

Concordia Lutheran School

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

EAGLE BANNER

October 11, 2023

IMPORTANT DATES

Wed. October 11

- Chapel Services
- Pancakes
- A-Squad Volleyball practice
4 – 5:30 p.m.

Thurs. October 12

- Salisbury Steak
- Picture Retake –
Make up Day!

Fri. October 13

- Pizza
- School Colors Day
- A-Squad Volleyball
Practice
4 – 5:30 p.m.

Mon. October 16

- Chicken Nuggets
- B-Squad Volleyball
Practice
4 – 5:30 p.m.

Tues. October 17

- Hot Dog Tuesday
- T-Shirt Tuesday
- Volleyball vs. Trinity
5:00 p.m. B-squad
6:00 p.m. A-squad

Fall Fest

October 28, 2023
11 A.M. – 3 P.M.



RETAKE & PICTURE MAKE UP DAY IS TOMORROW!

Send your original photo package to school to trade it in for your retake opportunity!

If you want to order pictures and haven't previously, stop by the office for an order form. Students absent last time will be photographed. There is no obligation to purchase.

FIRST QUARTER ENDING SOON

Thursday, Oct. 26th is the final day of our first quarter. Students are reminded to have all assignments given during the quarter turned in to receive credit for them on the progress report. Parents, please check your email regularly to receive notifications regarding missing work or low grades. A **Records Day/NO SCHOOL** is scheduled for **Friday, Oct. 27th.**

QDOBA DINE & DONATE 10/16

Concordia is hosting a Dine and Donate at Qdoba Mexican Eats. Please join us on **Monday, October 16th from 4 – 8 p.m.** at 6035 W. Durand Ave, Mount Pleasant, WI 53406. Order online with the digital coupon code **QDOBAGIVES** or **show the flyer that was sent home last week.**

We will receive 25% of sales donated!

PTL BEAR PAW ADVENTURE FUNDRAISER

Join us **October 13-15th** at Bear Paw Adventure Park for our **FUNdraiser, benefiting Concordia Lutheran School PTL!** Enjoy thrilling daytime or nighttime activities including a high ropes course, laser tag or zombie laser tag, glow adventures, Halloween drone show, haunted trail, pirate cannons, corn maze, & more fall fun! Purchase your tickets on Bear Paw Adventure Park's website and use our unique promo code, **CLSFALL23**. **25% of ticket sales will go back to our organization.** We appreciate your support! For more information and to purchase tickets, visit Bear Paw Adventure Park's website here: bearpawadventurepark.com/seasonal.

POSITIVE OFFICE REFERRALS

It is important to us to let you and your child know when positive choices and acts of kindness are noted. That is what our Positive Office Referrals are all about! Thanks for praising your child and reinforcing their outstanding behavior, too. Congratulations to the following student(s) **Annalise Hansen** for letting their lights shine for Jesus and his people.

A & W DINE & DONATE COMING

Take a break from cooking, or for a sweet treat, on **Wednesday, October 18^h** and join us at A & W **from 4 to 7 P.M.** Let the cashier know you are supporting Concordia Lutheran School, and we will receive 15% of your sale. Thanks for your ongoing support!

THANK YOU!

Many thanks are extended to the Berg Family for their generous donation to our Lego Club! We will need a couple more Classic Legos sets and another volunteer to get the young club (K – 3) up and running! Additional volunteers and Legos for our older group (4 – 8) are needed, too. Please contact the office if YOU can help.



Please also join us in thanking Darlene Fabio for her generous donations to our Class Dojo store. There have been many wonderful items donated and the kids will enjoy shopping with their well-earned DOJO dollars!

Thank you for letting the light of Jesus shine through you and helping our school. We greatly appreciate it!!

OCTOBER = PASTOR APPRECIATION!

Take a moment to let your pastor know how much you appreciate the work they do! It's Pastor Appreciation Month – now's the time! Although, any day is a good day to let someone know you are thankful that God has placed them in your life!

ABOVE & BEYOND

Each month our students (K-8) have an opportunity to earn an academic achievement award. Specific grade appropriate criteria have been established for each subject in our curriculum. **The academic emphasis for the month of September was Religion. At this time we are pleased to report the following student went "Above & Beyond":** Leila Eaton, Spencer Hultman, Mackenzie Thom, Sofia Rechsteiner, Lenox Barron, and Corvin Biesanz. We are proud of you! October's emphasis is Art. Watch for information from your child's teacher!

HOLIDAY FAIR

Faith Lutheran Church's Christian Service League is hosting a Holiday Fair right here in the CLS gymnasium **Saturday, October 21st 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.

CHAPEL SERVICES AND OFFERINGS

September and October offerings will continue to be directed to Lutheran Church Charities: Hawaii Disaster Relief. Today we raised **\$77.00**, for a grand total of **\$744.00**, thus far! We have already exceeded our goal but are going to keep plugging away with help. Thank you for your generous donations.

CONCORDIA FALL FEST 🎪

Concordia Fall Fest is rapidly approaching, and we are gearing up to have a lot of fun again this year. There will be carnival type games, food, inflatables, a silent auction, a Vendor Fair, cake walk, and Henna art.

Please save a little time for us on **Saturday, October 28th 11am-3pm**, to stop by Concordia School, wander the Silent Auction, peruse the Vendor Fair, grab a bite to eat, and enjoy the boundless energy our students have during this fantastic event.

VOLUNTEERS are necessary to make this an amazing time for all! Please use this link to take part: <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C094BAEAD29A1FCC07-44899534-concordias> Every minute you share is appreciated and goes toward the annual volunteer hour requirement for all families.

We are looking for donations for our Silent Auction. Anyone who may be interested in donating an item or in helping to solicit donations, please contact Terri at 414-331-1800

We are also looking for vendors to fill our vendor spots. If you, or someone you know, are an independent consultant, please consider sharing your interest and products with the Concordia Family and friends. For more information regarding the Vendor Fair please text/call Terri Lisowski at 414-331-1800 or email at terri.lisowski@gmail.com

SILENT AUCTION BASKETS

The Fall Fest is one of our largest fundraisers. As part of the Fall Fest, we have a Silent Auction. It has been our tradition to have each classroom fill a basket for the auction based on a unique theme chosen by the teacher and sometimes the classroom. Please jump in to add to the baskets listed below. The classroom basket with the highest bid (divided by # of students in each class) wins a special day at school along with the "Golden Basket" prize.

Here are the themes selected by each class:

3-Year-Old Pre-School- Our Furry Friends-Things we can use to help care for our furry friends. Dog/Cat related items, Treats, Dog Toys, Chew Items, Caring for Items, etc.

4-YEAR-OLD Kindergarten - Anything Disney-Things that make a Disney Lover excited. Anything Disney related: Books, Crafts, Foods, Toys, Trinkets, Games, etc.

Kindergarten - Smells So Good - Things that make us ask "What is that great smell?" Candles, Perfume, Lotions, Smelly Stickers, Non-perishable Foods, etc.

1st Grade - Young Picasso - Things to let the creative side out. Art Supplies, Craft Kits, Crayons, Paints, Glue, Glitter, Paper, Gift Cards to a Craft Store, etc.

2nd Grade - Can You Build It - Things for the architect is us. Legos, K'nex, Mega Blocks, Bristle Blocks, Stacking Blocks, Lincoln Logs, Tinker Toys, Origami supplies, Paper Airplane How-To's, Build-it Kits, Puzzles, etc.

3rd Grade - Book Worm - Things to make a Book Lover happy. Books, Bookmarks, Reading Lights, Blankets to wrap up in, Hot Cocoa, Tea, Journals, etc.

4th Grade - Loving Wisconsin - Things that remind us of Wisconsin. Books, Travel Guides, Non-Perishable Foods, Candy, Souvenirs, Sports memorabilia (Packers, Badgers, Bucks, Brewers, Admirals, Wave), etc.

5th Grade - Clean As Can Be - Things that help keep our homes looking spiffy. Cleansers, Dusters, Cleaning Cloths, Mops, Brooms, Air Fresheners, etc.

6th Grade - Family Night/Movie Night - Things to help us enjoy time with each other. Board Games, Puzzles, Card Games, Books, Movies, Snacks, Pizza Certificates, Movie Theater Passes, Beverages, etc.

7th Grade - Varsity Bound - Things related to different sports. Balls, Gloves, Jump Ropes, Sports, Memorabilia, Rackets, Game Sets, etc.

8th Grade - Yummy Baking - Things you use in the kitchen. Kitchen gadgets, Mixes, Frosting, Baking pans, Measuring tools, Hot pads, Towels, Cookbooks, Bowls, etc. Keeping our families in prayer

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: **Cihler (Elina, William), Cottingham (Khamanii), and Cottingham (Leia, Liam, Levi).**

THIS WE BELIEVE...PART TWO

We are continuing to share our Christian beliefs as found in the Bible and Luther's Small Catechism. This week we are continuing with the First Article of the Apostle's Creed.

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

In Part 3 of the explanation of The First Article, Martin Luther explains that God provides everything we need *and* guards and protects us out of fatherly, divine goodness and mercy. There is no merit or worthiness in us that warrants the goodness and mercy God shows to us. He does this freely, out of love. For all this it is our duty to thank and praise, serve and obey Him.

We can thank God by expressing our gratitude to Him. Using the gifts and resources God has given us to help and serve others is a wonderful way we can serve Him. Proclaiming His works and worshipping Him with fellow believers is another way we show our thanks for His love.

Next week, we will move onto the second part of The First Article in which we confess Jesus is our Lord and Savior!

WORSHIP WITH US THIS WEEKEND

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

Saturday, 10/14 @ Faith – 4 p.m.

Saturday, 10/14 @ Pentecost – 5 p.m.

Sunday, 10/15 @ Pentecost – 8:30 a.m.

Sunday, 10/15 @ Faith – 9:00 a.m.

Sunday, 10/15 @ Holy Cross – 10:00 a.m.

TODAY'S VERSE TO REMEMBER

For God alone my soul waits in silence; from him comes my salvation.

THOUGHT FOR THE DAY

"If we all do one random act of kindness daily, we might just set the world in the right direction."

~ Martin Kornfeld

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NEWS & NOTES IN ATHLETICS...

VOLLEYBALL PRACTICE A-Squad (7th & 8th Grade)

Wednesday and Friday 4 – 5:30 p.m.

VOLLEYBALL PRACTICE B-Squad (5th & 6th 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!

Tuesday, October 17th

Home vs. Trinity

5:00 p.m. B Team (5th/6th)

6:00 p.m. A Team (7th/8th)

Thursday, October 19th

Away vs. Racine Christian

5:00 p.m. B Team (5th/6th)

6:00 p.m. A Team (7th/8th)

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!

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