Concordia Lutheran School

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"Bringing Christ and excellence. in academics to our children for life and forever."

EAGLE BANNER

March 1, 2023

IMPORTANT DATES

Wed. March 1

-All *School* Chapel Service -Pizza Dippers -April Lunch Orders Go Home

Thurs. March 2 -Ham & Cheddar Wrap -Read Across America Day -Vision Screening

Fri. March 3 -Mostaccioli Bake -LSA State Basketball Tournament Game #1 6:15 p.m. @ St. Paul's Grafton

Mon. March 6 -Corn Dogs -Can Collection Week

Tues. March 7 -Hot Dog Tuesday -T-Shirt Tuesday for Ashley & Mrs. Sadowski

Wed. March 8 -Chapel Services -Chef Salad -April Lunch Orders Due -Accept/Decline Letters Due

LOOKING AHEAD

Association Open School Board Virtual Meeting March 13, 2023 6 p.m.

> 3rd Quarter Ends March 17, 2023

SPRING BREAK March 20th – March 24th

ACCEPT OR DECLINE LETTERS ARE DUE WEDNESDAY 3/8/23

Families in the Racine Parental Choice Program have either been mailed letters or had their letter sent home with their child providing an option to accept or decline your child's seat for 2023-24. Please return your as soon as possible. **We must receive a response no later than Wednesday, March 8**th. Some classes may have a waiting list. As such, we must offer seats that are not accepted to a family that is waiting if no response is provided. Promptly return your letter! Please contact the office today if you have not yet received it.

SEASON OF LENT

We invite you to join us at Faith Lutheran Church on Wednesdays at 7 pm or Holy Cross Lutheran Church at 6 pm as we worship and prepare our hearts for Good Friday and the season of Easter to come.

3RD QUARTER CLOSING SOON

Please take note that **Friday, March 17**th is the final day of our third quarter. Progress reports will be issued after Spring Break on Wednesday, March 29th. Please log into Renweb (gradebook) to monitor your child's work and act promptly on email notifications of things that are missing.

CAN COLLECTION WEEK

Beginning Monday March 6, 2023, we will receive your can/aluminum donations toward lower level finishing of classroom and restrooms. **Mark your bag with your child's grade level, please**. You can drop them off at the school until Friday, March 10th!

"GLOW BRIGHT"

Our 8th grade class would like to invite your 6th – 8th grade students to their "Glow Bright" Middle School Dance Friday, March 10th 6 – 8 p.m. This dance is a fundraiser benefiting our 8th graders Washington D.C. trip. The cost is \$10 cash only per student. The student MUST have a signed permission slip from their parent/guardian to enter the dance.

ATTENTION PASTRY LOVERS

Concordia's PTL will be kicking off their Spring fundraiser TODAY. We are selling delicious Butter Braid Pastries. These pastries come in eight great flavors and will be ready for pick-up on Tuesday, March 28th, in time to share during Easter brunches. Order forms are being sent home in folders today and need to be returned on Wednesday, March 15th. Thank you for helping to support Concordia, our teachers and especially our students. To place your orders online please click the below link and select your seller's name.

https://store.myfundraisingplace.com/e20dc3c9-27fb-4363-85d0-4afcdd154380

STATE CHAMPIONSHIP GAME #1

Come out and cheer on our 7th and 8th grade basketball team at **St. Paul's Grafton this Friday, March 3rd at 6:15 p.m.** Athletes participating will be excused from school at 1:30 p.m. in order to arrive at Concordia University in ample time to register and take team photos prior to their game in Grafton. GO EAGLES! We are proud of you!

Visit this link for updates on our progress: https://www.lsawi.org/basketball/brackets/

SHAREHOLDER DINNER SCHEDULED

Anyone interested in "investing" in Concordia's 8th grade Washington DC trip? You are invited to our "End of Trip Sponsorship Dinner" **Thursday, May 11th, 2023** at 6:00 p.m. at Concordia School. Please join us to learn about the experiences our 8th graders had during their trip to Washington DC. We are sure there will be plenty to share. The students will present a slide show to give all of us a glimpse of what they learned, what they liked (or didn't) and what they will remember the most. Tickets are \$10 per person. For tickets, see your favorite 8th grader. <u>Tickets must be purchased by Monday, March 27th.</u> If you do not have a favorite 8th grader, please purchase tickets in the school office. "The investment" will be part of the general fund and divided amongst all the 8th grade students attending.

JANUARY AND FEBRUARY STARS AWARD RECIPIENTS

The following students have demonstrated outstanding Christian character and were recognized as such during our all-school chapel today.

January:

Nyah Otto, Parker Ortiz, Leila Eaton, Rylee Stout, Charlotte Petersen, Ashley Biesanz, Cassidy Ivanoski, Bo Rosenbaum, Madelyn Bullinger, Josette Lisowski, Corbin Malkasian, Quinten Lisowski, Cort Kincade, Liam Naatz, Sam Silich, Kylie Kramer, and Skyler Morrison.

February:

Avalynn Noel, Erik Konicek, Natalie Silich, Elizabeth White, Colton Foulk, Leilani Guerrero, Lilliana Janis, Melanie Graichen, Hannah Naatz, Zac Kosterman, Molly Silich, Lily Lang, Ben Graichen, Jonathon Blanchard, Danielle Ynocencio, Jasmine White, Payton Shaw, Cole Kosterman, Gabriel Eberhardt, Ruby Rosales, Luca Tempesta, Jozlynn Stratman, and Shayla Wood.

WINTERIM SHOUT OUT

A huge thank you is extended to Miss Leon and our middle school teachers for all the work that went into planning Winterim this year. The students had a wonderful day experiencing many new things. You are appreciated!

A & W NIGHT THANKS & SAVE THE DATE!

Thank you to everyone who enjoyed their supper or a treat Wednesday, February 15th. We received a check for \$86.66. Our next Dine & Donate Night there will be held on Wednesday, March 15th. Please save the date!

YEARBOOK ORDERS DUE

Be sure you have your order envelope in to our office by **Thursday, March 9th** or sooner to order your 28-page full color book. Capture these memories and save yourself several dollars by ordering now. Call or email the office if you need another order form.

PANERA NIGHT THANKS!

Thank you to everyone who attended this last Tuesday's Panera night out. We earned a total of \$58.52. These nights help reduce the cost for field trips and classroom supplies. Thank you for your continued support.

SUMMER BRIDGING & ENRICHMENT PROGRAM SIGN UP IS UNDERWAY!

Younique Minds is partnering with St. John's Lutheran School to host a 5-week Lutheran summer bridging and enrichment program which includes interventions in Math and English. The information and registration forms will be sent home Wednesday, March 15th. Please review the virtual link now. Please consider using this program to help set your child up for success in the year ahead.

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MARCH APPLICATIONS FOR VOUCHERS

Please let your friends know that a limited number of seats remain. The time to apply is now. The current open application period will run through March 21st. Application can be made bv going to www.dpi.wi.gov/choice. After applying online, residency documentation must be brought to the school office (new & continuing students) along with income documentation (new students only). Assistance with applying is available by appointment - simply call the office.

PERFECT SCHOOL ATTENDANCE

Congratulations is extended to Yuvraj Gill for having perfect school attendance for the 2nd quarter. Keep up the good work!

THIS WE BELIEVE... "What is a confession?"

This word can be used in two different ways: (1) In the first place, we confess our <u>sins</u> to God. Confession is the act by which we admit to God that we have not kept His commandments. We have broken His law by our thoughts, words, and deeds, not just by the bad things we have done but also by the good that we have failed to do. Confession of sins can be done either publicly (as we do in church on Sunday mornings) or privately, in our hearts or to our pastor. (2) We also confess our <u>faith</u> when we tell others what we believe. This can be done either formally (as when we speak together the Apostles' Creed or the Nicene Creed in our worship service) or informally when we witness to our faith to others . .when we tell them what Jesus means to us.

CHAPEL SERVICES AND OFFERINGS

"Missouri Flood Relief" is our chapel offering project for the months of March and April. A total of **\$75.00** was raised today. Your gifts and prayers are greatly appreciated!

TODAY'S VERSE TO REMEMBER

Well-developed trust will bring you many blessings, not the least of which is My Peace. I have promised to keep you in perfect Peace to the extent that you trust in Me. \sim Isaiah 26:3

THOUGHT FOR THE DAY

"Do a little more than you're paid to. Give a little more than you have to. Try a little harder than you want to. Aim a little higher than you think possible, and give a lot of thanks to God for health, family, and friends." ~ Art Linkletter

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NEWS & NOTES IN ATHLETICS...

ATHLETIC NOTES & THANKS

Our basketball season has come to a close. Special thanks are sent to all of our coaches for volunteering their time to develop Christian sportsmanship and sharpen the skills of our athletes. Mr. Kincade, Mr. Oviedo, Mr. Blanchard, Mrs. Bohm, and Mr. Pratt – we are grateful for you!

We are beginning preparations for the track season. This season is a shorter one, culminating with a **track meet** at **Carthage College on May 10th**. Parents with an interest in coaching our fifth through eighth graders in track are asked to email Trisha Holst at trisholst@aol.com. More information will follow.

RACINE LUTHERAN HIGH NEWS FOR YOU!

Mark your calendars with the events noted here!

Racine Lutheran High School - Enrollment for the 2023-24 school year is underway. Space is limited! Contact the Admissions Office for assistance. 262.637.6538 or admissions@RacineLutheran.org. Be a Crusader!

Be sure to "Like" LHS on **Facebook – Racine Lutheran High School Admissions** and keep up with the latest news and announcements.