



THE EAGLE'S CRY

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CHAPEL & PRAYERS: Thank you, Pastor Wollberg, for leading our Chapel Service this week. At Chapel we celebrated the days Peyton Schalk and Samuel Whitford were baptized and wished very happy birthdays to Hunter Favors and Wyatt Berg. During your devotions this week, please include prayers for the Burd family, as they are our prayer family. Next week we will pray over the Whitford family.

Our St. John Church family asked me to share a special thank you to St. John's students and teachers for their mite box collection. They said a check for \$160 was sent to the Michigan District to support mission work in the United States and around the world. *"Jesus Loves the Little Children."*

October 28 Chapel Collection: In case they haven't told you yet, your children are very excited about bringing soap bars and toothbrushes this week. Thank you for all the great wow items and drawing tools that were sent on October 21. Our boxes are beginning to fill.

Save the Dates:

Oct. 24: Italian Auction & Dinner Fundraiser

Oct. 26: Grandparents Day Forms Are Due

Oct. 27: Apples Are Due

Oct. 28: Bars of Soap & Toothbrushes For Chapel

Oct. 30: NO SCHOOL (Teacher Prof. Development)

Oct. 31: 5:30-7pm Trunk and Treat (St John Church)

Nov. 2: Sub Orders Are Due

Nov. 8: Sub Pick Up at St. John Church

More on Operation Christmas Child

We are collecting items with the children week by week at Chapel, but more is always welcome.

Examples of items that may be included: toy cars, jump ropes, hats, small stuffed animals, hair clips, school supplies, non-liquid hygiene items, and "wow" items (a doll, soccer ball and pump, stuffed animal, etc.). More ideas and information can be found on the official Operation Christmas Child web site.

DO NOT INCLUDE: Candy; toothpaste; gum; used or damaged items; war-related items such as toy guns, knives, or military figures; chocolate or food; seeds; fruit rolls or other fruit snacks; drink mixes (powdered or liquid); liquids or lotions; medications or vitamins; breakable items such as snow globes or glass containers; aerosol cans.

We Need Every Parent's Input

As part of our ongoing improvement process we are asking our parents to complete surveys about our educational center. If you haven't already, please go to the appropriate link and answer honestly. Thanks.

For Preschool Families:

<https://forms.gle/Y3xxZuPLn86HE7F96>

For K-8 Families:

<https://forms.gle/DxJwwBXVqpaZX4rM7>

Italian Dinner: You can still sign up!

This event takes an army. Please go to the following link and add your name to a time that works for you.

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/508094ba4ad2ea4fd0-ataste1>

The mission of St. John Lutheran School is to serve God by leading His children to experience and know their Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ.

St. John is a place where faith and family soar!

Kind of a Safety Week

Ask your kids if there were any drills this week. You may get a laugh. We practiced it all, including two fire drills. Below is this year's Drill Schedule:

Oct. 20: 10:00am Fire Drill

Oct. 21: 10:30am Fire Drill

Oct. 21: 11:00am Tornado Drill

Oct. 22: 9:30am Lock Down Discussion

Oct. 27: 11:00am Fire Drill

Jan. 8: 11:30am Lock Down Discussion

Feb. 2: 12:15pm Lock Down Discussion

Mar. 8: 10:30am Tornado Drill

Apr. 16: 8:30am Fire Drill

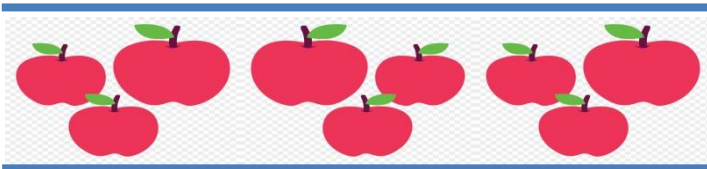
May 14: 11:20am Fire Drill

Resource Check Out

Each month we will have a new and wonderful parenting resource from *Love and Logic* available for check out in the school office. This month's selection is geared for 6 month to 5-year-old children and is titled, "Toddlers and Pre-Schoolers."

"Has your sweet, innocent baby turned into a terrorizing toddler or pre-schooler? If you answered a resounding 'Yes,' relief from your anxiety is here...with the advice of internationally-recognized parenting experts Jim Fay and Foster W. Cline, M.D."

If you are interested in this resource we have five copies available on cd.



Please Send Juicy Apples!

Wanted: Clean apples from your orchard!

Why: Harvest/Reformation Celebration
Making Fresh Apple Cider with students

When: Needed by October 27

Where: SJLS

*Please wash apples prior to bringing them to school.
Thank you greatly!



TRUNK AND TREAT

October 31, 5:30-7:00pm

BRING YOUR GHOSTS & GOBLINS!

Will be held in St. John Church parking lot. For more information call Donna 734-4240 or Joan 734-2228.

Pastor Appreciation Continues

There is only one more Sunday left, during Pastor Appreciation Month, but of course our appreciation goes on and on. For this week though, let's be extra diligent to remember Pastor Weirauch and his family in our prayers, as well as all the pastors who lead us in Chapel and the one at your church, if you attend one of the other area churches. Thank you, pastors, for all the ways you bless us. May our prayers this week be a blessing to you.

Celebrating our Grandparents in 2020

We will not be holding an in-person event for Grandparents Day this year, but we are still going to honor them. In place of our traditional Grandparents Day Celebration, we will be sending notes of gratitude and love to our grandparents. In this endeavor we need your help. A form was sent home with your child for you to fill in with names and addresses of their grandparents. Please print clearly and return the form by Monday, October 26. That's coming up quick, so get out your address books. Thank you for the help!

Super Sub Sale to Help Flood Victims

Last week an order form went home about a Sub Sale in support of the "Keep the Fires Burning" program. Proceeds from the sale will help purchase new furnaces for Midland area people, whose furnaces were damaged during the floods. Orders are due on November 2. Cost is a free will donation. Subs can be picked up on November 8 after the St. John worship service until noon. Order forms are available in the school office. You may also call Joan Altman at 734-2228 or Donna Hopp at 734-4240 to order over the phone.