# Concordia Lutheran School

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

# **EAGLE BANNER**

**January 23, 2025** 

#### **IMPORTAN T DATES**

#### Thurs. January 23

-Walking Tacos -\$2 PTL PJ Day

#### Fri. January 24

- Chicken Sandwich
- School Colors Day
- FAB Food
- Basketball Games Home vs Trinity Caledonia 5 p.m. – B-Girls

6 p.m. – B-Boys

7 p.m. – A-Girls

8 p.m. – A-Boys

#### Mon. January 27

- Mac N Cheese
- Lions, Tigers & Bears Oh My!
   (Animals & Animal Print Day)
   -Service Project: Bears & Blankets

# Tues. January 28

- Hot Dog Tuesday
- T-Shirt Tuesday
- Super School Colors Day
- RLHS Trip Grades 3-8
- Big Belly Deli <u>Dine & Donate</u> 4-8 p.m.

Looking Ahead....

# **Concordia Sunday**

January 26, 2025 10:00 a.m. @ Holy Cross.

### **Open House**

Sunday, January 26, 2025 11:30 a.m. – 1 p.m.

# MORE IMPORTANT TRUTHS FOR YOU...

We know that not one of us is without sin or justified before God by the law. So then, what is the solution to the sin that separates us from eternal life?

**Important Truth #4** pointed out that **Jesus Christ** is the God-Given SOLUTION to our problems of sin and separation from life eternal in heaven.

THE QUESTION IS: What does God give us in Christ Jesus then?? The answer can be found here...

Important Truth #5 – In Christ God gives us EVERY SPIRITUAL BLESSING!

What spiritual blessings are those, you ask? Scripture tells us...

In Him we have redemption through His blood, the forgiveness of our trespasses, according to the riches of His grace, which He lavished upon us, in all wisdom and insight. ~ Ephesians 1: 7 - 8

We have been justified by faith, we have peace with God through our Lord Jesus Christ. ~ Romans 5:1

Whoever believes in the Son has eternal life.

~ John 3: 36

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#### **COME WORSHIP WITH US!**

Join friends and family from school at one of the worship services to celebrate the Third Sunday after the Epiphany.

Saturday, 1/25 @ Faith – 4 p.m. Sunday, 1/26 @ Faith – 9:00 a.m. Sunday, 1/26 @ Holy Cross\* –10:00 a.m. \*Concordia Sunday



#### **SET APART TO SERVE**

Watch for **Mrs. Hughes** story, soon to be posted on the Set Apart to Serve bulletin board. She's been part of the Concordia family since 2020. What else do you know about our 4<sup>th</sup> grade teacher?

Coming up on February 5<sup>th</sup>, Mrs. Ochoa will share the Lord's leading on her path to service to Him at Concordia Lutheran School.

#### PTL MEETING & SCIENCE FAIR RESCHEDULED

Set aside **Tuesday, February 4**<sup>th</sup> to swing in for a brief PTL meeting after carline (4:30 p.m.) and stick around for an amazing display of creativity at the Science Fair (5:15– 6:30 p.m.) Please mark you calendar and be sure to join us!

#### **CANDYGRAMS**

Coming home today are the very beloved CANDYGRAM order forms in preparation for Valentine's Day. Spread the love and give a surprise to а friend, teacher, sibling. Each Candygram is \$1 and will be delivered to classrooms on Thursday, February 13th. All proceeds will be directed PTL and support service to projects benefiting Concordia Faith. and Order forms are due in the office by Monday, February 10th.

#### **REENROLLMENT FOR 25'-26' DON'T DELAY!**

If you have not completed this process, please do so by January 31st. Email the office with any difficulties and Mrs. Voss will work with you to complete the process. New families can start enrolling February 1st. Save your seat!!

#### **CAN COLLECTION WINNERS**

Congratulations are extended to our 8<sup>th</sup> grade class for weighing in with the most cans! 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 February 3<sup>rd</sup> – 7<sup>th.</sup>

# TEACHER NEEDED – TURN IT OVER IN PRAYER!

We are praying for a speedy recovery for Ms. Matus, our middle school (gr. 6-8) language arts teacher. Due to her absence, we are requesting your help with sharing our need for a teacher to fill the vacancy caused by her medical leave. Please contact Mrs. Klein with questions or potential contacts that may be helpful in locating an individual to fill in!

# **LSW EVENTS 1/26 - 1/31**

Watch for a flyer coming with SPIRIT DAYS and EVENTS taking place during National Lutheran Schools Week. Don't miss Concordia Sunday, Open House (Sun.), Kringle with the Kids (Wed.), and all the fun dress up days and activities planned. Check your school calendar!

#### WE WANT YOU! PLEASE RSVP!

We will gather for food, fun, and fellowship to celebrate the anniversary of 55 years in "Bringing Christ and excellence in academics to our students". The festivities will be right here on **Sunday, January 26<sup>th</sup> @ 1 p.m.** Set it aside! Email office to RSVP please.

# **LUTHERAN HIGH PERMISSION SLIP DUE**

Students in grades 3 – 8 have been provided with the permission slip to attend the National Lutheran Schools Week chapel and assembly coming up on 1/28! Please sign and return TOMORROW!

TIME TO APPLY FOR A VOUCHER New and returning students may begin applying for a Racine Parental Choice Program voucher to attend Concordia beginning Monday, February 3<sup>rd</sup>. The application period runs Feb.3 through Feb. 20. The process requires the parent to complete an online application (go to: <a href="https://www.dpi.wi.gov/choice">www.dpi.wi.gov/choice</a>). Next, be sure to submit income information (new students only) along with residency documentation (all students) emailed or brought to the school between Feb. 3-20. Call the office with ANY questions.

CONTINUING VOUCHER STUDENTS must reapply and provide residency documentation in February to be assured of retaining the seat they currently hold at Concordia.

# 8<sup>TH</sup> GRADE DINE & DONATE: SAVE THE DATE FOR DC TRIP

On **February 18**<sup>th</sup> the 8<sup>th</sup> graders will be hosting a dine and donate night at Qdoba from 4 – 8 PM. They will receive 25% of all sales at the 6035 W. Durand Ave, Mt. Pleasant Location.

#### A LITTLE HELP TOUCHES LIVES IN BIG WAYS!

Your continued prayers and support have been an incredible blessing for the family of 8<sup>th</sup> grader, Brody Manderfield, following the tragic fire that has forced them out of their home. It will be months (5+) before it will be possible to return to the home following cleaning, replacement of property, and rebuilding. If you would like to help with replacing of immediate needs (clothing, basic household items, etc.), donations of gift cards would be a blessing. A GoFundMe has been established to provide support for the long road ahead. https://gofund.me/5720f021

#### **UPCOMING PTL DINE OUT**

**PTL Dine and Donate** on **Tuesday, January 28**<sup>th</sup> at Big Belly Delli right here in Sturtevant, from 4 -8 p.m. We are looking forward to seeing you there!

#### PTL ADMIRALS' NIGHT FUNDRAISER

February 13<sup>th</sup> @ 7 p.m. at the UWM Panther Arena., you can watch the Milwaukee Admirals vs Springfield Thunderbirds. Tickets can be purchased for \$24.00 per ticket and \$10.00 from each ticket will go back to support our PTL.

Please click the following link to sign up: https://fevoenterprise.com/event/Concordialutheran

#### **POSITIVE OFFICE REFERRALS**

Congratulations to the following students recently recognized: **Gracie Silich, Corbin Malkasian, Jamire Allen Holmes, and Josette Lisowski** for letting their lights shine for Jesus and his people. We are so proud of your accomplishment!

#### REGISTER FOR KIDS HEART CHALLENGE!

**EVENT DATE:** Thursday, January 30, 2025. Students and staff will use their healthy bodies to raise funds to stomp out heart disease and stroke. Please help support this effort by considering who might sponsor your child's participation this year. You can jump online to get more information and to register your child's account by going to: http://www2.heart.org/site/TR?fr\_id=11261&pg=company&company\_id=490896

### **VOLUNTEERS NEEDED**

We are looking for set up and clean up help for the 55<sup>th</sup> anniversary, along with donations of cookies, bars, or other desserts. Count your time towards the 10-hour commitment this year! Click here to help: https://www.signupgenius.com/go/70A0948AFAB23A AF85-54335478-55th

#### FRIENDZY FACTS

"Watch My Words", our new social-emotional learning unit, places an emphasis on the importance of words and how we can use them to build each other up instead of tearing each other down. The GOAL is to recognize the power of my words, so we think before speaking.

This is one of the two Biblical anchor points or KEY VERSES we will discuss: "Finally, brothers and sisters, whatever is true, whatever is noble, whatever is right, whatever is pure, whatever is lovely, whatever is admirable – if anything is excellent or praiseworthy – think about such things. Philippians 4:8

#### **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: Krencisz (Oliver), Krenzke (Lux), Krieger (Patrick), Lancaster (Landon) Lang (Ali, Lily), and LaRose (Brayden)..

# **CHAPEL OFFERINGS**

"Hearts for Jesus: LeadaChild" is our new chapel offering project for the months of January and February. The focus of this project is sharing the love of Jesus with children around the world. Today we raised \$64.00 bringing our grand total to \$223.00. The goal for this project is \$600.00 (or more).

#### **TODAY'S VERSE TO REMEMBER**

Be of good courage, and He shall strengthen your heart, all you who hope in the Lord.

~ Psalm 31:24 NKJV

#### THOUGHT FOR THE DAY

"Nothing is particularly hard if you break it down into small jobs."

~ Henry Ford

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#### **ATHLETICS NEWS & NOTES**

Practice and Game information will be available via Game Changer for "A" & "B" Squad boys and the TeamReach App for "A" & "B" Squad Girls and Cheerleading.

NOTE: Students that were not in school the day of a game due to illness are unable to attend.

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

