 PM 3-5:00 PM	Faculty Mtg. <b>School Pictures</b> Hot Lunch: Village Garden A VB Practice
Tues., Sept. 25	<b>3-4:15 PM</b> 3:30-4:30 PM <b>4:15 PM</b> <b>6:30 PM</b>	Piano Lessons B VB Practice Soccer Practice <b>CC Meet @ LLHS</b> <b>Parent Teacher Society Mtg.</b> <b>Protect Kids Online &amp; School Safety</b> <b>Gr. 3&amp;4 Serve</b>
Wed., Sept. 26	7:15 AM 8:00 AM 12:05 PM 3-3:30 PM <b>4:00 PM</b>	Faculty Mtg. <b>CHAPEL—MISSION OFFERING</b> Hot Lunch: SubWay Forensics Practice <b>VB Here vs. St. Paul's, Ixonia</b> <b>4:00 PM—B Team &amp; 5:00 PM—A Team</b> <b>Book Fair Ends</b>
Thurs., Sept. 27	3-4:00 PM <b>4:00 PM</b>  <b>6:30 PM</b>	Cross Country Practice <b>VB Here vs. St. Stephen's, Horicon</b> <b>4:00 PM—B Team &amp; 5:00 PM—A Team</b> <b>DIVINE WORSHIP SERVICE</b> NO SCHOOL—Faculty In-service
Fri., Sept. 28		
Sat., Sept. 29		A Girls BLAC VB Tournament @ LLHS

### Worship Schedule

“Lord, take my hand and lead me upon life's way;  
Direct, protect, and feed me from day to day.  
Without your grace and favor I go astray;  
So take my hand, O Savior, and lead the way. CW 439 st. 1

**Thursday—6:30 P.M.**  
**Saturday—5:00 P.M. (Horicon Location)**  
**Sunday—8:00 & 10:30 A.M.**  
**Bible Class—9:15 A.M.**



## From the Principal's Desk

### The Word of God Produces

*As the rain and the snow come down from heaven,  
and do not return to it without watering the earth and making it bud and flourish,  
so that it yields seed for the sower and bread for the eater,  
so is my word that goes out from my mouth: It will not return to me empty,  
but will accomplish what I desire and achieve the purpose for which I sent it.  
Isaiah 55:10-11*



Perhaps this summer you often see a farm field where both sunshine and rain have come down on that field. You have watched as rows and rows of corn reached toward the sky. First appeared little sprouts that hardly seemed more than organized weeds, but then they grew taller, knee-high, and now those little sprouts have become full stalks that stand taller than you.

Maybe, though, you don't see corn fields where you live. Instead you have watched your tomato plants or your garden flowers. You have witnessed that when water contacts the soil, plants grow and thrive.

It is a perfect picture of what occurs in the places we call churches. As people gather, it is God's Word that comes down from heaven—the Bible is read, songs are sung, messages are delivered by the pastor. God's Word contacts human hearts. We cannot watch hearts as closely as we do the soil of the fields, and we may not witness green sprouts reach for the sky, but people grow and thrive. God promises it. He promises that when He sends His Word to human hearts, it produces. It accomplishes His desire and achieves His purpose.

What is God's purpose for you? He desires that you will come to Him because you thirst for His love and mercy. (See Isaiah 55:1.) He desires that you will turn to listen to His Word and know His mercy and pardon. (See Isaiah 55:7.) He desires that you will be able to go forth in your life with joy and peace. (See Isaiah 55:12.)

In His Word, God tells you that His Son also came down to accomplish what He desired and achieve the purpose for which God sent Him. That purpose was that His own Son gives His life over to death for you. Jesus died to purchase your life out from underneath the weight of your guilt. God's purpose was that Jesus' blood shed on the cross makes you clean in God's sight. God's purpose is that the victory His Son accomplished by His resurrection from the dead be your very own by trusting in Jesus as your Savior.

Do you see church where you live in which God's Word is proclaimed? Now is the perfect time to let God's Word cause faith to grow and thrive in your heart.

**Prayer: Almighty God, send forth Your Word into my heart in abundance, so that my faith in Christ may grow and flourish. Amen.**

# HAPPENINGS AT ST. JOHN'S

## Church Singing

Sunday, September 23, 10:30 A.M.: Gr. 5&6

Sunday, September 30, 8:00 A.M.: Gr. 3&4

## Mission Offerings

### 1st Quarter—Home Missions—

Huntersville Lutheran, North Carolina

Total collected so far: \$93.57

## No School

There will be **NO SCHOOL** on Friday, September 28, due to the Faculty In-Service meeting.

## School Pictures

### Monday, September 24

Please fill out the order form, **pay by using a check (written out to Lifetouch—do not pay with cash)**, and return to school via your family envelope by **Monday, September 24th**. If you have more than one child, you may write out one check and enclose it in one child's envelope. Please mark your other children's envelopes to indicate where you have enclosed your check. **If you order online, please print the receipt and return a copy to school via your family envelope or let Mrs. Leissring know by email at [school@stjohnsjuneau.org](mailto:school@stjohnsjuneau.org).** If ordering online, you may want to Google Lifetouch coupons. There are websites that have coupons for percentages off photo packages. We had parents who did this the last four years. Check it out! Pictures will be taken starting at 8:00 A.M. Parents of PK-3 students are asked to bring your child that day for pictures if possible. If this day does not work for you, retake day will be on Thursday, November 1st. You may have your child's photo taken at that time. If you have any questions regarding this, please call Mrs. Leissring in the school office.



## Reminder—Registration Fees

If you are paying your bill monthly, your payment is due to the school office by September 30th. Thank you.

## Parent Teacher Society

Our Parent Teacher Society is an organization that exists to further home-school cooperation and unity. Your presence at these meetings is one way of demonstrating your desire to be actively involved in your child's education. Our first meeting is Tuesday, September 25th. The meeting begins at 6:30 P.M. The topics for the evening will be School Safety and "Protect Kids Online." Information from the Wisconsin Department of Justice (Internet Crimes Against Children Task Force) will be shared. Supervision for children will be available (play outside or watch a movie inside). The presentation traditionally is in the gym. As an incentive to attend, parents who attend at least three meetings will be able to go roller skating at Skate Express or go bowling with their families paid for by the PTS. The teachers will be available in their classrooms at 6:00 P.M. before this meeting should you desire to find out how things are going or what is being done in the classroom. The parents of the **Grades 3&4** will serve snacks. Come and join us to learn about the wonderful opportunities we have to share the Gospel.

## The Book Fair is Here!

The Book Fair is here! The fall book fair is from September 20 to September 30. The fair will be open after services on Sundays, September 23 & 30, and after school September 24 to 27 until 3:30 P.M. We need help to make this fair a success. If you can help during the book fair, please contact Miss Pauly or Mrs. Leissring at 386-4644.



## Band/Recorders

Band practice did start September 14th. Please remember to bring your band instruments on all upcoming Fridays. Recorders for Third grade students will begin on October 5th.



## Social Studies Fair Deadline Reminder

Monday, September 24: Carefully and thoroughly research your topic and gather information about it. Submit your information to your teacher for evaluation.

## School Cleaning

Our first school cleaning day is Saturday, September 22nd.

Cleaning will start at 9:00 AM.

The following families signed up to clean: Ben & Julie Gentz, Kast, Krueger, McLain, Mohr, and Brian & Julie Passig. Please bring along buckets and rags. We start at 9:00 A.M. and should be done by noon.



## ATHLETICS

### Cross Country

**Practices: 3-4:00 P.M.**

September 27

October 4

**Meets:**

**Tuesday, September 25, 4:15 P.M.:**

LLHS Meet @ Lakeside Lutheran High School

**Monday, October 1, 4:15 P.M.:**

BLAC Conference Meet @ Ft. Atkinson High School. Rain date is Monday, October 8th.



### Soccer

**Practices: 3:30-4:30 P.M.**

September 25

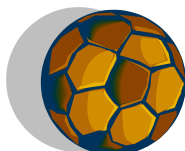
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**Tournaments**

**Saturday, September 22:**

BLAC Conference Tournament at Grinwald Park, Watertown.

Guaranteed three games @ 8:30 & 9:45 A.M., and 12:15 P.M. or 1:30 P.M.



## Parent Teacher Conferences

Parent Teacher conferences are scheduled for November 1st and 6th. Please watch for the sign up form which will be sent home in October.

### Volleyball

**Practices—A Team 3-5:00 P.M.**

B Team 3-4:30 P.M.



***WARNING—PRACTICE TIME CHANGES***

September 24—A Team only 3-5:00 P.M.

September 25—B Team only 3-4:15 P.M.

No A Team practice.

October 2, 4, & 11(A Team Only)

**Games—September 24-28**

**September 26th:**

**Here vs. St. Paul's, Ixonia**

4:00 P.M.—B Team and 5:00 P.M.—A Team

**September 27th:**

**Here vs. St. Stephen's, Horicon**

4:00 P.M.—B Team and 5:00 P.M. A Team

Please consider taking in an Eagle volleyball match to support our girls!

**September Tournaments**

**September 29, 9:00 A.M.**

A Team BLAC Conference Tournament at LLHS. Schedule will not be out until next Thursday, September 27th.

### Sign Up Genius

Sign up Genius will be up and running for the basketball season. We need parents to assist with concessions, scorebook, and clock for the basketball season. You will be notified when you may start signing up in Sign Up Genius. We will not be utilizing Sign up Genius for the rest of the volleyball season.

### Seeking Baked Goods!

With two home matches next week, concessions is seeking one or more pans of bars or brownies. If you would be willing to make some, please let Mrs. Colantonio or Mrs. Leissring know. Thank you!

*"If God brings you to it;  
He will bring you through it."  
Have a Blessed Week!*