

St. John's Lutheran School

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JUNE EVENTS

- ♦ June 11-14
Vacation
Bible
School



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Weekly Schedule

Sat., May 19	8:30 AM	State Track Meet @ Kettle Moraine Lutheran High School
Sun., May 20	8:00 AM	DIVINE WORSHIP SERVICE (Jr. Choir Sings)
	9:15 AM	Sunday School & Bible Class
	10:30 AM	DIVINE WORSHIP SERVICE
Mon., May 21	7:15 AM	Faculty Mtg.
	12:05 PM	Hot Lunch: Village Garden
		Popcorn Monday
	3:15 PM	Faculty Mtg.
	7:00 PM	Board of Education Mtg.
Tues., May 22	6:30 PM	Awards Banquet
Wed., May 23	7:15 AM	Faculty Mtg.
	12:05 PM	CHAPEL/MISSION OFFERING Hot Lunch: SubWay
	6:30 PM	Gr. 5 Civil War Night
Thurs., May 24		PK-3 Last Day of School
	6:30 PM	GRADUATION WORSHIP SERVICE (Gr. K-7 Sing)
Fri., May 25		CEF Stamps PK-4 Last Day of School Last Day of School End of the 4th Quarter
	10:30 AM	School Picnic Lunch Served
	11:30 AM	School Dismissal

Worship Schedule

I am trusting you, Lord Jesus, trusting only you,
trusting you for full salvation, free and true.

I am trusting you to guide me; You alone shall lead,
every day and hour supplying all my need. CW 446 1,4

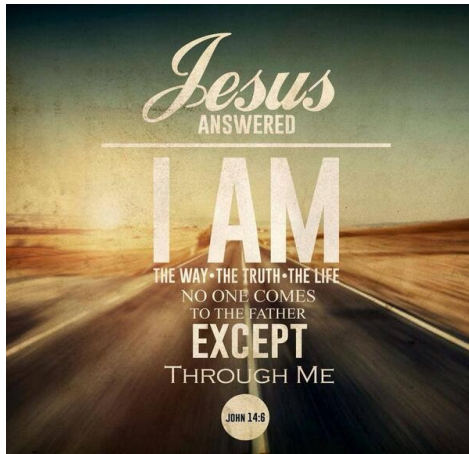
Sunday—8:00 & 10:30 A.M.
Thursday—6:30 P.M.
Bible Class (church basement)—9:15 A.M.
Sunday School (school)—9:15 A.M.
Youth Bible Class (school)—9:15 A.M.



From the Principal's Desk

Jesus is the Trail

Jesus answered, "I am the way and the truth and the life. No one comes to the Father except through me." John 14:6



The scenery whizzed by along Interstate 94. Fields and rivers, forest and prairie. Who first blazed these trails? Before bulldozers, there were horses and wagons. Before them, French fur traders and explorers. Before them, Ojibwe and Sioux.

I could not have traveled that road back then. Such a trip would've left me lost, suffering from exposure, and starvation. It would've ended in tragedy. I needed those who have gone before.

Jesus blazed the trail that no one else could. Who could've opened the path to the Father's house? God's holiness is a consuming fire; I am a guilty sinner. What is the guilt that nags your conscience? Even the smallest sin excludes you and me. Even one failure to keep God's commands is like a roaring river or an impassable mountain cutting off our way to the Father. If you and I do our best to get around our sin and find our own path, it will end in tragedy.

Jesus came from the Father. He came sent by the Father. He came on the mission to bring you and me to the Father. He didn't blaze a trail for us to follow by our own power. How lost that would have left us!

Rather, Jesus is the trail. He is the way. He alone brings us to the Father. For He alone has come from the Father and returned to the Father to prepare a place to us.

He is the Way, the Truth, and the Life. For only His death brings us life with the Father. Only His death atoned for all guilt—yours, mine, and everyone's. Only His death reconciled the world to God. Only His death has removed sin, which ought to have blocked us from our Father's house forever. His death truly did all this, for He has risen. He lives. That is the truth. Believe it.

Yes, believe that Jesus is the one and only way to the Father. Believe that He is your way.

Prayer: Without You, dear Jesus, I am lost and damned. You alone bring me to the Father. Keep me from pursuing my own self-sought ways. Draw me closer to You until I dwell in Your Father's house forever. Amen.

HAPPENINGS AT ST. JOHN'S

Church Singing

Sunday, May 20, **WARNING**

Schedule Change: **Jr. Choir** sings in the
8:00 A.M. service only.

Thursday, May 25, Graduation Service,
6:30 P.M.: **Gr. K-7 Sing**

Mission Offerings

4th Quarter—Ministerial Education

Luther Preparatory School, Watertown

Total collected so far: **\$206.28**

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

School Supply List

A school supply list for Gr. K-8 has been
enclosed in your family envelope for the
2018-2019 school year.

School Yearbooks

The yearbooks are enclosed in your family
envelopes. You had the opportunity to order one
on registration day in August. If you did not order
a yearbook and would like one, please contact
Mrs. Leissring in the school office. We have a
limited supply to sell. The cost is \$14.50 per
book.

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.

PTS

PTS is looking for men to fill the President and
Vice-President positions and someone willing
to be the organization's treasurer. If interested,
please contact Ron Preskar (current president)
at 920-382-2356 or Mr. Cody.

Awards Banquet

Our annual awards banquet will be held on
Tuesday, May 22nd, at 6:30 P.M. The menu
will be sandwiches, chips, pickles, salads,
side dishes, cake, and coffee. Eighth grade
parents will set up, decorate, and cook the
meal. Grades 6-7 parents are asked to clean
up after the banquet. Any questions,
contact Mrs. Colantonio, Mr. Krebs, or
Mrs. Leissring.

School Fees (Gr. K-8) for 2018-2019 School Year

The family fee will increase to \$400.00 and
the registration fee will increase to \$385.00.
Registration will be on Wednesday, August
8th.

Piano

Reminder: Mrs. Loersch will have lessons at
school until Tuesday, May 22nd. Total of four
lessons in May.

Thank You!!

Thank you to the many volunteers/helpers
who have so generously donated their time
throughout this past school year. Remember,
"Your labor in the Lord is not in vain,"
(I Corinthians 15:58). Your cooperation in
helping to make our school year a success is
greatly appreciated!!

SPRING DATES TO REMEMBER

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

School Picnic

The school picnic will be held next Friday, May 25th. The menu will be brats, hot dogs, chips, bars or cookies, and soda. A sign-up slip is at the end of the Eagle Claw. Please fill it out and return it with your money in an envelope marked school picnic to the school office by Monday, May 21st. Your donation of money is greatly appreciated. Kitchen helpers are still needed. Please contact Mrs. Leissring if you are able to help with this. Thank you.



School Library

Library book check-outs from the school library have ended for this school year. All library books that have been checked out by students should have been returned to the library drop-box by Monday, May 14th. Please check with your child/children to see if they have any books checked out and help them remember to return the books. If books are lost or not returned by the end of the school year, there will be a charge of \$10.00 for paperbacks and \$25.00 for hardcover books.



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.

Gr. 1-4 Zion, Columbus Track Meet

As the track meet for grades 1-4 did not take place this year due to inclement weather, the \$4.50 you paid for the bus transportation is enclosed in your family envelope today.

Popcorn Day

Popcorn Day will be Monday, May 21st.



Social Studies Fair

We will hold a Social Studies Fair in the Fall of 2018 for grades 5-8. Information regarding this fair is enclosed in your family envelope today.

Field Trip Banks

We will offer the opportunity for families to contribute to a field trip bank for each child at school registration in August. Any money left in your field trip account from the 2017-2018 school year will roll over to the 2018-2019 school year.



Six Flags Read to Succeed



If your child participated in the Six Flags Read to Succeed program, their certificate is enclosed in your family envelope today. Please look for it.

Busing on Friday, May 25

There will be normal busing in the morning but **no busing** at the 11:30 AM dismissal time. Please arrange for transportation for your child if you are not able to attend the picnic. Thank you.

Box Tops and Milk Caps

Just a little reminder to keep collecting General Mills Box Tops for our school. It would be greatly appreciated if you could go through and discard any expired Box Tops for Education before returning them to school before the end of the school year. Please put them in the container outside of the school office. Then keep saving through the summer! Every Box Top is worth \$0.10 for St. John's. If you haven't tried it already, there is also a bonus opportunity if you have a smart phone. For more information, look up www.boxtops4education.com/bonusapp.



Milk caps from Kwik-Trip are also appreciated.

Every little bit helps! Thanks for supporting our school!



Aluminum Cans

Reminder: We will continue to save aluminum cans through the summer for tuition assistance. They may be dropped off in the can kennel located down by the dumpsters behind school anytime during the summer.

Photos of the School Year

Photos have been taken throughout the school year with the school camera. If you are interested in obtaining a flash drive of these photos, please contact Mrs. Leissring in the school office.

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."

VBS Dates

Vacation Bible School will be held on June 11-14th in the afternoon after Dodgeland's Summer School. VBS will be held at church. Lunch will be provided. Children ages PK3 to sixth grade are eligible. Three year olds must be potty trained. To register online please go to www.stjohnsjuneau.org. Please invite other children to join us! A special VBS worship service will be held on Thursday, June 14th, at 6:30 P.M. We hope you will be able to worship with us!



SCRIP



Thanks for using Scrip throughout this school year. It is wonderful to see support grow for this program. If you haven't signed up for Scrip, you may do so at any time. Packets are available at the Scrip table during selling times.

Selling times for the summer will be: Thursday night after church and Sunday in between church services. Scrip will not be sold on Fridays once school has ended for the summer. You will be able to purchase on hand cards only on Sunday, May 27th.

Need graduation or wedding gifts? Please consider using Scrip cards. As you do your summer traveling, remember that Scrip is available for hotels, gas, restaurants, and much more. You can always go online at glscrip.com to find a complete merchant list. We are happy to order whatever you need.

The cut off for money earned for credit to your 2018-2019 school book bill will be May 27th. If you have any questions regarding your scrip account, please call Char Lober at 920-386-4785.

Thanks one more time for a great year. We thank you for using Scrip for your everyday shopping needs. Please continue to use Scrip, and pass the word on to others in our school and church!

The Scrip Committee

School Cleaning



Our June cleaning date will be June 9th. This will be the day the classrooms will be cleaned out in preparation for cleaning & waxing of the floors. The following families have signed up for June: Cody, Ockerlander, and J/M Schaalma.

Pick Up Your Sleds

Please pick up your sleds as soon as possible.



Luther Prep News

Luther Prep Summer Sports Camps

Luther Prep is offering summer sports camps. The deadline for registering for all the summer boys/girls basketball and volleyball camps at Luther Prep School is Friday, June 1st.

To register on line go to lps.wels.net and click on the Athletics link and go to Summer Sports Camp. Information regarding all the sports camps Luther Prep has to offer is located there.

If you have any questions or problems registering your child, please email Carolyn Bertolus at cbertolus@lps.wels.net.



LUTHER
PREPARATORY
SCHOOL

ATHLETICS

Track

Congratulations to our track team for finishing in second place at the Jefferson meet and tying for eighth place at the BLAC Conference at Ft. Atkinson. Some of our athletes have qualified and will take part in the Lutheran State Track meet at Kettle Moraine Lutheran High School on Saturday, May 19th.

Athletic Participation for 2018-2019 School Year

Fall:

Cross Country: Gr. 4-8 Boys & Girls
Girls' Volleyball: Gr. 5-8
Co-ed Soccer: Gr. 5-8
Boys' Volleyball: Gr. 6-8
Lakeside & Jr. Trojan Football: Gr. 5-8



Winter:

Girls' Basketball: Gr. 5-8
Boys' Basketball: Gr. 4-8
Cheerleading: Gr. 4-8



Spring:

Co-ed Softball: Gr. 5-8
Boys' & Girls' Track: Gr. 5-8



Eagle Volleyball Camp

The Eagle volleyball camp will be held August 6-9 here at St. John's. This camp is for girls entering grades 4-9 who want to learn how to play volleyball or improve their volleyball skills. A camp sign-up form was enclosed in your family envelope last week. Check it out!

Sports Physicals

Your child is required to have a physical every two years if he/she will participate in sports. A sports physical form is enclosed in your family envelope if a physical is required for the 2018-2019 school year. If you have any questions, please contact Mrs. Leissring in the school office.

Thank You Softball & Track Coaches!



Thank you to our softball and track coaches for their time and talents for our softball and track seasons. The black team was coached by Mr. Cody & Ted Fehrman. The orange team was coached by Lee Weiss & Steve Schultz. The track team was coached by Lee Weiss, Ted Fehrman, Shannon Schmidt, Ashley Rabehl, Heide Brandt, & Pastor Schupmann.



School Picnic

Please indicate below how many will be attending the school picnic, whether you will be bringing bars or cookies, and if you are able to help on that day.

Number Attending _____ Adults _____ Grades K-8 _____ PK & Under

_____ Yes, I can help at the school picnic
Please circle how: **Griller** **Kitchen Helper**

Yes, I will donate \$ _____
to help cover the cost of the picnic
(Money Enclosed)

_____ Yes, I will donate bars or cookies

_____ Name

Return to the School Office by Monday, May 14th

Cops-N-Bobbers Program

The Dodge county Law Enforcement Shop with Cops is hosting the fifth annual Cops-N-Bobbers Program on Saturday, June 16th. All children between the ages of 10-14 and live in Dodge County are welcome to participate. Registration forms are available in the school office or you may email Mrs. Leissring at school@stjohnsjuneau.org or call the school office if you would like one emailed to you, enclosed in your family envelope, or sent home with your child.

**COPS
&
BOBBERS**



Bike Safety Program

A bike safety program was held on Tuesday, May 15th. The program is sponsored by the Juneau Police Department. Officer Brittany Borchardt conducted the program. Prizes were awarded to left to right: Pearl Brandt, Emma Schultz, Brooke Nehls, Officer Borchardt, Haily Niemuth, Emily Krueger, Elliott Redecker, & Ben Kluz.

Thank God for What You Have.

Trust God for What You Need!

HAVE A BLESSED WEEK!



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Lakeside News

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.

Boon for Wisconsin Families

Governor Walker has signed both the Wisconsin Child Tax Rebate and August Back-to-School Sales Tax Holiday into law. The tax rebate law is simple: anyone who is a resident of the State of Wisconsin and a citizen of the United States is eligible to receive \$100.00 for every dependent child under the age of 18 living at home as of December 31, 2017. Beginning May 15th through July 2nd, eligible citizens can claim their \$100.00 per child tax rebate at childtaxrebate.wi.gov. The website went live on May 15th. Receive the money before school starts this Fall via a check in the mail or direct deposit.