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8601 Harrison Avenue  
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November 4, 2011  
Number Eleven

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Marlene Lessner, Director of Early Childhood Center

*“ I AM THE WAY  
AND THE TRUTH  
AND THE LIFE”  
John 14:6*

**THE MISSION OF ST. PAUL'S**

*Together with parents and congregation we  
nurture the whole child to become a lifelong  
disciple of Christ.*

**St. Paul's Lutheran Church Worship**

**Regular Schedule**

Saturday at 6:30 p.m.

Sunday at 8:00 and 9:30 a.m. &  
11:00 a.m.

9:30 am Sunday School and Adult Bible Class

9:30 am Koinonia - lunchroom

Dr. Eric C. Stumpf, Senior Pastor  
Rev. Donald Stock, Pastor  
Jaymes Hayes, Director of Christian Education  
Lois C. Braatz, Interim Principal

## COMING EVENTS

- Sun., Nov. 6 LPTL Coupon book sales to 12/19  
Daylight savings time ends  
11:00 am Primary Choir
- Mon. Nov. 7 NO MUNSTER HOT LUNCH Services  
LPTL Cook book sales continue  
LPTL Coupon book sales continue  
8:15 am TRIP orders due  
11:00 pm Market Day on line orders due
- Tue., Nov. 8 NO MUNSTER HOT LUNCH Services -  
Special pizza lunch by LPTL for Mr.  
Zimmer and school  
Sixth grade Field Trip - Art Institute\
- Wed., Nov. 9 Gold menu week  
8:30 am Chapel  
Food pantry items due  
LPTL Cook book orders due  
7:00 pm LPTL Meeting - 5<sup>th</sup> grade hosts  
(note change in time)
- Thurs., Nov. 10 3:00-4:00 pm Market Day Pick up
- Fri., Nov. 11 4<sup>th</sup> Grade Camp Tecumseh forms and  
money due
- Sun., Nov. 13 8:00 am Jr. Ringers & Fifth Grade  
Ensemble  
9:30 am 5<sup>th</sup> Grade Ensemble

- *Please come to the meeting and bring your questions and curiosity so that more information may be disseminated directly from an original source.*

*With deep respect and God speed,  
Lois C. Braatz*

## \*TIME CHANGE

Don't forget to change your clocks back one hour Saturday night. Daylight savings time ends this weekend.

## \*VISION SCREENING

Professionals from the Lake County Health Department will be giving vision screenings on Monday, **November 14** to all first, third, eighth and new students to St. Paul's. If you would like to include your child from another grade in the screening, please send in a note. Any concerns will be shared with you by a letter from the Health Department.

## PIZZA LUNCH FOR MR. ZIMMER

The LPTL will be having a pizza lunch for the students and staff on **Tuesday, November 8** during the regular lunch periods to thank Mr. Zimmer for his dedication to our children and school. Unless your children do not like pizza, they do NOT have to bring a lunch that day. We will provide 2 pieces of pizza per student, soda and a cupcake. There will not be **no hot lunch services** on Tuesday through the School Town of Munster. Milk will be available for .30. *LPTL President, Michelle Wilinski*

## \*WE ARE ALL HERE!!!

Congratulations to the following students for their

- Mon., Nov. 14 Blue menu week  
LPTL Coupon books sales continue  
Vision Screening, grades 1, 3 & 8 and new  
8:15 am TRIP orders due
- Tues., Nov. 15 Sunny Delight collection program ends
- Wed., Nov. 16 Special Hot Lunch menu - Thanksgiving  
8:30 am Chapel - Carrie Janik Memorial  
3:00-4:00 pm Cookie Dough delivery  
3:30 pm Heartwarmers

## From the Principal's Desk

*Dear Parents,*

- *During the LPTL Meeting on Wednesday, Nov. 11 at 7:00 pm Pastor Stumpf and Tom Brey Meyer who is St. Paul's Congregation Chairman, will provide information on the Call Process and on church government. Karen Hott who is St. Paul's Business Manager, will be on hand to discuss church and school budgets. Also, Brian Hott will be present to report on the Board of Christian Education's role in the Call Process and its guidance for the school.*

perfect school attendance during the entire first quarter. To be eligible for perfect attendance, there may be no tardies (excused or un excused).

Kindergarten - Evan Bognar, David Cundiff, Jack Henke, Thomas Nyhan, Rosie Reitz, Samuel Smith, Abbygail Sons

First Grade - Tristan Alkire, Lauren Barnes, Amanda Barnes, Timothy Chimino, Alexander Stark, Piper Swope, Cooper Watts, Madison Whitfield

Second Grade - Jessica Bergfors, Joel Hanna, Sydney Lash, Ethan Miles, Colton Sannito, Owen Wilinski

Third Grade - Ian Baker, Joseph Boiquaye, Summer Follmar, Emma Phillips, Ian Smith, James Smith, Harper Swope, Derrick Wienen

Fourth Grade - Samuel Lash, Gianna Rooney, Madeline Shone, Aaron Wilkes, Ashley Wills

Fifth Grade - Sara Arndt, Madison Erke, Jarod Gertonson, Skylar Gertonson, Robert Reitz, Lydia Smith, Clayton Sons, Nathaniel Taillon, Abigail Watts, Hunter White

Sixth Grade - Camille Gallichio, Emily Pals, Adam Reinsma, Lauren Sannito, Laura Weller, Erin Wilkins

Seventh Grade - Jeffrey Mayberry, Lauren Surufka

Eighth Grade - Jennifer DeBoer, Michelle Heramb, Kyle Pals, Taylor Ryckman, Darbi Smith, Jacob Thorsen, Kaitlyn Wienen

## \*THIS IS THE DAY THE LORD HAS MADE

The following students had perfect church and/or Sunday School attendance for the first quarter.

*"Train a child in the way he should go, and when he is old he will not turn from it." Proverbs 22:6*

**Kindergarten**

**Church** - David Cundiff

**First Grade**

**Church** - Amanda Barnes, Lauren Barnes, Austin Boudi, Daniel Eriks, Madison Whitfield

**Sunday School** - Amanda Barnes, Lauren Barnes, Austisn Boudi, Daniel Eriks, Matthew Pratscher

**Third Grade**

**Church** - Joseph Boiquaye, Michael Cundiff

**Sunday School** - James Smith

**Fifth Grade**

**Church** - Sara Arndt, Cara Bergin, Nicholas Nagy

**Sixth Grade**

**Church** - Camille Gallichio, Robert Went

**Sunday School** - Robert Went, Erin Wilkens

**Seventh Grade**

**Church** - Jennifer DeBoer, Zakiya Walker, Michelle Weller

**Sunday School** - Jennifer DeBoer, Zakiya Walker, Michelle Weller

**Eighth Grade**

**Church** - Brett Butler, Jennifer DeBoer, Meaghan Mason, Alexa Olsen, Taylor Ryckman, Zakiya Walker, Katie Wiening

**Sunday School** - Jennifer DeBoer, Zakiya Walker, Kristine Williamson

**\*HONOR ROLL ACHIEVEMENTS**

Congratulations are to be given to the following students for their honor roll achievements for the entire first quarter. To be eligible for the **Honor Roll**, a 3.0 grade average must be achieved. To qualify for the **Principal's List**, a 3.75 grade average must be earned for the quarter. We commend each of these students for their scholastic achievements and encourage others in their scholastic efforts.

**Honor Roll**

**Fourth Grade** - Steven Biegel, Faith Blair, Mitchell Buffano, Ava Cundiff, Samuel Lash, Lenny Linn, Camille Miles, Gianna Rooney, Laila Wallace, Aaron Wilkes

**Fifth Grade** - Sara Arndt, Cara Bergin, Mitchell Buffano, Taylor Curtis, Morgan Curtis, Madison Erke, Skylar Gertonson, Hannah Hills, Shae Jandura, Emily Poortenga, Robert Reitz, Nathaniel Taillon, Koron Walker, Hunter White

**Sixth Grade** - Cailyn Berry, Camille Gallichio, Cody Phillips, Adam Reinsma, Alexander Weakland, Laura Weller, Erin Wilkens, Ian Woolsey, Sam Woolsey

**Seventh Grade** - Logan Demkovich, Ethan Erickson, Alyssa Jandura, Lauren Surufka,

**Eighth Grade** - Brett Butler, Jennifer DeBoer, Michelle Heramb, Alexa Olsen, Kyle Pals, Devin Pieper, Taylor Ryckman, Darbi Smith

**Principal's List**

**Fourth Grade** - Maguire Butler, Emily Eisha, Melinda Michalski, Trevor Schoon, Madeline Shone, Ashley Wills

**Fifth Grade** - Abigail Burriss, Lydia Smith, Abigail Watts

**Sixth Grade** - Robert Went

**\*HOT LUNCH SPECIAL**

On **Wednesday, November 16**, The School Town of Munster Food Services will provide a special Thanksgiving lunch menu - turkey in gravy, whipped potatoes, harvest corn, potato roll, carrots, cranberry sauce and pumpkin mouse. Regular hot lunch tickets will apply.

**\*LPTL MEETING**

Please note that the time has been changed for the start of LPTL meetings beginning on **Wednesday, November 9 to 7:00 p.m.** Fifth grade parents are reminded that they are hosts for the meeting.

**\*ADVENT RESPONSES**

All grades need to return a written response by today to your child's teacher if your child cannot attend the scheduled Advent Worship service.

**MARKET DAY**

**Online orders are due by 11:00 pm, Monday, November 7.** Market Day pick up is **Thursday, November 10** from 3:00-4:00 pm.

**Eighth Grade** - Bri'Ana Hudson, Kelsie Kasper, Melissa McCann, Meaghan Mason, Jacob Thorsen, Michelle Weller, Kaitlyn Wiening

**\*NEWS TO SHARE**

From time to time various community groups will deliver information to distribute to students. St. Paul's does not endorse or promote any of these activities or events, but merely distributes the material for your information.

Munster Parks and Recreation Special Events  
Munster Cheerleading Camp

**HOT LUNCH MENU CHANGES**

Monday and Tuesday - **November 7 & 8** - No hot lunch available

Tuesday - special pizza lunch sponsored by LPTL. See previous article.

**\*LPTL BOOK SALES**

Mini cook book sales begin **October 14 and end November 9**. See the attached flyer for more information.

Coupon book sales start Sunday. See the attached flyer for more information. Sales will be from **November 6 to December 19**. Keep in mind all those gifts you need to think about for the holidays.

**INFORMATION NOW**

Passwords and user names that were available last year to parents for access to the Information Now site through our website are still in effect. If you have tried to access information for your child and cannot log on, please call the school office. Information regarding grades and attendance is available through our website:

- [www.stplmunster.com](http://www.stplmunster.com)
- St. Paul's School
- Information Now icon on the right hand side.

### **\*SPECIAL CHAPEL RECOGNITION**

On **Wednesday, November 16**, during our chapel service, we will take a short trip outside to visit the memorial tree donated by LPTL and the Garden Club in memory of our kindergartner, Carrie Janik. It is planted outside the church office.

### **\*COOKIE DOUGH ORDER DELIVERY**

Delivery will be **Wednesday, November 16** and can be picked up from the nursery from 3:00-5:00 p.m. Call Terri Kasper for more information. Unclaimed orders cannot be stored because the items are perishable and must be kept refrigerated or frozen.

### **\*CHRISTMAS BREAKFAST NEEDS YOUR HELP**

We need everyone's help. If you are interested in donning an exclusive "red" holiday suit as a special visitor from 11:00 am to 1:00 p.m. OR if you can donate some of your favorite baked goods, please contact Michelle Wilinski . Thank you for help to make this Christmas Breakfast a

### **\*SCHOOL DIRECTORY/CHANGES & ADDITIONS**

The 2011-12 School Directory has been distributed through the oldest student in each family during parent/teacher conferences this week. Full and part time preschool directories were distributed through the classroom. If there is any change in information, please contact the school office so information can be kept up to date in the event of an emergency.

Marissa Moore, grade 5

### **LET US GIVE THANKS**

This is the time of year when we direct our thoughts to others in need. The Board of Family Life has asked us for our help in collecting food items for holiday food baskets. The following is a suggested list for our students to follow:

- Full time preschool - Jello
- Part time preschool 3's - canned tomatoes
- Part time preschool 4's - oatmeal
- Kindergarten - boxed potatoes
- Grade 1 - Salad dressing
- Grade 2 - frosting
- Grade 3 - cranberry sauce
- Grade 4 - apple sauce
- Grade 5 - apple juice
- Grade 6 - cake mixes
- Grade 7 - canned meals
- Grade 8 - canned tuna/meats

All items should be brought to school by **Wednesday, November 9**. School children will bring items with them on the way to chapel on that day and deposit them on the school state. If you have any questions, please call Kim Bermingham.

success. We hope to see you there.

A letter went home this week through seventh and eighth grade to parents asking for your junior high student's help for a couple of hours at the breakfast. Please consider this an opportunity to volunteer for the benefit of our younger children.

### **PAPER RECYCLING**

Abitibi Paper recycling has paid St. Paul's \$82.10 for the month of September.

### **\*TRUNK N TREAT**

Congratulations to the Janik Family. They took the grand prize of a \$20.00 gift certificate for Papa John's for the best decorated vehicle at Sunday's Trunk N Treat. We had a great time and thank all the families who participated to make a fun afternoon for our church, school and neighborhood families.

### **TUITION INSTALLMENT**

The November tuition installment is due **November 1**.

### **\*CHAPEL OFFERINGS**

Chapel offerings for the second quarter are continuing to be designated for Kids Against Hunger and Martin Luther School in Joplin, Missouri. Total offerings for the last two weeks were \$69.42/\$379.15 for the quarter.

### **\*PRAYER LIST**

Each school year we will include several of our school families each week on our prayer list. This week, please pray for the following students and their families: Robert James, Shae and Alyssa Jandura, Jacob Janik, Joseph Jiron, Jordon Jones, Josiah Joza-Kung, Kelsie Kasper

**\*denotes a new/changed article for this issue**

### **CHURCH NEWS...**

**Youth Fundraiser-** The youth group of St. Paul's is starting their fundraiser with Carson's Community Days. They will be selling coupon books for \$5 with many different savings for November 11 and 12<sup>th</sup> flyer for ordering is attached to the newsletter. All the proceeds go directly to the youth ministry of St. Paul's. Coupon Books will be sold Sunday mornings in the gym or through the church office. Contact

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x249 with any questions.