



St. Peter Lutheran School

Newsletter

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Dear Parents,

GOD'S WORD FOR THIS WEEK—Everybody likes to be encouraged. Encouragement can refresh us, cheer us up, and make us feel better. An encouragement from God's Word can do even more than that. Enjoy Acts 11:23 "When (Barnabas) arrived (in Antioch) and saw the evidence of the grace of God, he was glad and encouraged them all to remain true to the Lord with all their hearts."

SINGING IN CHURCH—The Junior Choir will sing in the 9:00 a.m. service on Sunday, May 13.

FIRST GRADE CELEBRATION OF MUSIC will be held in church at 8:15 a.m. on Wednesday, May 16. Parents, grandparents, and friends of St. Peter are invited to attend.

FVL SCHOOLS MIDDLE SCHOOL BAND OPEN HOUSE will be held in the commons at Fox Valley Lutheran High School on Thursday, May 17th starting at 6:00 p.m. 4th-7th grade students and their parents are encouraged to attend to learn more about the FVL Schools Middle School Band program and to try out a variety of instruments that evening.

ATTENTION 8th GRADE PARENTS AND STUDENTS—8th grade students are asked to meet in the Library by 6:10 p.m. before our 8th grade graduation service on Thursday, May 24.

CLOSING CHAPEL ON FRIDAY, MAY 25—A closing chapel service will take place on Friday, May 25th at 10:15 a.m. in church. Parents, grandparents, and friends of St. Peter are invited to join us for worship.

5K-8th GRADE LAST DAY OF SCHOOL—Our last day of school is Friday, May 25. School is dismissed at 11:10 a.m.

PAPER RECYCLING FUNDRAISER—St. Peter Lutheran School is having a paper recycling fundraiser from May 18th through June 3rd. We will be collecting any paper and non-wax coated cardboard. We receive \$100 per ton of paper. All proceeds will go towards our Student Tuition Assistance Fund. A dumpster will be located next to the 1910 Center (historic school across the road) during this timeframe.

8th GRADE STUDENTS WHO WILL BE ATTENDING FVL—The dates of proficiency tests for students who would like to waive a class are as follows (**8th grade students who have completed three years of Spanish at St. Peter are strongly encouraged to take the Spanish placement test at FVL**):

Algebra 1 Proficiency Test—

- Friday, May 25, 1:00 p.m. to 2:00 p.m. OR
Tuesday, May 29, 9:00 a.m. to 10:00 a.m.

Spanish Proficiency Test—

- Friday, May 25, 2:00 p.m. to 3:00 p.m. OR
Tuesday, May 29, 10:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m.

These tests will take place in the media center. Students should arrive 15 minutes before the start time of the test. Please call the FVL Guidance office at 739-4441 with any questions.

LIBRARY BOOKS AT ST. PETER—Please return all overdue books by Monday, May 14th! Fee emails will go out next week (\$5.00/thin books; \$10.00/thick books). Please contact Tami Ziegler (Zieglerfamily@new.rr.com) with any questions and concerns.

SPRING PIZZA SALE UPDATE—A word of thanks to everyone that supported our Spring Pizza Sale. Our profit was \$1,697.55. Again thanks for your support.

THE ST. PETER SUMMER GOLF OUTING will be held on Saturday, June 9th at Irish Waters Golf Course in Freedom. Sign-up sheets are located in the entranceway of church. If you are interested in sponsoring a hole or donating a prize for this event, please contact Tom Dietzler at 739-2009. Proceeds from the golf outing go towards our tuition assistance fund.

SCHOOL YEARBOOKS will be handed out next week to all students whose parents had ordered yearbooks for them. There are extra yearbooks in the office available to purchase at \$14.50 each if you had not previously ordered a copy and would like one now.

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL—This year's theme is "Shipwrecked—Rescued by Jesus." Come on out for a great VBS adventure where we will discover Jesus' rescue of us who were spiritually shipwrecked. Children ages 3 years old through going into 4th grade in the fall are invited to attend! Dates are Monday-Thursday, July 9-12, from 12:30-2:30 p.m. Register your child(ren) online at <https://vbspro.events/p/events/2018stpetervbs>

THE ALUMINUM CAN RECYCLING FENCE is set up at the far east end of the lower parking lot. Please place your **bagged aluminum cans only** inside the fence—all proceeds from this recycling go to St. Peter Lutheran School.

TUITION QUESTIONS OR ACCOUNT CHANGES—Parents who have questions on their school tuition or tuition direct withdrawals or if you have any changes to your bank account, please contact Rhonda Dietzler at rhonda.dietzler@922church.com.

YMCA 18-19 SCHOOL YEAR AFTER-CARE—Information on after-school childcare offered through the YMCA at St. Peter for 5K through age 12 for the 2018-2019 school year was attached to the April 20th newsletter and is on our website. Online registration can be completed through the YMCA of the Fox Cities program registration website. If you have questions, please contact Amie Olsen, Child Care Services Director at the Apple Creek YMCA at aolsen@ymcafoxcites.org.

SUMMER LIBRARY PROGRAM AT THE APPLETON PUBLIC LIBRARY—The children's directors at the Appleton Public Library spoke to our students after chapel last week. They shared information on the summer reading programs that will take place at the library. An information form was attached to last week's newsletter. This form may be returned to our St. Peter school office or may be brought directly to the Appleton Public Library.

THANK YOUR TEACHER BASKETS! *A note from your Staff Appreciation Group—on **Wednesday through Friday, May 16th-18th**, there will be baskets available at the main entrance of school to provide an opportunity for you to thank your teachers however you see fit! A few suggestions from past years are handmade cards - parents & kids; homemade gifts or notes - parents/kids; any type of food gifts - homemade or purchased: snacks, fruit, coffee, etc.; plants/flowers; funny gifts; crafts; gift cards - think Scrip cards; monetary gifts, etc. Anything goes and all is appreciated! Let's thank our teachers for all they do for our students by filling the baskets!*

FREEDOM 2018 MIDDLE SCHOOL FOOTBALL will have a player sign-up/parent meeting on Monday, May 14th at 6:00 p.m. in the High School Lecture Hall to discuss the 2018 Freedom Middle School tackle football teams. This program is open to all students in the Freedom Area School District that will be

entering grades 6, 7, and 8 in the fall of 2018. If you are unable to attend the meeting or have any questions, please contact Steve Snyder at stephen.snyder@gmail.com or 920-858-1975.

5K GLOW RUN ON OCTOBER 6TH—Do you want to become a part of history? Church history, that is. In conjunction with the 150th Anniversary of St. Peter Lutheran, we are launching a new Glow Run 5k event in the Fox Valley on Saturday, October 6th starting at 6:00 pm! This race for all ages will take you through the country roads of North Appleton, starting and ending through the Neon-Lit campus of St. Peter! This is a stroller-friendly course, so families are encouraged to attend! Join us for the AFTERGLOW party. This party atmosphere will be complete with a DJ and Food Trucks for your enjoyment! Make sure you are wearing everything NEON or GLOW IN THE DARK! Registration opens April 1st at <https://runsignup.com/Race/WI/Appleton/5kreadysetglow>. Please note that race pricing will increase on June 1st. If you have any questions or would like to become a race sponsor, please email 5kreadysetglow@gmail.com.

SCRIP NEWS—There are a number of low denomination Scrip cards that are available until May 25 or while supplies last. You will need to order these cards, so if you choose to purchase any of them, please write them in on the lines provided on the bottom of the Scrip order form. Also, the cut-off for earning rebates for the 2018-2019 school year is Sunday, May 27. On June 1st, Scrip will be closed for annual inventory—Scrip will start selling again on Sunday, June 10th. Your rebates will then start going towards the 2019-20 school year. If you would like to change the designation for your rebates, please fill out a new enrollment form stating your wishes and submit it to any seller or the school office. Contact Rhonda Van Vreede at stpeterscrip@newbc.rr.com if you have any questions.

LOST AND FOUND ITEMS—There are many items **on the lost and found table in the school entryway**. Parents, you are encouraged to write your child's name in their coats, boots, hats, gloves, lunch boxes, water bottles, etc., to make it easier to return these items if they are ever lost. Stop by to see if any of these items belong to your child. Items not claimed will be donated to the Bargain Garden.

In Christ,
Mr. Punzel

Sunday, May 13

Junior Choir sings in the 9:00 a.m. service

Monday, May 14

5K Field Trip to the Springstroh Farm

Wednesday, May 16

1st Grade Celebration of Music—8:15 a.m.

Thursday, May 17

Chapel—8:30 a.m.

5K-4th Grade Track Day at FVL—12:30 - 2:30 p.m.

FVL Schools Band Open House at FVL—6:00 p.m.

Friday, May 18

1st Grade Field Trip to EAA

3rd Grade Field Trip to Green Bay

4th Grade Field Trip to Madison

5th Grade Bike Field Trip to Green Bay

6th Grade Field Trip to Plamann Park

7th & 8th Grade Field Trip to Camp Phillip

Friday, May 18 - Sunday, June 3

Paper Recycling Fundraiser

Monday, May 21

2nd Grade Field Trip to

Apple Creek YMCA & Monkey Joe's

Tuesday, May 22

11:00 a.m.-10:00 p.m.—St. Peter Day at Jaripeo
Mexican Grill (on Evergreen Drive)

Wednesday, May 23

5K Field Trip to Bay Beach

ECM Summer Send-off Celebration—6:00 p.m.

Thursday, May 24

Chapel—8:30 a.m.

St. Peter Lutheran Graduation Service—6:30 p.m.
(Jr. Choir and 5K-8th Grade sings in this service)

Friday, May 25

Last Day of School for All Grades;
Closing Service—10:15 a.m. in church;
5K-8th Grade Early Dismissal—11:10 a.m.