

ST. LUKE'S LUTHERAN SCHOOL

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“I watch in hope for the Lord, I wait for God my Savior”

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***I KNOW THAT MY REDEEMER LIVES.
WHAT COMFORT THIS SWEET SENTENCE GIVES!***

SCHOOL CLEANING SCHEDULE

- April 24-26.....Grunewald
- May 1-3.....O'Brien, Boelk
- May 8-10.....Loduha
- May 16-18.....Flood

Thank you to everyone who helped clean the school throughout the school year! Your work is always appreciated!

SINGING SCHEDULE

- May 10.....Sunday School.....10:15 AM Church Service
- May 21.....Grades K-7.....6:30 PM Ascension Service
- May 24.....Senior Choir.....10:15 AM Church Service

SCHOOL DRILLS

The Wisconsin statewide “Severe Weather and Tornado Awareness Week” was held during the week of April 20. The statewide tornado drill was on Thursday, April 23. Our St. Luke’s students and staff participated in the mock drill and safely proceeded to the basement during the tornado drill. Likewise, St. Luke’s Lutheran School has had 7 fire drills this school year. The average time for evacuation is between 30 and 35 seconds.



PIZZA SALES

The students of St. Luke’s Lutheran School once again sold coupons for pizzas made by Casa Anna in Fond du Lac. The profits from the sales is deposited into the PACK fund. The fund is used to purchase supplemental materials for our school and is used to help fund various projects within our church and school. The sale of the coupons ended on Friday, April 24. Thank you to everyone for your help and support!



SUMMER OFFICE HOURS

Our St. Luke’s secretary committee will once again have office hours throughout the summer. The hours will be published later in May as the days and times are established by the committee.

SCHOOL FIELD TRIPS

*Grades 5-8, Wisconsin Lutheran College & Brewers Game, April 29
PS/K, Confections for any Occasion, Village Flower Shop, Tag Center,
May 13*



Grades K-7, Dan’s Village Bowl, Brownsville, Thursday, May 21

WLA TEACHER FOR A DAY

On Wednesday, April 1, WLA students Alyssa Schafer and Jon Koepsell visited St. Luke’s in connection with the WLA “Taste of Teaching Ministry/Teacher for A Day” program. During the visits, the WLA students are involved in various duties and activities in the classrooms.



READING PROGRAMS

St. Luke’s once again participated in the “Pizza Hut, Book It Reading Program”. Students in grades K-6 that completed at least 5 of the 6 months of the program were Ryan Boelk, Chloe Grunewald, Logan Kobicic, Mason Kobicic, Emily Kollmann, Becky Loduha, Zachary Loduha, Lindsey O’Brien, Mara Trewin, Kimberly Zills, Randy Zills, Raymond Zills, Shelby Zuelke, and Tanner Wix.



PACK MEETING

Our last PACK meeting of the year is scheduled for Monday, May 4 beginning at 6:00 PM. The agenda for the evening includes the election of next year’s officers, treasurer and secretary reports, pizza sale update, and entertainment by our forensics team.



FORENSICS

The forensics team will have their first competition of the school year at Grace, Oshkosh on Friday, April 24. Our forensics team will also compete at the WLA Fine Arts Fair Forensics Meet held at WLA on Thursday, April 30. Our St. Luke’s Eagles forensics members are Nathanael Goelzer, Caitlyn Rhode, Kane Schumacher, and Coach Patti Rhode.



PRESENTATION INVITATION

St. Luke’s has been invited to attend a presentation at Redeemer Lutheran Church and School in Fond du Lac on Wednesday, April 29 beginning at 6:30 PM. The title of the presentation is “Establishing a Positive Climate”, and the presenter is Rhoda Wolle. Everyone is welcome to attend. If you are planning to attend the presentation, please let Mr. Miller know so that Redeemer is able to make the proper arrangements. Additional information is on the bulletin board outside of the school/church office.



BIG BUDDY/LITTLE BUDDY ACTIVITY

On Wednesday, April 8 our students in PK-8 participated in their April Big Buddy/Little Buddy activity. The students colored about 300 Easter eggs, hunted for 143 Easter eggs on the school grounds, and enjoyed the Christian themed Easter prizes inside the plastic eggs. The next activity is on Wednesday, May 6.

APPRECIATION & FAREWELL RECEPTION

On Sunday, May 17 our church and school will have the opportunity to show their appreciation to Mrs. Callaway for her years here at St. Luke's. Snacks and refreshments will be available between the church services. Our school families will be contacted in the near future on assignments of items needed for the reception. Likewise, there will be an assignment sheet in the narthex for additional items needed for the reception. We give thanks and praise to our Lord for blessing St. Luke's with Mrs. Callaway's dedicated 11 years of service in teaching Jesus' lambs and sheep. May the Lord continue to bless Mrs. Callaway and her family.



WELS KIDS CONNECTION VIDEO

May Episode: Parents. We all have them. God has placed parents or other adults in the lives of children to teach them about God—our Heavenly Father. Parents and adults do this in many ways. Our first story takes us to a Sunday church service where fathers and sons are ushering side-by-side. The fathers are leading by example and the sons are learning—all in a Sunday's work. Next meet Vicky and Mollie Voigt, a mother/daughter team supporting soldiers with their own Mission Soldier Adoption. This month we also visit a very special married couple. Harry and Audrey Connick are 91 years old! Every day they work together in their basement workshop turning pieces of wood into reminders of God's love. Finally, Pastor Tony Schultz pulls himself out of bed and bids farewell to the eighth graders.



WLA SUMMER SPORTS CAMPS

Football, Grades 5-9, June 8-12

Girls Basketball, Grades 5-8, June 8-12

Boys Basketball, Grades 5-8, June 15-19

Girls Volleyball, Grades 6-9, June 15-19

Jr. Viking Boys Basketball League, June 23, July 7, 14, 16

Girls Volleyball League, June 9, 16, 23, 30, July 7, 14

Jr. Viking Girls Basketball League, June 23, 30, July 7, 14, 16

Additional information and registration forms for the camps are available on the bulletin board near the school gym.



SOFTBALL SPRING 2009

Our co-ed softball team again this year will be a combination of our St. Luke's students and students from Waucousta Lutheran School. Our St. Luke's students that are members of this year's co-ed softball team are Caitlyn Rhode (7), Ryan Boelk (6), Nathanael Goelzer (6), Shelby Zuelke (6), Zachary Loduha (5), Kane Schumacher (5), Zachary Rhodes (4), and Coach Miller.



SCORES

Lost 8-12, Thursday, April 16, Immanuel, Mayville

Cancelled, Monday, April 20, Redeemer, FdL

??? Wednesday, April 22, St. Paul's, Mt. Calvary

REMAINING SCHEDULE

Monday, April 27, Faith, FdL, 3:45 PM

Wednesday, April 29, Away, St. Paul's, NFdL, 3:45 PM

**Monday, May 4, Home @ Oakfield,
Peace, Green Lake, 4:00 PM**

**Wednesday, May 6, Home @ Waucousta (Osceola Town Hall)
St. Paul's, Brownsville, 3:45 PM**

Monday, May 11, Away, St. John's, Montello, 4:15 PM

**Wednesday, May 13, Home @ Waucousta (Osceola Town Hall)
St. Matthew's, Iron Ridge, 4:00 PM**

Friday, May 15 & Saturday, May 16, WASSAC Tourn. @ Mayville

The games scheduled during the week will be played after the schools dismiss for the day. The starting times of the games may be adjusted for traveling time, and the approximate starting times are listed above.



MAY REMINDERS AND DATES

The next school chapel and viewing of the WELS Kids Connection video is Friday, May 1 at 8:15 AM. There is a two-hour early dismissal on Wednesday, May 6. School will dismiss at 1:15 PM.

Ascension Day is Thursday, May 21, and St. Luke's will celebrate the ascension of our Lord Jesus Christ in a worship service on Thursday, May 21 beginning at 6:30 PM. Grades K-7 will be singing in the church service.

The last day of school is Thursday, May 21. The school's closing service is also Thursday, May 22 at 2:45 PM. School will dismiss at 3:10 PM.

The Area Lutheran Grade School Track Meet that was to be held at WLA on Wednesday, May 13 has been cancelled due to construction at WLA.