



ST. PAUL LUTHERAN CHURCH & SCHOOL

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SCHOOL NOTES February 11-17, 2018



CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR 2ND ANNUAL SCIENCE FAIR WINNERS:

GRADES K-2:

1ST~ BRYCE GOECKNER

2ND~ HENRY REISECK

3RD~ EVE CURTIS

GRADES 3-5:

1ST~ JACK SCHWARZ

2ND~ ELLA SCHNARE

3RD~ WYATT GOECKNER

GRADES 6-8:

1ST~ OLIVIA THOELKE

2ND~ ANNA THOELKE

3RD~ SILAS CURTIS

QUINQUAGESIMA

The sign of the cross may be made by all as the invocation is spoken in remembrance of their Baptism.

**All: In the name of the Father and of the Son + and of the Holy Spirit.
Amen.**

THE APOSTLES' CREED is confessed by all.

THE PSALM is prayed: Mon. & Tues: 146; Thurs & Fri: 32

LEARN-BY-HEART:

Baptism –

What is Baptism? Baptism is not just plain water, but it is the water included in God's command and combined with God's word.

Which is that word of God? Christ our Lord says in the last chapter of Matthew: "Therefore go and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit." (Matt. 28:19)

BIBLE VERSE: For as many of you as were baptized into Christ have put on Christ. Galatians 3:27

HYMN: LSB: Mon: 849; Tues: 406; Wed: 607; Thurs 656; Fri: 656

A Mighty Fortress Is Our God LSB 656 stanza 2

With might of ours can naught be done,
Soon were our loss effected;
But for us fights the valiant One,
Whom God Himself elected.
Ask ye, Who is This?
Jesus Christ it is, Of Sabaoth Lord,
And there's none other God;
He holds the field forever.

CHAPEL:

Mon Feb. 12 8:20am Responsive Prayer: 1 Samuel 16:1-13

Tues Feb. 13 8:20am Matins: Galatians 3:27; What is Baptism, Which is?

Wed Feb. 14 8:20am Divine Service III: Matthew 6:1-21

Thurs Feb. 15 8:20am Matins: 2 Corinthians 6:1-10

Fri Feb. 16 8:20am Responsive Prayer: Psalm 32

COLLECT OF THE DAY: O Lord, mercifully hear our prayers and having set us free from the bonds of our sins deliver us from every evil; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

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## 2017-18 CALENDAR

|                   |                |                                                                          |
|-------------------|----------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| February 14       |                | Mid-Quarter Reports home                                                 |
| February 18       | 7:45am         | Grades 1-8 Sing for Divine Service                                       |
|                   | 10:00am        | Grades PreK-8 Sing for Divine Service                                    |
| February 19       |                | No School – Presidents Day                                               |
| February 23       |                | Kindergarten Visitation Day                                              |
| February 28       |                | 2018-2019 School Year Registration forms home to<br>SPLS school families |
| March 9           |                | End of Third Quarter                                                     |
| March 14          |                | Third Quarter Report Cards sent home                                     |
| March 21          |                | Kite Day                                                                 |
| March 23          | 6:30 p.m.      | PreK–8 Spring Music Concert                                              |
| March 25          | 7:45am         | Grades 1-8 Sing for Divine Service                                       |
|                   | 10:00am        | Grades PreK-8 Sing for Divine Service                                    |
| March 26-March 30 |                | No Public Bussing                                                        |
| March 30          |                | End of Fourth Mid-Quarter                                                |
| March 30          | Noon           | K-8 Sing for Good Friday Chief Service;<br>Dismiss after Service         |
| April 2-6         |                | Easter Break – No School                                                 |
| April 7           | TBD            | Go! St. Louis Marathon Races                                             |
| April 15          | 7:45am/10:00am | Grades 4-8 Sing for Divine Service                                       |
| April 22          | 7:45am         | Grades 1-3 Sing for Divine Service                                       |
|                   | 10:00am        | Grades PreK-3 Sing for Divine Service                                    |
| April 30-May 4    |                | IOWA Basic Testing                                                       |
| May 6             |                | Confirmation                                                             |
| May 11            | 6:30 pm        | Fine Arts Festival                                                       |
| May 13            | 7:45am         | Grades 1-8 Sing for Divine Service                                       |
|                   | 10:00am        | Grades PreK-8 Sing for Divine Service                                    |
| May 13            | 9:00am         | 8th Grade Graduation                                                     |
| May 18            | 10:30 am       | Closing service                                                          |
|                   | 11:00 am       | Closing picnic                                                           |

**Young Author’s Thursday Club:** Thursday Club meets until 4:15pm. It is for all 4<sup>th</sup>, 5<sup>th</sup>, 6<sup>th</sup>, 7<sup>th</sup> and 8<sup>th</sup> grade students. Mrs. Curtis, a published writer and school parent, has volunteered her time to lead our Thursday Club discussing writing techniques and assist students in the direction of their Young Author, CCLE writing contest, Lutherans for Life essay contest, VFS essay writing contest and other writing projects. This quarter’s club will give students the tools needed to compete for cash prizes!

**Kiss the Pig contest:** An email was sent with pictures of this year’s recipient of the funds collected for the Kiss the Pig Contest. Canadian Bible Translators is building a library in Cameroon. We have set a goal of \$750 to provide for the shipping of their books. Dr. Dan Jones, board member, will present information to the students this month about the work being done in Cameroon. *Students may bring in change through the end of February to “vote” for the teacher they wish to kiss the pig.*

**Illness:** If your child has had a fever, vomited, or has had diarrhea within 24 hours, they should not return to school. Please keep your children home if they are ill to prevent the spreading of illness. **Please contact the church office by 8:00am if your child will be out of school.**