

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 Dec. 10, 2018

<p>Prayer Requests</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Families of the Week <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ K-8: Allison and Ethan Yackle ○ Preschool: Selah Kuhl ○ Staff: Mrs. Hass, Title I Teacher ● Local Church/Pastor: Elkton Missionary Church, Pastor Reggie Courliss
<p>K-8</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Progress Reports will be sent home with students this week. ● Dec. 14- Christmas Fair; Please note the following details: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ This is an opportunity for students to purchase and wrap gifts for their family members for Christmas. Gifts range in price from \$0.50-\$5.00. ○ Students will be shopping and wrapping from approximately 12-1:45. ○ Grandparents/relatives are invited to help younger students shop and wrap. Please meet in the gym around 12:00. ○ Students should bring to school that day: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Wrapping paper and/or gift bags (these work really well!) ■ Tape ■ Money to buy gifts ■ List of people to buy gifts for ■ Pre-labeled gift tags
<p>Preschool and K-8</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● The CEA is gearing up for our annual Christmas Fair on Friday, December 14th! We are looking for any donations that we could use for our fun event. New items, handmade items, baked goods, monetary, etc. This is a fun day for the children, where they can purchase gifts for their family and friends! They will end their fun afternoon of shopping by wrapping and preparing their gifts for Christmas morning! Please help us make this another EXCEPTIONAL year for our children. Donations can be dropped to the school office until the morning of Friday the 14th. Any questions please give April a call at 553-0663. ● Christmas gifts for teachers are not expected. If you do wish to give a gift, please consider donating to a worthy charity in a teacher's name. ● Dec. 24-Jan. 4- Christmas Break, No School ● Chapel offerings this month will be used to support Kathleen Lutz, Missionary to Kenya. Kathleen visited our school back in September and shared her mission with us. Throughout the year, our offerings will also support the education of Berlina, a teenage girl in Haiti.
<p>Preschool</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Thanks to Ainslee & Kolton for snacks! Thanks to Jennifer Sears for classroom help! ● Show & Tell the week of Dec.10-13, on the theme "Surprise Box." Put a secret item in a box, write 3 clues about your item, and we'll see if the students can guess what is in your box!

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Dec. 14- Preschool students and families are invited to shop at the Christmas Fair on Friday any time from 12:30-4:30. Please use the office entrance. ● Preschool GIFT EXCHANGE: Tuesday, Dec.18. ***See instruction sheet for directions and class list. <i>I made one error on the list: there are a total of 17 kids, not 20, but the class list names are correct.</i>
Band	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Clarinet reeds are available for \$2.50. Alto Saxophone reeds are \$3.25.
Church/ Community Events	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Remember that you are always welcome to attend Cross Church services: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Sunday School: 9:00 A.M. ○ Sunday Worship: 9:30 A.M. ○ Wednesday Service: 7 P.M.

Advent Hope, Christmas Joy



A Choral and Handbell Concert

Sunday, Dec. 16, 2018

at 3:00 p.m.

Cross Lutheran Church

200 Ruppert St., Pigeon, MI

Join us for a program of choral & handbell music, carols and scripture.

A reception will follow.