The Eagle's Cry

St. John Lutheran School • Rogers City, MI March 15, 2024

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Chapel & Prayers

Thank you to Deacon Randy Martens for leading our Chapel Service this week. This is Alex's birthday week, but he has been out of school! We wish you a Happy Birthday, Alex! And, we are praying you feel better soon. We are praying special prayers for Wyatt and Zavian's families this week. Next week, we will be lifting the Evans and Streblow families in our prayers.

March Offerings will go to Wounded Warrior Project. From their site: *"Every warrior has a next mission. We know that the transition to civilian life is a journey. And for every warrior, family member, and caregiver, that journey looks different."* To learn more about how our offerings will be helping, go to <u>woundedwarriorproject.org</u>

Save the Dates:

Mar. 15: No School – Professional Development Mar. 15: End Marking Period 3 Mar. 15: Pine Car Derby (4th Graders) Mar. 18: 12:30pm Journey to the Cross Mar. 25: 11:00am Gift Card Orders Due March 25 through April 1: Out for Spring Break April 2: School Resumes April 2: 6:00pm Board of Christian Education April 6: 10:00am Gift Planning w/ Julie Burgess April 8: 11:00am Gift Card Orders Due April 10: 12:15pm Blood Drive April 14: Hentkowski Benefit Breakfast April 22: 11:00am Gift Card Orders Due



Benefit Breakfast for Hentkowski Family

There will be a Benefit Breakfast at St. John School on Sunday, April 14 for Corey, Rachel, and Paisley Hentkowski. The Hentkowski family is dealing with expenses for Corey, who has brain cancer.

Anyone that would like to help donate their time and/or baking talents is welcome to join in the breakfast effort. **Please, contact Shari Crawford at (989) 734-7159.**

If you would like to help but are unable to attend the breakfast, you can bring donations to the school. We are also arranging to have donation boxes at churches.

Thank you in advance and please pray for this family.

Meal Help Continues for the Hentkowskis

A sign-up has been created for us to take turns bringing the Hentkowskis a meal each day, through March 28. Go to the following link to sign up or call us in the office to be added to the list.

https://www.signupgenius.com/go/508094BA4AD2EA4F D0-48046708-hentkowski

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

Founded in 1916, St. John Lutheran School is a Pre-K through Grade 8 center of learning that provides diverse learners a Christ-centered, learner-focused, academically excellent education and is dedicated to child well-being so that learners prioritize personal academic growth focused on spiritual, emotional, social, and physical wellness. This is accomplished through an immersion in a Christian environment, purposeful friendship, academic excellence, and connectedness as learners prepare for service to God and others.

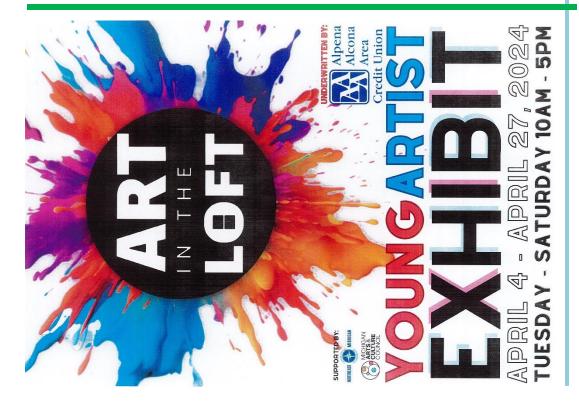
Flashlight Reads! Reading Prizes! Book Buddies! This Month, Kids Are Reading Around Every Corner!







Sat: Read Comics or Graphic Novel
Sun: Read a Book w/ Green On It
Mon: Bring a Poem to School
Tues: Wear Clothes You Can Read
Wed: Share Your Favorite Word
Thurs: Bring Pic of You Reading
Fri: Coin War Dodgeball Game



Gift Planning

A gift planning counselor is a built-in companion for the journey. You may have some fears about facing mortality as you work on your estate plan. Your LCMS Foundation Gift Planning Counselor can help you face those fears by reminding you of our life in Jesus that never ends.

Gift Planning Counselor Julie Burgess will be holding a gift planning workshop at St. John Church on April 6 from 10:00-11:30am.

Light Breakfast, Gift Planning Counselor, Funeral Director, and Lawyers will present information to help guide your gift planning steps.

To contact Julie, call 713-822-5284 or email Julie.Burgess@lfnd.org

Fundraising Notes

Keep sending in your Family Fare receipts. From the last batch, we tallied enough Our Family UPCs to earn a \$75 check. Thanks for your support.

We have begun printing, stuffing and organizing information to mail out the 2024 Spring Campaign letters for the school heating system fundraiser.

<u>Save the Date</u>: There will be a chance basket raffle at the SJLS Spring Concert on May 9.

Even though school will be out for spring break, there will be a gift card order placed Mar. 25. You can bring your order early or call us at 989-306-0003 to make other arrangements. Also available is an app we would love to tell you about.