# **Concordia Lutheran School**

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# EAGLE BANNER

# **September 20, 2023**

#### **IMPORTANT DATES**

Wed, September 20 -Chapel Services -Chicken Noodle Soup -Martial Arts, 3:15 – 3:45 p.m. -A-Squad Volleyball practice 4 – 5:30 p.m.

Thurs. September 21 -Grilled Cheese -Washington D.C.Meeting, gr. 8 students, parent/guardian @ 5:30

Fri. September 22 -Pizza -Lunch orders due for Oct. -School Colors Day -Fab Food -A-Squad Volleyball practice 4 – 5:30 p.m.

Mon. September 25 -French Toast Sticks -Martial Arts 3:15 – 3:45 p.m. -B-Squad Volleyball Practice 4 – 5:30 p.m.

#### Tues. September 26

-Hot Dog Tuesday -T-Shirt Tuesday Volleyball vs. St. John's 5:00 p.m. B-squad 6:00 p.m. A-squad



A & W Dine & Donate Tonight 4 to 7 p.m. Come and enjoy dinner, dessert, and fellowship!!

## MAGAZINE/CATALOG FALL FUNDRAISER

Kick off for this fundraiser was Monday, September 18th. A packet of information was sent home then with PS3-4<sup>th</sup> and will be coming home today with 5<sup>th</sup> -8<sup>th</sup>. All proceeds raised during this sale are used to benefit your child through classroom materials/resources and defrays field trip costs. The sale will wrap up on October 3rd and everything will be delivered to school during the last week of October. Please contact Mrs. Eberhardt with any questions.

#### SPIRITWEAR SALE

spiritwear and volleyball shirts!! Order forms will be accepted through Thursday, September 28<sup>th.</sup> This is a great way to support our Booster Club and get spiritwear for school color Fridays!!

## **A & W NIGHT TODAY!**

Once again, Booster Club is selling Fall is upon us and so is our first PTL Dine & Donate. Please join us at A & W Today, Wednesday, September 20<sup>th</sup> from 4 to 7 P.M. Let the cashier know you are supporting Concordia Lutheran School PTL and we will receive 15% of your sale. Thanks for your support!

# **OCTOBER LUNCH ORDER FORM DUE FRIDAY**

An email was sent out September 14<sup>th</sup> with an online copy of the October Lunch order form. An additional hard copy will be coming home with grades 5-8 today, PS3 - 4th grade students already received a paper copy. You will have until this Friday, September 22<sup>nd</sup> to turn them in with no extra fee. They will also be accepted on Monday, September 25th with the \$3.00 inconvenience fee.

#### SAVE THE DATE!!

#### **MEDICINE BOTTLES NEEDED**

Set aside Saturday, October 28th for Concordia's Annual Fall Fest. You won't want to miss out on the fun. More information will follow here and on our Facebook page.

Our librarian is looking for empty prescription medicine bottles for a school project. Please make sure to remove the label and rinse out the container before sending in. Thank you!

#### **"POP" TOPS AND COORDINATOR NEEDED**

We are looking for a volunteer to deliver "pop" tops to the Ronald McDonald House Charites. We had many families bless us by dropping off their collected "pop" tops this year. If you are interested and can help, please call the school office (262) 884-0991. Please keep saving those "POP" tops!

#### **HOLIDAY FAIR**

Faith Lutheran Church's Christian Service League is hosting a Holiday Fair right here in the CLS gymnasium **Saturday, October 21<sup>st</sup> 9am-2pm**. Featuring: Home canned goods, crafts, home baked goods, Holiday cards and gifts along with many additional vendors/craft booths. Proceeds will support missions of LCMS. We hope you will stop by!

If you are interested in renting a table, the price is \$25 for a table and two chairs. Please contact Trudy Kristopeit at 262-994-5253 if interested.

#### THANK YOU

Please give a big SHOUT OUT to Charloette Petersen and family for their generous donations to our Class Dojo store. Thank you for letting your light of Jesus shine and helping our school.

#### S.H.I.N.E. INFO COMING

Information will be going home with students today to support our learners with their homework after school. Teachers in gr. 2 - 4 will refer children if they see a need. Students in grades 5 - 8 may drop in for homework help providing that their agreement for attending is in place. The program will begin Monday, September 25. Participants must have their agreement signed to attend.

#### **IMPORTANT NOTIFICATIONS**

RenWeb Support (our gradebook manager) provides notifications to gr. 3 – 8 parents of students with missing work or who have received a low grade. A Gradebook Progress Report will also be issued each Sunday to provide a summary of your child's progress each week. We appreciate your follow through with your young scholar on their work!

#### CHAPEL SERVICES AND OFFERINGS

September and October offerings will be directed to Lutheran Church Charites: Hawaii Disaster Relief. Please help us reach our goal of \$600. Today we raised **\$98.00**, for a grand total of **\$470.00**. Thank you for your generous donations.

# **KEEPING OUR FAMILIES IN PRAYER**

As part of our family, you are in our thoughts and prayers. We will be including you in our prayers throughout the year, here in school and at our churches. Please join us in lifting up the following families and their children, along with members of our staff, in your prayers: **Bissett (Livia & Max), Blanchard (Jonathan), Blome (Jonathon), Bohm (Travis), Braun (Liliana), Mr.**  Bliss (substitute teacher), Mrs. Bohm (8<sup>th</sup> grade aide), and Mrs. Bosak Kindergarten aide).

#### WASHINGTON D.C. MEETING THIS WEEK

Our 8<sup>th</sup> grade students and their parents/guardians are encouraged to attend the meeting being held on Thursday, September 21 at 5:30 p.m. Itinerary, cost, and fundraising opportunities will be presented. Come to the Bible Study Room (signs posted).

#### **GRADEBOOK CLOSES FOR MIDTERMS**

We are at the halfway point in the first quarter of our school year. At 4:00 p.m. on Friday, the gradebook will close in preparation for midterm report release next week.

**Please note:** The grades of all students will be reviewed at midterm and quarter grading periods. Students receiving an initial F or Fs, or receiving a grade point average lower that 2.0, will be placed on probation (a warning that the student must remove any F's and raise the GPA if below 2.0) until the next grade report. While on probation, that student may participate in extracurricular activities. However, a 90-day academic probation contract will be issued which must be signed by the student, parents/guardian, teacher, and administration within 5 days.

Any student not having a 2.0 grade point average or having any Fs on two consecutive grade sheets will be declared ineligible to participate to in any extracurricular activities until a subsequent grade sheet shows a 2.0 average and no Fs.

Please take an active role in following up on gradebook notifications regarding low or missing grades, monitoring assignment completion, study habits, and quality of work. We are here to help but rely on a partnership approach with you. Please contact your child's teacher with any questions.

#### **CAN COLLECTION WINNERS**

Congratulations are extended to our  $2^{nd}$  grade class for weighing in with the most cans last week! Each of these students will receive a FREE item of their choice at Fab Food this Friday. Please keep saving cans and turning them in. Our next can turn in week is October 2 - 6.



# THIS WE BELIEVE...PART TWO

Last year we addressed several questions commonly asked about Christianity. This year we will continue sharing our Christian beliefs as found in the Bible (God's Word) and Luther's Small Catechism.

What is the Apostles' Creed? This is a written statement that tells us the most important truths about God: who He is and what he has done for us. God is the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit – the Holy Trinity. This creed has three simple parts (articles) which sum up the divine work associated with each person: the Father (creation), the Son (redemption), and the Holy Spirit (sanctification). The Creed begins with the words "I believe", thereby stating that "I am convinced that God has made me, redeemed me, and sanctified me".

# The First Article (Part 1) of The Apostles' Creed is: I believe in God, the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth.

We believe that God has made us and all creatures; that he has given us our body and soul, eyes, ears, and all our members, our reason and all our senses, and still takes care of them. *He gives us even so much more, purely out of his goodness and mercy.* 

We believe that no one but God "could create heaven and earth". God created out of nothing everything that exists. Nothing exists apart from God's creation.

We will look at another part of The First Article of the Apostles' Creed next week.

#### WORSHIP WITH US THIS WEEKEND

Come and join friends and family from school at one of these worship services. See you there!

Saturday, 9/23 @ Faith – 4 p.m. Saturday, 9/23 @ Pentecost – 5 p.m. Sunday, 9/24 @ Pentecost – 8:30 a.m. Sunday, 9/24@ Faith – 9:00 a.m. Sunday, 9/24@ Holy Cross – 10:00 a.m.

# **TODAY'S VERSE TO REMEMBER**

"Be glad, O children of Zion, and rejoice in the Lord your God, for he has given the early rain for your vindication; he has poured down for you abundant rain, the early and the latter rain, as before. ~ Joel 2:23

# THOUGHT FOR THE DAY

"Preparation is the key to success." ~ Alexander Graham Bell

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# **NEWS & NOTES IN ATHLETICS...**

**VOLLEYBALL PRACTICE A-Squad (7<sup>th</sup> & 8<sup>th</sup> Grade)** Wednesday and Friday's 4 – 5:30 p.m.

#### VOLLEYBALL PRACTICE B-Squad (5<sup>th</sup> & 6<sup>th</sup> Grade)

Please check the practice schedule given to you for dates and practice times.

**GAMES COMING UP!** Please come out and cheer on our young ladies!

<u>Tuesday, September 26<sup>th</sup></u> Home vs. St. John's Lutheran 5:00 p.m. B Team (5<sup>th</sup>/6<sup>th</sup>) 6:00 p.m. A Team (7<sup>th</sup>/8<sup>th</sup>)

<u>Tuesday, October 3<sup>rd</sup></u> Home vs. Christian Life 5:00 p.m. B Team (5<sup>th</sup>/6<sup>th</sup>) 6:00 p.m. A Team (7<sup>th</sup>/8<sup>th</sup>)

<u>Thursday, October 5<sup>th</sup></u> Home vs. Racine Christian 5:00 p.m. B Team (5<sup>th</sup>/6<sup>th</sup>) 6:00 p.m. A Team (7<sup>th</sup>/8<sup>th</sup>)

<u>Tuesday, October 10<sup>th</sup></u> Away vs. St. John's Lutheran 5:00 p.m. B Team (5<sup>th</sup>/6<sup>th</sup>) 6:00 p.m. A Team (7<sup>th</sup>/8<sup>th</sup>) <u>Tuesday, October 17<sup>th</sup></u> Home vs. Trinity 5:00 p.m. B Team (5<sup>th</sup>/6<sup>th</sup>) 6:00 p.m. A Team (7<sup>th</sup>/8<sup>th</sup>)

<u>Thursday, October 19<sup>th</sup></u> Away vs. Racine Christian 5:00 p.m. B Team (5<sup>th</sup>/6<sup>th</sup>) 6:00 p.m. A Team (7<sup>th</sup>/8<sup>th</sup>)

# **RACINE LUTHERAN HIGH NEWS FOR YOU!**

**8th graders - Save the Date -** Racine Lutheran High School Open House for prospective students is Monday, Oct. 16, from 5-7 p.m. We are making space for you!

### Grade School Fans and RLHS Homecoming Week -

Sept. 25 – 29 – Stop at the
Grade School table at all the RLHS varsity games during
Homecoming Week. Check in, have some fun, and
celebrate the Crusaders!
Come to one game or all of them!
Monday – 25<sup>th</sup> – Soccer at 4:30 p.m. at Pershing Park
Tuesday – 26<sup>th</sup> – Volleyball at 6:30 p.m. at RLHS
Thursday – 28<sup>th</sup> – Volleyball at 6:30 p.m. at RLHS
Friday – 29<sup>th</sup> – Football at 7 p.m. at Horlick Field

**Facebook** – Like us on Facebook – Racine Lutheran High School Admissions.