St. John's Lutheran School EAGLE CLAW

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Weekly Schedule Home Visits—July 29 to August 6, 2019 Registration Day—August 7, 2019 First Day of School

Wednesday, August 21, 2019



Congratulations & God's Blessings to our Eighth Grade Graduates!!

Set a Good Example

During the summer, attendance at worship services does tend to decrease. Please do not let this be the case for your family. Please continue to worship regularly and set an example for your children that worshipping the Lord is not something that we should take a break from.

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!!

From the Principal's Desk

The Lamb Is My Shepherd

"For the Lamb at the center of the throne will be their shepherd; 'He will lead them to springs of living water.'

'And God will wipe away every tear from their eyes." Revelation 7:17

The headlines on Easter Sunday were a harsh reminder of life in this sinful world.

Half a world away, in Sri Lanka, over 300 people died or were injured by bombs detonated by an extremist Islamic group. Moments before the blasts, the Sunday school children of Zion Church in Batticaloa all professed their undying faith in Jesus Christ.

On the same day, newspapers ran an article about the death of the Christian faith. According to a recent poll, church membership in the United States has hit an all time low.

Do such stories surprise us? As the psalmist says, even the best of our days is struggle and sorrow. We have all had our hearts broken or our dreams shattered. It's a good reminder for us not to build our hopes on them.

Don't dream about what your life on earth could be; and don't despair of what it isn't. Put your hope in the Lamb and focus on where He is leading you. Look at the Lamb of God who takes away the sin of the world. He went uncomplaining forth to death to open the way to eternal life. In view of the joy set before Him, He endured the cross, disregarded its shame, and sat down on God's throne.



From there, the Lamb shepherds us through death to life. He leads us to the living water of Word and sacrament and invites us to drink deeply. He connects us to His death and resurrection in baptism's water so we too may live. He gives us forgiveness in the Lord's Supper to assure us that we shall not perish but have eternal life.

This life will inevitably bring broken hearts and shattered dreams. But because the Lamb is your Shepherd, you can leave your water bottles and tissue boxes here on earth. He is leading you to a paradise where sin and all its problems are a thing of the past.

Prayer: Christ be my Savior in calm as in strife; death cannot hold me, for He is the life. Nor darkness nor doubting nor sin and its stain can touch my salvation: with Jesus I reign. Amen.

HAPPENINGS AT **ST. JOHN'S**

Mission Offerings 4th Quarter—Ministerial Education Martin Luther College

Total collected for the quarter: \$258.16

2019-2020 School Calendar Dates

August 7—Registration

August 21—First Day of School

December 24 to January 5—Christmas Break

January 6—Classes Resume

March 16-20—Spring Break

April 13-17—Washington D.C. Trip

May 22—Last Day of School

Book Fines

If your child incurred damages to the books they have used throughout the school year, they will be assessed a book fine for those damages. If they did not have their books covered for a period of time, they may also be assessed a fine. Book fine notices are included in your family envelope. You may pay the fines in the school office or at registration in August..

VBS Dates

Vacation Bible School will be held on June 10-13th. The link for our Vacation Bible School registration is now live on www.stjohnsjuneau.org! Please register your three year old child (potty trained) through children entering sixth grade on this link. VBS will run after Dodgeland Summer School, from noon-3:30 P.M. Lunch (served at St. John's) and busing from Dodgeland are included at no cost.

Also, if you would like to teach or volunteer for VBS, please sign up in the church narthex or email church@stjohnsjuneau.org. Thanks!

Praise & Proclaim

Does talking about your faith scare you? Is there someone in your life that you want to know about Jesus? Ever wonder how to tell them about Jesus?

If you have ever had any of these thoughts, then please attend our upcoming training on Friday, June 7th, at 6:00 P.M. in the church basement. Praise and Proclaim Ministries exists to empower Christians to share their faith. There is also an optional canvassing opportunity the following day. Please consider participating in this amazing outreach training/event. Signup forms are in the church narthex.

Art Fair

We will hold an Art Fair in the fall of 2019 for grades 5-8. New for



2019, we will host an "Open Category"! This category will be open to all parents who would like to display an art project of their choice. Information regarding this fair was enclosed in your family envelope last week.

Babysitters



If you need a babysitter for the summer, please contact

Mrs. Leissring in the school office. We have a list of sixth, seventh and eighth graders that would be willing to babysit.

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 2018-2019 school year will roll over to the 2019-2020 school year.

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.

School Fees for 2019-2020 School Year

The following are the fees for St. John's members for the upcoming school year:

Family Fee: \$500.00 (To be used for the church budget)

Book Fee per child: \$385.00 (To be used for school supplies, textbooks, copier lease, etc.)

Three Year Old Preschool: \$200.00

Four Year Old Preschool: \$600.00/Three Day Program & \$800.00/Five Day Program

Fee Structure for Non-members/Tuition:

	Other WELS Members	<u>Non-Members</u>
First Child	\$2,500	\$5,000
Second Child	\$1,250	\$2,500
Third Child	625	\$1,250
Fourth Child	\$ 312	625

Registration Day: Wednesday, August 7th

School Cleaning

Our June cleaning date is June 1st,

starting at 9:00 A.M. The following families have signed up for June: Cody, M/J Schaalma, & S/C Schultz. Additional help is needed for moving everything out of the classrooms for cleaning purposes. If you have not fulfilled your obligation to clean for the 2018-2019 school year or you are able to help move classrooms, please come join us on June 1st. Many hands make light work!

Eagle Care Before & After School Care

If you utilized either Eagle Care or Before and After School Care this year, your final statement will be emailed or mailed to you once everything has been calculated. If you owe, please remit your payment to the school office as soon as possible. If you end up with a credit, you may forward that to the next school year or have it reimbursed to you.

Eagle Care and Before & After School Care will once again be offered for the 2019-2020 school year.

Immunizations

Children who will be in Kindergarten or Gr. 6 will need to have their immunizations updated for the 2019-2020 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: When you have your child's immunizations updated, please let Mrs. Leissring.



SCRIP Scrip Selling Times for the Summer:

Thursdays: After the evening service.

Sundays: After the 8:30 A.M. church service.

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 26th.

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 vou need.

The cut off for money earned for credit to your 2019-2020 school book bill will be May 26th. 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



ATHLETICS

Athletic Participation 2019-2020

Grades for athletic participation are being reviewed for the 2019-2020 school year. After the School Board has a chance to approve the recommendations from the athletic directors. a letter will be sent out to all eligible families. We will try to do this in a timely manner so that you may make arrangements for physicals, if needed.

Eagle Volleyball Camp

The Eagle volleyball camp will be held August 5-8 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. Camp sign-up forms are available in the school office. Check it out!

Summer Band Lessons

Mr. Duwe will offer summer band lessons. If you are interested in band lessons, contact Mr. Duwe at 920-342-7826 as soon as possible. He will contact you with a schedule once he knows who is interested in lessons.

Summer Piano Lessons

If you are a current piano student or thinking about trying piano next year, Mrs. Bonnie Loersch offers piano lessons during the summer from her home in Watertown, Please call Mrs. Loersch at 920-341-8878 or email her at kloersch@me.com.

Milk Moola

A check for \$285.45 was recently received from Kwik Trip for the final collection of Milk Moola. Thank for your participation in this program and supporting St. John's School.



Bike Safety Program

A bike safety program was held on Wednesday, May 22nd. The program is sponsored by the Juneau Police Department. Officer Brittany Borchardt conducted the program. Prizes were awarded to seven students. Back row left to right: Caleb Guenther & Officer Borchardt, Front row: Abel Brandt, Anna Tolkinen, Ben Kluz, Travis Justmann, Jake Winter, & Pearl Brandt.

FOURTH QUARTER HONOR ROLL

High Honors 3.5+

- Gr. 5: Pearl Brandt, Lilly Giroux, & Abigail Tolkinen
- Gr. 6: Abel Brandt & Michel Krebs
- Gr. 7: Ava Holtz, Brooke Nehls, Olivia Passig, Erin Schmidt, & John Shramek
- Gr. 8: Grace Cody, Rebecca Eggebrecht, Laura Giroux, Elizabeth Gunst, Kayley McLain, Peyton Milfred, Matthew Passig, Sawyer Pitterle, Tara Schaalma, & Emma Schultz

Honors 3.0-3.499

- Gr. 5: Colten Schultz & Hayden Schultz
- Gr. 6: Emily Krueger, Zachary Passig, Jenna Schaalma, & Easton Wolter
- Gr. 7: Benjamin Kluz & Owen Schultz
- Gr. 8: Danielle Dorman & Anabella Ockerlander

Effort Honors

Gr. 6: Travis Justmann

Changes for Box Tops

Changes will be coming soon to the Box Tops for Education Program. The changes will include downloading an app to your smart phone and scanning your store receipts that have Box Top purchases. The clippable Box Tops will not be printed after June 1st. All Box Tops printed before that date will be honored up until their expiration date.

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.

Luther Prep News Luther Prep Summer Sports Camps

Thank God for What You Have. Trust God for What You Need! HAVE A BLESSED SUMMER!



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 online 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 Carolynn Bertolus at cbertolus@lps.wels.net.















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