Concordia Lutheran School

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

EAGLE BANNER

IMPORTANT DATES

Wed. November 13

-Chapel Services -Grilled Ham n Cheese -Dec. Lunch Orders Go Home -P/T & Student Led Conferences 4:20 – 8 P.M.

Thurs. November 14

-Milaeger's Poinsettia orders final turn in (extended) -Noon Dismissal -No Afternoon Care -P/T & Student Led Conferences 12:40 – 8 P.M. -PTL's Family Night Out Georgie Porgies' 4 – 8 p.m.

Fri. November 15 -NO School

Mon. November 18 -Pizza Dippers -Book Fair Begins

Tues. November 19 -Hot Dog Tuesday - T-Shirt Tuesday

Student-Led Parent Teacher Conferences

Wednesday November 13, 2024 4:20 – 8 p.m.

<u>Noon Dismissal</u> Thursday November 14, 2024 12:40 – 8 p.m. *No After School Care*

DID YOU KNOW...

Your child's teacher is a church worker. Did you know that most church workers (like the ones we have featured in our vocation descriptions here) didn't just happen upon their vocations, but rather were identified and encouraged to pursue their current role? Somewhere along the way, someone planted the seed, the idea of serving in the church (or school) some day. The seed took root and bore fruit and the individual went on to serve the church and the world with the Word of Christ. This scenario has been repeated countless times. Thank goodness!

Set Apart to Serve is an initiative focused on growing a culture of planting that seed and encouraging youth to consider their talents for service to God. We need youth and adults to serve in churches and schools to spread God's Word and keep Christian education alive.

~ August 2024 Supplement to Reporter/LCMS

Do you want to know more about being a part of this vocation? Talk to Mrs. Klein or your child's teacher! Check out our Set Apart to Serve bulletin board, too.

COME WORSHIP WITH US!

Join friends and family from school at one of these worship services to celebrate the twenty-fifth Sunday after Trinity.

Saturday, 11/16 @ Faith – 4 p.m. Sunday, 11/17 @ Faith – 9:00 a.m. Sunday, 11/17 @ Holy Cross –10:00 a.m.



SET APART TO SERVE

Please take a moment to check out **Mrs. Pidsosny's** story, posted on the Set Apart to Serve bulletin board. She comes from a long line of church workers!

Coming up on November 20th , Mrs. Link will share the Lord's leading on her path to service to Him at Concordia Lutheran School.

CONFERENCE TIME IS HERE 🕹

1st Quarter Conferences officially begin today. PS – K parents will meet with the teacher one-on-one. Gr. 1 – 8 students will attend their conference and be involved in leading it. Meeting with the teacher is required for all parents.

Please contact your child's teacher if you have not yet made arrangements.

CHRISTMAS PROGRAM SAVE THE DATE!

This Christmas, we invite you to focus on Christ and celebrate the everlasting gift of hope and joy that He brings through the singing of Christmas hymns and the story of Jesus's Birth. **Please join us on Thursday, December 5th at 6:00 p.m. and Friday, December 6th at 10:00 a.m.**

CONCORDIA CELEBRATES 55 YEARS!

Set aside the date, take part in the festivities, and share some ideas for this celebration, too! We will gather for food, fun, and fellowship here on **Sunday**, **January 26th @ 1 p.m.** We are looking for individuals interested in working with our school board and admin members to make this event special. Please email Mrs. Klein if you know how to throw a party on a budget!

THE CHRISTMAS CARNIVAL OF LIGHTS @ JELLYSTONE HOSTED BY OUR PTL

Step into a world of wonder at The Christmas Carnival of Lights – the biggest, brightest & most dazzling drive-through light show!

Your visit will help support our fundraiser, benefitting Concordia Lutheran School. Families can journey through a 2-mile wooded path, aglow with over 2 million twinkling lights, all synchronized to your favorite holiday tunes. After your dazzling drive, stop by Santa's Workshop for meet & greets, delicious holiday treats, & magical photo ops. Join us Nov 25-27, Dec 2-5, or Dec 9-12 to ensure your visit directly supports our organization. Best of all, 25% of ticket sales for general admission car passes and the Golf Cart Holiday Train will go directly to our cause! To contribute, purchase tickets your at wichristmascarnival.com and use our special promo code: CLSLIGHTS24.

THE I:55 BOOK FAIR COMING SOON

The book fair will open Monday, November 18th. This is a great opportunity to start your Christmas shopping! Parent/student shopping times are: 7:30 A.M. – 8:15 A.M. after car line 4:15 P.M. –5:15 P.M. The

book fair will continue through November 27th. Help build the classroom and school libraries at Concordia. Thank you for supporting this sale!

GEORGIE PORGIE'S FAMILY NIGHT OUT

Please mark your calendar to join us for Concordia Lutheran PTL Family Night Out.

When: Thursday, November 14, 2024 Where: Georgie Porgie's Treefort 5502 Washington Ave Time: 4 – 8 P.M.

We look forward to seeing you there for fellowship and great food. Thank you for your support!

POINSETTIA SALE ENDS TODAY

Is your home in need of some holiday decorations? PTL is sponsoring a Milaeger's Poinsettia sale. A one day extension allows orders to be turned in by the morning of Thursday, November 14th. Order forms went home last Wednesday .The expected day to pick up your poinsettia order is Tuesday, November 26th after school until 5:45pm. Please note, payments are due when ordering and checks can be made out to Concordia Lutheran School PTL. Thank you for supporting Concordia!

VIP DAY FUN JUST AHEAD

We are looking forward to welcoming a Very Important Person in your child's life on **Wednesday, November 27**. <u>Yes, unfortunately, we can only allow ONE adult</u> <u>per student to participate</u>. A flyer is came home last week with the details! Please respond with your child's VIP's name as soon as possible so we can begin preparing.

THANK YOU FOR YOUR GENEROSITY!

Please give a shout out of thanks to Annabelle Anderson, Madelyn Bullinger and their families for their DOJO Store donations. Thank you for your kindness and generosity.

A delightful Dojo Store Day took place last Friday thanks to all of the incredible donations provided during the first quarter. Thank you!

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 October was Art. At this time we are pleased to report the following student went "Above & Beyond": Kinsley Warnock, Evelyn Fletcher, Lanai Galvan, Izaac Zavala, Kora Egbert, Jesse Rodriguez, Josiah Byrd, Khamanii Cottingham, Nayomi Munoz, and Weston Kleimola. We are proud of you! November's emphasis is Science. Use information from your child's teacher to encourage your child's participation!

POSITIVE OFFICE REFERRALS

Congratulations to the following student: **Sofia Morrison** for letting her lights shine for Jesus and his people by her positive choices and acts of kindness. That is what our Positive Office Referrals are all about! Thanks for praising your child and reinforcing their outstanding behavior, too.

NOVEMBER FRIENDZY FOCUS

The **goal** in this month's Friendzy instruction is to consider the needs of others before our own. A **Key Verse** discussed that support this goal are:

"Then make me truly happy by agreeing wholeheartedly with each other, loving one another, and working together with one mind and purpose. Don't be selfish; don't try to impress others. Be humble, thinking of others as better than yourselves. Don't look out only for your interests, but take an interest in others, too. You must have the attitude that Christ Jesus had.

~ Philippians 2:2-5

ANY CLUB LEADERS OUT THERE?

With the first quarter accomplished, we'd love to get our Lego Club (K-3) and a Chess Club (4-8) off the ground. This is where you come in! Can you volunteer 45 minutes to an hour of time once a week or on alternating weeks to help? Email Mrs. Klein to let her know at jeannine.klein@concordialutheranschool.net.

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 Fletcher (Evelyn), Fliess (Ramina, Amirah), Foulk (Audrey, Colton), Galan (Hadassah), Galvan (Lanai), and Miss Friesema (4th Gradie Aide).

CHAPEL OFFERINGS

"The Veteran's Outreach" is our chapel offering project for the month of November and December. Today we raised **\$64.00** brining our total to **\$105.00**. We have set a goal of **\$600.00** (or more). Will we be able to beat our goal again? Your gifts and prayers are greatly appreciated.

TODAY'S VERSE TO REMEMBER

He got up, rebuked the wind and said to the waves, "Quiet! Be Still!" Then the wind died down and it was completely calm.

~ Mark 4:39 (NIV)

THOUGHT FOR THE DAY

"It doesn't matter what your present circumstances look like, today is a brand-new day, and God wants to do a new thing in your life and your relationship with Him every day."

~ Joes Osteen

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ATHLETICS NEWS & NOTES

Please keep in mind that any student who has received an F/Fs on two consecutive grade reports will not be eligible to participate in athletics or extracurricular activities. Please contact Mrs. Klein with questions.

Practice times and information will be available via Game Changer for "A" & "B" Squad boys and the TeamReach App for "A" & "B" Squad Girls and Cheerleading. Parents who are not yet connected are asked to reach out to Mrs. Holst for an assist!

RACINE LUTHERAN HIGH NEWS FOR YOU!

