

THE EAGLE'S CRY

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CHAPEL & PRAYERS: Thank you, Pastor Wollberg, for leading our Chapel Service this week. We wished a Summer Happy Birthday to Braxten Bates and celebrated with joy the baptism of Eva Brietzke. This week's prayer family is the family of Leigha, Raelynn and Cadence Cooley. Please keep praying. We look forward to having Mrs. Cooley with us again in the school. Next week, we will pray over the family of Kylie Crawford.

September 22 Chapel Collection: Our offerings for Operation Christmas Child will continue with the students being encouraged to bring in certain box items each week. For Sept. 22, we welcome students to bring in writing/drawing tools for the boxes, such as pencils, colored pencils, crayons, chalk, sharpeners, markers, or scissors. To find out more about Operation Christmas Child go to the following link and click "What We Do" https://www.samaritanspurse.org/

Chapel Welcome

You are always welcome to join us for weekly chapel on Wednesdays at 9:00am. Come sing Alleluia with us!

Save the Dates:

Sept. 23-25: Camp (4th-8th Grade)

Sept. 26: 9:00am NLSA Presentation at Church

Sept. 27: 2:30pm Scrip Sale & Orders Due

Oct. 1: Teachers Day



Time to Celebrate NLSA!

At Worship on Sept. 26 at 9:00am there will be a presentation held at St. John Lutheran Church in honor of St. John Lutheran School's Accreditation. Our superintendent, Travis Grulke, will be the presenter and would greatly enjoy seeing our new and old St. John families. There will be a tasty cake and punch party, following the service. We hope you come to celebrate.

Stay for Sunday School!

St. John Church's Sunday School begins Sept.19 at 10:00am. All are welcome. If you are in attendance for the NLSA Celebration on Sept. 26, we encourage you to stay after and give our Sunday School a try.

Lunch/Recess Helpers Needed

Last we checked, we still needed helpers next week on Sept. 20, 21 and 24. Please sign up to aid at lunch: https://www.signupgenius.com/go/508094ba4ad2ea4fd0-lunch

Friday Office Attendant

We almost fell to the floor, when we saw our Friday Office Sign Up is completely filled through November. Thank you, Friday volunteers and all of our great school helpers!

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!

NWEA Support for Families

What is NWEA? It is Northwest Evaluation Association, the student assessment service used at St. John. We encourage parents to go to the following link for help with understanding and exploring our NWEA MAP growth testing information: https://www.nwea.org/the-map-suite/family-toolkit/

Popcorn Fridays

The 8th grade sells popcorn every Friday for 50 cents a bag. If you like a salty crunch on Friday afternoon, send in your change. The profits go to the 8th graders trip fund.

Planning for Special Person's Day

Special Person's Day is coming up on Friday, October 8. In order to make this day extra special we will need help in the kitchen and with set up on Oct. 7 & 8. Dessert donations are also needed. A sign up on Sign Up Genius will be available soon. We'll send you the link as soon as it's ready. Beth Schleben is heading the event and may be reached at 989-306-5203 if you have questions.

Remind Notification System

St. John School utilizes the online Remind program to get memos and notices, including school closings, out to parents via text and e-mail. If you would like to receive notices from the school through Remind, but haven't yet received an invitation to join Remind, please let us know.

Donut Day by St. John Ladies Aid

The school habitat will be making everyone hungry on Wednesday, October 13, when a crew from St. John Church is busy in our gym and kitchen, making donuts. A donut will be given as a treat to each child, but families are welcome to order some for home at \$12 a doz.; \$6 for a half dozen. Glazed, Sugared, Plain. Please pre-order, 734-3580. Must be picked up by noon.

Help For Your Family Tuition

How? Through the purchase of Scrip gift cards. You designate where the profit will go — Family Tuition or Scholarship Fund. Cards will be sold and orders taken at the school on September 27 and October 11. What we don't have on hand, we can order for you. Scroll to the bottom of the page at ShopWithScrip.com to see the huge selection of brands offered.

Ever Wonder About Your Purpose?

Because you are not alone, St. Ignatius Catholic Church invites everyone to their Alpha Program. Alpha is a place to explore the Christian faith with others, through a series of conversations, focused on the questions of life, faith and meaning. The programs will be held on Tuesdays, Sept. 21 to Dec. 7 at 5:30pm, and consist of a meal, video presentation and discussion. Child care is available.



NEW: Healthy Kids Club

Mrs. Wollberg will be starting a Healthy Kids Club in October. It will be held the 1st and 3rd Mondays of the month from after school to 3:30pm.

Oct. 4: After School to 3:30pm

Oct. 18: After School to 3:30pm

Nov. 8: After School to 3:30pm

Importance of Italian Dinner/Auction

The Italian Dinner & Auction is the largest St. John School fundraiser each year, and annually the event earns for our school thousands of dollars for technology and programming.

Expectedly, an army is needed to prepare and hold the big event. This means you. We need each family to find a way or ways to help. If you cannot help at the event, please contact Monica Fleming at 989-766-8114 to find out how you can be of service in the months leading up to the big day. Helpers will also be needed in the days prior for set up and on the day to run stations and help keep things organized and clean.

A sign up will be created soon to help you know where you may be a perfect fit in helping the Dinner/Auction be another fundraising success. <u>Ticket sellers will be needed soon.</u>

<u>Please let us know if that is your gift.</u> Donations for the auction are also much appreciated.

Help, But Also Save the Date to Participate

The big day-long event will be held on October 23. Italian Dinner, Raffle, Silent Auction, Live Auction on Facebook Live, Chinese & Card Raffles, etc. Don't miss the fun, food and chance to support Christian education. Meal tickets will be available for purchase very soon. Child care is available.