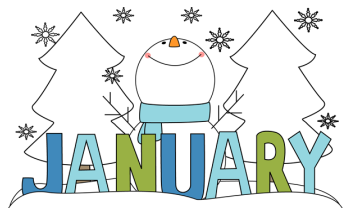


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JANUARY EVENTS

- ◆ *Fri., Jan. 11th*
End of the Second Quarter
- ◆ *Tues. & Thurs.,*
Jan. 22nd & 24th
3:30-7:30 P.M.
Parent Teacher Consultations
- ◆ *Mon., Jan. 28th*
PTS Mtg.—
Gr. 5&6 Serve



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Weekly Schedule

Sat., Jan. 12	8:30 AM	B Boys Tournament @ St. John's, Pardeeville
Sun., Jan. 13	10:30 A.M.	Boys' First Game vs. Eastside, Madison
	8:00 AM	DIVINE WORSHIP SERVICE
	9:15 AM	Bible Class & Sunday School
	10:30 AM	DIVINE WORSHIP SERVICE (Gr. 7 Sings)
Mon., Jan. 14	7:15 AM	Faculty Mtg.
		Principal's Conference
	12:05 PM	Hot Lunch: Village Garden
	3-4:30 PM	B Girls BB Practice
	3:30-5:30 PM	A Girls BB Practice
Tues., Jan. 15	3-4:30 PM	A & B Boys Practices
	5:00 PM	NO CHEER PRACTICE TODAY
		BB Games Here vs. St. Stephen's, Horicon
		5:00 PM—B Girls & 6:00 PM—A Girls
Wed., Jan. 16	7:15 AM	Faculty Mtg.
		CHAPEL/MISSION OFFERING
	12:05 PM	Hot Lunch: McDonald's
	3-4:30 PM	B Girls BB Practice
	3:30-5:30 PM	A Girls BB Practice
	7:00 PM	Future Freshman Scheduling @ LLHS
Thurs., Jan. 17	3-4:30 PM	B Boys BB & Cheer Practices
	3:30-5:30 PM	A Boys BB Practice
Fri., Jan. 18		CEF Stamps & Band/Recorder Practice
	5:15 PM	Report Cards Go Home
		BB @ Crown of Life
		@ Ft. Atkinson Middle School
		5:15 PM—B Boys & 6:15 PM—A Boys
Sat., Jan. 19	8:30 AM	B Girls Tournament @ St. John's, Pardeeville
		10:30 A.M.—Girls' First Game vs. Our Redeemer, Madison
	9:00 AM	School Cleaning
		Future Freshman Scheduling @ LLHS

Worship Schedule

"All glory unto Jesus be and praise for His epiphany, whom with the Father we adore and Holy Spirit evermore." CW 91 st. 5

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



From the Principal's Desk

A Brother Like No Other

"In bringing many sons to glory, it was fitting that God, for whom and through whom everything exists, should make the author of their salvation perfect through suffering.

Both the one who makes men holy and those who are made holy are of the same family. So Jesus is not ashamed to call them brothers. (Hebrews 2:10-11)

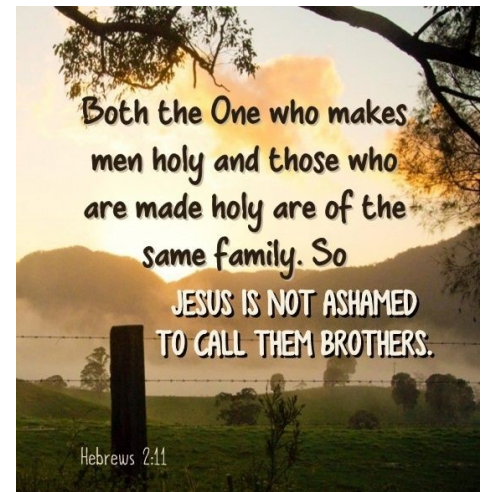


"I wish I had a brother to play with me," said the boy who dribbled the basketball on the court alone. "I wish I had a brother to stand up for me," said the girl who dreaded the bullies on the bus. Maybe you have said, heard, or thought those words. Perhaps you have gone through life and wondered what it would be like to have a brother.

But you and I have a brother. And, "Jesus is not ashamed to call (us) brothers." Can you believe it? Think of how ashamed parents are when their child misbehaves in church. Think of how ashamed an upstanding member of a community is when his sister is arrested for dealing drugs. Think of how ashamed a child is when her father speaks rudely to the waitress at the restaurant. Even we, sinful human beings, are ashamed of our relatives when they say and do things that are shameful.

Yet, Jesus is not ashamed to call us His brothers and sisters. How can this be? Think of all the shameful things you have thought, said, and done. How could Jesus not be ashamed of you?

The author of the letter to the Hebrews tells us. Jesus suffered for your sins. He washed them all away with His blood. You are now perfect in God's sight. There is no longer anything of which He would be ashamed. You are His brother or sister. And, He is thrilled about it!



Prayer: Dear Jesus, You came into this world to sacrifice Yourself for my sin. Though I've given You every reason to be ashamed of me, in love You died and rose for me. Thank You for making me a member of Your family! Amen.

HAPPENINGS AT ST. JOHN'S

Church Singing

Sunday, January 13, 10:30 A.M.: Gr. 7

**WARNING: Schedule Change for
Sundays, January 20th and 27th.**

Sunday, January 20, 8:00 A.M.: Gr. 5&6

Sunday, January 27, 8:00 A.M.: Gr. 8

Mission Offerings

2nd Quarter—World Missions—India

Total collected for the quarter: \$239.78

Please remember that our mission offerings for our Lord are collected on Wednesday. This is our last collection for the second quarter.

End of the Second Quarter and Parent Teacher Conferences

Friday, January 11th, is the end of the second quarter. Conferences will be held on Tuesday, January 22nd, and Thursday, January 24th, 3:30-7:30 PM. Report cards will be sent home on Friday, January 18th. The report card envelopes are to be returned to your child's teacher at your appointed conference time. If you are not meeting with your child's teacher, please return your report card envelope to school via your family envelope by Monday, January 21st.

New Church Attendance Forms

New church attendance forms (PK-Gr. 2) for the third quarter have been sent home today. Please fill out and leave your church attendance forms in your family envelope for Preschool to Gr. 2.

Popcorn Day

Popcorn Day will be Friday,
January 25th.



Reminder—Registration Fees

If you are paying your bill monthly, your January payment will be due on January 31st. Thank you.

January PTS Meeting Change

Our January Parent Teacher Society Meeting will be held on Monday, January 28th, instead of Tuesday, January 29th. We look forward to seeing you there.

Special Bus Routes January 17 & 18



On Thursday, January 17th, Dodgeland will have early release. Therefore, the special bus route will run for St. John's at 2:55 P.M. On Friday, January 18th, Dodgeland does not have school. The special bus routes will run both in the morning and the afternoon. If you have any questions regarding pickup and drop off times, please contact Lamers Bus Company at 920-386-2200.

LLHS Visual Arts Fair



A visual arts fair will be held January 26 & 27 at Lakeside Lutheran High School for grades 5-8. Information packets may be picked up in the school office or requested to be sent home in your family envelope. A registration form was enclosed in your family envelope on Friday, December 21st. Registration forms are due back to your child's teacher or the school office by Friday, January 25th. You may enclose it in your family envelope by Monday, January 21st.

School Cleaning



Our next school cleaning day is Saturday, January 19th, starting at 9:00 AM. The following families signed up to clean: L/S Fehrman, M/A Gentz, Guenther, Kluz, Pitterle, & R/J Schultz. Please bring along buckets and rags. We start at 9:00 AM and should be done by noon.

Reminder—Box Tops/Labels/Caps



We recently received a \$302.00 check from General Mills for Box Tops.© If you are doing some winter cleaning, please remember that we collect General Mills Box tops and Kwik trip milk bag labels & caps. Bring them to school so they can be turned in to the respective companies for the rewards. For the Box Tops, please look closely at the expiration date on your box tops. If they are expired, please do not turn them in. Thank you for your support!

School Closing Reminder

In case of stormy weather, keep your radio tuned to WBEV (AM 1430), WXRO (FM 95.3), WTTN (AM 1580), WMDC (FM 98,7), WTMJ (AM 620), WISC (TV-3), WTMJ (TV-4), WITI(TV-6), or WISN (TV-12) for the closing of school or early dismissal. Since many of our students ride the bus, normally our school closes when the local public school closes. When it is announced that Dodgeland is closed due to inclement weather, this means St. John's is included as part of the Dodgeland announcement. Note this for early dismissals and late starts.



We will also send out an email when school closes to all of our school families. If you would like to check to make sure you are either on this list or have the correct email in the list, please contact Mrs. Leissring in the school office.

Exiting the Parking Lot During Inclement Weather

Reminder: You may exit the parking lot via the driveway on the north side of school when there is snow present. Please use this route when the exit going west out of the parking lot is too slippery for vehicles to get up the hill.



Lakeside New Friends: Join the Fun!



Young people with special needs join together with Lakeside students in a variety of activities, including games, crafts, snacks, and music!

When: Sunday, January 20th, 1-3:00 P.M.

Where: Lakeside Lutheran High School West Gym

Hosted By: LLHS Teens for Christ

Questions: Contact Ruth Hirschfeld at 920-648-2321 ext. 2210 or rhirschf@llhs.org

Future Freshmen Scheduling at Lakeside Lutheran High School



Future freshmen course scheduling is scheduled at Lakeside Lutheran High School on Wednesday, January 16, at 7:00 P.M. and Saturday, January 19, at 9:00 A.M. The event is held in Lakeside's west gym. These sessions begin with a greeting and a brief presentation on signing up for freshmen courses. The financial aid process will also be explained. After this, every family—parents and student together—meets with a Lakeside teacher to develop a course schedule. There is no cost at this time to sign up for classes at Lakeside. Even if a family is uncertain on whether its student will enroll at Lakeside, it is encouraged to come to Lakeside for future freshmen course scheduling and create a tentative freshman schedule. If you are new to Lakeside, this would be a great opportunity to ask questions and find out more about what Lakeside has to offer. Most families will finish in 30-40 minutes. Based on past year's course scheduling, the maximum time needed was 60 minutes. For further information, call Lakeside at 920-648-2321 and ask for the Guidance Office. If your eighth grade child is interested in attending Lakeside, please make arrangements to attend one of the sessions.

Six Flags Read to Exceed



Six Flags is again offering their Read to Succeed Program. A reading log is enclosed in your family envelope for students in grades kindergarten to sixth grade. The program is explained on the reading log. Any questions, contact Mrs. Leissring.

Scrip Update



Scrip sales times are:

Thursday, after the 6:30 P.M. service.

Friday, before school only.

Sunday, between services.

Remember sixty percent of your Scrip purchases can be used toward your book fees for school. Any questions, stop in during Scrip selling times and the Scrip ladies will answer any questions you may have.

New card on hand: Amazon

Thank you for using Scrip for your everyday shopping needs. The Scrip Committee

Concession/Scorebook /Concessions Tournament HELP Needed!

Plenty of opportunities are still available to help out for our home basketball games. Please consider jumping in and helping sometime soon. We only have about three weeks left for home events. Our tournaments are the days we need the most help. We are also looking for two to three “grill masters” for each Saturday of the tournaments. Please consider donating some time whether your student is involved in basketball or not. You may either sign up on SignUpGenius or on the sheets in the school office. Any and all help is greatly appreciated. Thank you!



Seeking Baked Goods for the B Team Tournaments!

A tradition of our tournaments is the delicious baked goods we have to sell! Please help us carry on this tradition! You may bring baked goods to school either Friday before the tournaments or the day of. Tournament dates are January 26th and February 2nd. Your contributions are greatly appreciated! You may either sign up on SignUpGenius or the sheets in the school office to bring baked goods. Thank you!

REMINDER FOR BASKETBALL GAMES:

Please supervise your children during the games and remind them to be in the gym or in the concession areas only. If they are not eating, they are to be in the gym watching the games.

This means that the children are not to be outside of school unsupervised and running in/out of classrooms and bathrooms. This is an area where we need some improvement please.

Popcorn and water are allowed in the gym for spectators. Players and coaches will be allowed to have beverages by the bench during their games.

During the basketball games and tournaments, let us remember to show proper sportsmanship at all times. Let all of our comments be positive and encouraging to all people involved in the games and tournaments ahead.

Your cooperation in these matters are greatly appreciated!

ATHLETICS

Basketball & Cheerleading



Games:

January 12: Boys BB Tournament
@ St. John's, Pardeeville
10:30 A.M. Boys' first game
vs. Eastside, Madison

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Parents' Night—Friday, January 25th

Eighth Grade Night—Friday, February 1st
Please note that the A girls game is at 5:00 P.M. that night. The recognition of the eighth graders will happen before the boys game at 8:00 P.M.

Pep Rally, 2:15 P.M.—January 25th

Spirit Fridays—Wear Black and Orange

Basketball & Cheer Practices

January 14:
3-4:30 P.M.: B Girls Practice
3:30-5:30 P.M.: A Girls Practice

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3-4:30 P.M.: A & B Boys BB Practices
NO CHEER PRACTICE

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*The Son of God became a
man to enable men to
become the sons of God.
C.S. Lewis
HAVE A BLESSED WEEK!*

