

# THE SPARTAN WEEKLY

"For by grace you have been saved through faith...so that no one may boast." Ephesians 2: 8-9

February 15, 2018

St. Paul Lutheran School

School News & Notes

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Shane Wolf February 18

*May God Bless You On Your Birthday!*

## Student Absences/Tardies

Sick Child? Morning Appointment?

If your student is ill and won't be at school or has an appointment, please contact the school office. It makes our job much easier to know in advance of a student's absence. Please also contact the school office if your child will be tardy. Voicemails can be left at any time at 920-452-6882 or emails can be sent to Lisa at [stpaulschool53081@yahoo.com](mailto:stpaulschool53081@yahoo.com). Thank you.



## NOTES FROM THE PRINCIPAL

### *Cherub and Alleuia Choirs Sing*

...this Sunday at 10:45. Join us as we praise the Lord with our voices.

### *Let's grow the school!*

Word of mouth is the best recruitment tool we have. Encourage all your friends to come visit and see what we have to offer. Vouchers may be available. Wouldn't it be great to have at least 10 kids in each grade??? I'd love it!!

### *Voucher*

Remember to re-apply for a voucher if you already have one and bring in your residency document to school. Here is the link:

<https://dpi.wi.gov/sms/choice-programs/student-applications>

Have a great long weekend!  
Mrs. K

## "Happenings This Week"

- Thurs., Feb. 15 Parent/Teacher Conferences  
3:30-6:00  
SALSA Band @ LHS  
5/6 gr., 6:30-7:15  
7/8 gr., 7:15-8:00
- Fri., February 16 **NO SCHOOL**  
Parent/Teacher Conferences  
8:00-12:00
- Sun., February 18 Cherub & Alleluia Choirs  
sing at 10:45 service
- Mon., February 19 **NO SCHOOL**
- Tue., February 20 1<sup>st</sup> & 2<sup>nd</sup> gr. field trip to  
see 2 shows @ Weill  
Center, 9:40-11:15
- Wed., February 21 **Six Flags Reading Logs due**  
Library open  
Chapel, Pastor Kretschmar  
Lenten Services  
11:00 am & 6:30 pm  
Lenten Supper, 5:15
- Thurs., Feb. 22 Homework Club & Game  
Club, 3:15-4:00  
SALSA Band @ LHS  
5/6 gr., 6:30-7:15  
7/8 gr., 7:15-8:00

Fri., February 23 Band lessons

### **Six Flags Six Hours Reading Program**

**Deadline to turn in form is Feb. 21<sup>st</sup>.**

If the form is not handed in on time, there is no guarantee that you will receive the coupon to any Six Flags Amusement Park.

### **Italian and Trivia Night**

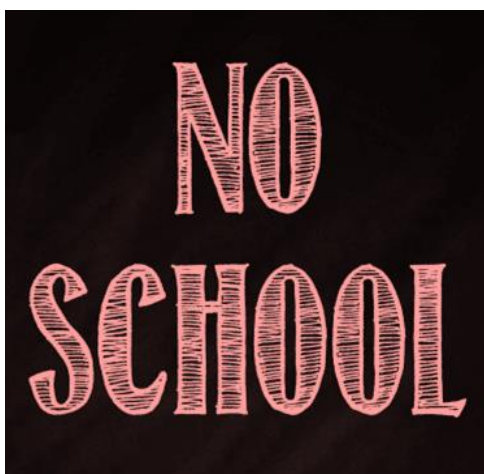
Bethlehem Lutheran is hosting a night of food and fun on Saturday, March 3<sup>rd</sup>. Gather a team of 8 for a great dinner and fun evening of trivia. Cost is \$20 per person. Your ticket includes Italian Pasta Meal, Bread, Salad, Dessert, 1 drink ticket and snacks during trivia. There will be a cash bar open during trivia. To register your team, please contact the church office at 452-4331 or send your reservation to the church at 1121 Georgia Ave. (forms can be found on the website [www.ourbethlehem.com](http://www.ourbethlehem.com)). Dinner begins at 6:00pm. Trivia begins at 7:00pm. Reservations need to be made by Monday, February 26<sup>th</sup>.



Wilbur is terrific! Charlotte is a kind friend. What have you done today to show kindness?


 Please read:


February 20	Chapter 16
February 21	Chapter 17
February 22	Chapter 18
February 23	Chapter 19




**Friday,  
Feb. 16  
&  
Monday,  
Feb. 19**

### **Parenting in a Technology-Saturated World**

 A program will be held at Mead Public Library entitled "Too Much, Too Soon, Too Easily: Parenting in a Technology-Saturated World". The presenter will be Philip Chard, Pewaukee-based psychotherapist, trainer, author and award-winning Milwaukee Journal Sentinel columnist.

 The explosion in technology-based gaming, social networking, instant communication and entertainment media has become a potent and ubiquitous force in child development. Philip Chard will explore the perils and promises posed by this technology. He will also examine strategies for educators, child development professionals and parents in their efforts to raise healthy children in an IT-centric world.

 This program will be held from **6:30-8:00 pm** on Wednesday, **February 28**, in the Rocca Meeting Room of the library. This program is free and open to the public; no registration is required. Please join us!

### **Tuition Relief**

Are you looking for a simple way to reduce your St. Paul Lutheran tuition? Use **SCRIP!** Purchase gift cards to do your normal weekly shopping for your groceries and gas. You receive face value and a percentage is applied to your tuition. How about special purchases for birthdays and holidays? There are hundreds of stores that are members of the SCRIP program. Check the Special Order list one week prior to doing your gift shopping and make the purchase for the stores you will be shopping at! It's simple and it's **FREE** money towards your tuition!

*FOR EXAMPLE:* \$50 worth of gasoline at Kwik Trip each week at a 5% profit would look like this:  $\$50 \times 5\% = \$2.50 \times 52 \text{ weeks} = \$130$ . You receive 80% towards tuition credit so out of that \$130, you get \$104 in tuition credit! You can also buy gift cards to restaurants, grocery stores, WalMart, Kohl's, and many more retailers. ~ ~ Also, tuition credit can be used at Lutheran High School in addition to St. Paul School!!

### **Voucher Program**

St. Paul School is again participating in the **Wisconsin Parental Choice Program (voucher program)**, also called **WPCP** for the 2018-19 school year. Families with students who will be in 4K, 5K, or grade 1 may apply online. Also, families with students who transfer from a public school at any grade level may apply. To learn the guidelines and qualifications, please visit <https://dpi.wi.gov/sms/choice-programs/student-applications>. If you have questions, please contact Mrs. Kretschmar.



We will be having an Open House for any interested families to look around our school, sit in the classroom, look at curriculum and get a general idea of what we are all about. The day will be Tuesday, February 27th from 8:30-11:00 am and 1:00-2:00 pm. Our 3K-4K students meet in the morning until 11:15am. The Wisconsin Parental Choice Voucher Program is expanding to 3% of the district for the next school year; which means that more students will be able to apply and receive a voucher. Please spread the news to anyone who may be interested.

### **Scholastic Olympics**

Scholastic Olympics is an inter-school competition in which students can match their wits against students from other SALSAs schools. Together team members answer questions in the areas of religion, math, language arts, social studies, science, and more. Members do not have to be proficient in all the subject areas and many winning answers are about information learned outside of the classroom. Students who sign up for Scholastic Olympics are expected to be at the final tournament which will be held at Bethlehem Lutheran School on Saturday morning, April 21. The 5/6 team will begin at 8:00 am and the 7/8 team will begin at 10:15 am. This year, there will be no practice meets against other schools, rather there is just the final meet in April. The final meet will also take a new format where teams will compete in 10 rounds of 10 questions. The answers will be written instead of oral. This format follows a trivia night format if you are familiar with that.

### **Lunch Menu**

<i>Mon., Feb. 19</i>	<b>NO SCHOOL</b>
<i>Tue., Feb. 20</i>	<i>Chicken Alfredo over Pasta</i>
<i>Wed., Feb. 21</i>	<i>Mini Pancake, Sausage Patty</i>
<i>Thurs., Feb. 22</i>	<i>BBQ Turkey on Bun</i>
<i>Fri., Feb. 23</i>	<i>Grilled Cheese Sandwich</i>

### **Boston Store Community Days**

Any 8<sup>th</sup> grade student has the opportunity to sell Boston Store Community Days coupon books between now and February 28<sup>th</sup>. Each book is sold for \$5 and the student receives 100% profit deposited in their 8<sup>th</sup> grade Spring Trip account. To order books or ask questions, please contact Lisa VanderWeele in the school office.

### **Church Acolyte Schedule**

**February 18:** 10:45 – Senja Gartner

### **3-Yr, 4-Yr, and 5-Yr Kindergarten**

Do you have a child or know someone who has a child that will be at least three years old as of September 1, 2018? If you do, we have a program for you. We offer 3-yr old preschool, as well as 4-yr old Kindergarten (half day) and 5-yr old Kindergarten (full day). If you know of a family who has a child who you think will benefit from what St. Paul School has to offer, please give the school office their name and address, or if you prefer, we can give you information and brochures to share with others!

### **Safety Patrol / Chapel Acolyte**

**February 19<sup>th</sup> week:**  
Hezekiah & Alexei

### **Mission Statement**

Molding God's children for time and eternity.

