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EAGLE BANNER

February 26, 2025

IMPORTANT DATES

Wed. February 26

- Chapel Services
- Pancakes

Thurs. February 27

- Hamburger
- Last 8th Grade \$2 Pajama Day

Fri. February 28

- Pizza
- School Colors Day
- Winterim

Mon. March 3

- Chicken Sandwich
- Read Across America Week
- Can Collection Week

Tues. March 4

- Hot Dog Tuesday
- T-Shirt Tuesday

Wed. March 5

- All School Chapel
- Hamburgers
- Ash Wednesday
- April Lunch Orders Go Home

Looking Ahead....

**3rd Quarter Ends
March 15, 2024**

**SPRING BREAK
March 17th – March 21st**



FRIENDZY FOCUS – FORGIVENESS IS A PROCESS...

Let's be honest, when someone hurts us, it stings, and it takes awhile for that hurt to go away. Memories of the hurt keep the pain fresh and at times can harden our feelings. Our Friendzy conversations address how it important it is to repeatedly work through the process of forgiveness with God's help.

The Bible teaches us how to work through the conflicts in life. Here's what God's Word says about resolving conflict:

- 1) Do it face to face. (Matthew 18:15)
- 2) Start with the person one on one. (Matthew 18:15)
- 3) Get help (Matthew 18: 16-17)

Our kids see and hear how we resolve conflict with others (spouses, co-workers, neighbors, etc.). Surely there may be times when we don't model handling the conflicts the best way. Talk to your child about how hard it is and keep God as part of the process and solution. Ask God for help. He helps us forgive by giving us the strength to let go of our hurt feelings. His power is made perfect in our weakness. (2 Corinthians 12:9)

COME WORSHIP WITH US!

Join friends and family from school at one of the worship services to celebrate The Transfiguration of Our Lord.

Saturday, 3/1 @ Faith – 4 p.m.
Sunday, 3/2 @ Faith – 9:00 a.m.
Sunday, 3/2 @ Holy Cross – 10:00 a.m.



SET APART TO SERVE

Stop by and check out **Mrs. Ochoa** story posted on the Set Apart to Serve bulletin board. Did you know that Mrs. Ochoa's mother also taught at Concordia? So much to learn!

When March rolls in we are excited to feature Mrs. Russo, our third-grade teacher. We welcomed her to our faculty this year – what a blessing!

ACCEPT OR DECLINE LETTERS ARE DUE

Families in the Racine Parental Choice Program, your letters to accept or decline your child's seat for 2025-2026 were mailed out Friday and Monday. Please return your letter as soon as possible. **We must receive a response no later than Friday, March 7th.** 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. Please contact the office if you have not yet received it by the end of the week.

YEARBOOK ORDERS DUE THIS FRIDAY

Be sure you have your order envelope in to our office by **Friday, March 7th** 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.

POSITIVE OFFICE REFFERALS

Congratulations to the following students recently recognized: **Levi Critelli, Weston Sadowski, Lorenzo Grana, Erik Konicek, Walter Jacob, and Jamire Holmes-Allen** for letting their lights shine for Jesus and his people. We are so proud of your accomplishment!

SPECIAL THANK YOU!

Thank you to Jim and Joyce Bates, the Bullinger family, and Deb Peterson for your donations to our DOJO store. Your donations are greatly appreciated!

APRIL DOJO STORE

Our next DOJO store is in April and will need some replenishing. Some of the more popular items are candy, spicy chips, small or medium stuffed animals, craft kits, nifty school supplies, girly jewelry, and any sports equipment.

CAN COLLECTION WEEK COMING

Beginning Monday, March 3rd, we will receive your can/aluminum donations toward lower-level finishing of classroom and the New Gym Floor. Mark your bag with your child's grade level, please. You can drop them off at the school until Friday, March 7th! Your contributions add to the class total and may provide a FREE Fab Food item to your child's class.

QDOBA MEXICAN EATS FAMILY THANK YOU

Thank you to all the families who helped our 8th grade by attending Qdoba dine and donate on, Tuesday, February 18th, they received \$118.77 to use towards their Washington DC field trip in April.

LUTHERAN SCHOOLS NIGHT

Lutheran Schools Night, Saturday, April 5th
Join us for a night of family fun as the Milwaukee Brewers take on the Cincinnati Reds, 6:10 PM.

You can order tickets online (see the link below) selecting the sections/seats from the Loge Outfield/Infield Box, Field Infield Box or Terrace Box/Infield.

Tickets range from \$17.50-\$67. You can also purchase a parking pass in advance.
General Parking is \$16 and Preferred Parking is \$21.

For groups of 10+, please contact Teddy with the Brewers at 414-902-4657. If you are ordering tickets for a group, you can forward tickets via text or email to the individuals Ballpark App.

<https://fevo-enterprise.com/event/Lutheranschools25>

CHILDREN'S VISION SCREENINGS

Children's Vision Screening is coming to Concordia on **Tuesday, March 11, 2025.** Children in grades PK3 – 5th will be having a vision screening completed. Follow up information will be provided with you !

NEW PARENT BUS TRACKING APP FIRSTVIEW 1.0 STARTING FEBRUARY 28, 2025

First Student is preparing to launch a new parent app, FirstView 1.0, on Friday, Feb. 28. Once the new app launches, the current app, FirstView Classic, will no longer contain accurate information and will be turned off.

How this will impact families:

Parents will need to [download the new app and re-register](#) using **District Code T1P2F**, their child's student ID number and child's last name.

The new app will allow parents and staff to better monitor student transportation and provide better communication.

SUMMER BRIDGING PROGRAM 2025

Younique Minds is partnering with St. John's Lutheran School to host a Lutheran school summer bridging and enrichment program again this year. **Any families who were with the program last year will have the first opportunity to sign up. Early-bird Registration begins on February 17th. These families will be contacted by email from YOUUnique Minds. New family registration will open March 3rd.**

Extended care is back for this program! They will be offering extended care to participating families

from 8am-12pm. Please consider using this program to help set your child up for success in the year ahead.

SUMMER READING TUTORING AVAILABLE

Jill Hasseldahl is offering a 6-week summer one-on-one Literacy Boost at Trinity Lutheran School. You will receive 45 min. of personalized individual instruction two times per week. Tutoring is for all children finishing their kindergarten year and starting their eighth-grade year in the Fall of 2025.

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: **Molinaro (Isabella), Morrison (Marissa, Sophia), Morrison (Zari), Morrone (Carter, Logan), Munoz (Amilia, Mayomi), and Mrs. Morrison (Sanitation/Lunch Service).**

We are praying diligently for all who are ill during this trying cold and flu season!

CHAPEL OFFERINGS

“Hearts for Jesus: LeadaChild” is our ongoing 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. With no chapel this week, just our office jar raised **\$164.00** bringing our final total to **\$660.00**. **We have met our goal of \$600.00 and exceeded it!! Thank you for generosity and supporting this mission project!**

TODAY’S VERSE TO REMEMBER

Now faith is the assurance of things hoped for, the conviction of things not seen.

~ Hebrews 11:1 ESV

THOUGHT FOR THE DAY

“Success is the sum of small efforts, repeated day in and day out.”

~ Robert Collier

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ATHLETICS NEWS & NOTES

Congratulations are extended to our A squad team and coaches who were undefeated in their conference and took 2nd place in the LMACC Tournament! We are SO proud of you

Thank you to all the coaches and families that made this year a successful winter sport season! All your time and effort did not go unnoticed, and we appreciate everything you did for our school and students here at Concordia!!


RACINE LUTHERAN HIGH NEWS FOR YOU!

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Saturday, March 1 @ 7 p.m.
Sunday, March 2 @ 3 p.m.

Dessert & Fellowship
After the Show!

Hired by Mrs. Buffington to solve her husband's murder, two amateur detectives find a house full of possible suspects. Was it the malevolent butler, a paranoid maid, a sleepwalking niece, a shifty chauffeur, the crooked cooks, or even the eccentric wife herself?

Tickets available at the door or online at RacineLutheran.org
• Veterans & Active Military: Free
• Seniors (60+) & Alumni: \$3
• Adults (College-Age & Older): \$5
• Students (Grades 1-12): \$2
• Lap Infants and Toddlers: Free

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