



St. Peter Lutheran School

Newsletter

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Dear Parents,

GOD'S WORD FOR THIS WEEK—Job 19:25

I know that my Redeemer lives, and that in the end he will stand upon the earth.

SINGING IN CHURCH—3K, 4K, & 5K children

will sing in the 9:00 a.m. service on Sunday, May 7 at St. Peter.

CALL ACCEPTED—Mrs. Melanie Giddings, our

part-time teacher and teacher aide, has accepted a call to serve as the Director of Curriculum for grades PreK-8th grade for FVL Schools Inc. All of our FVL Schools will be blessed through her work.

5th-8th GRADE TRACK PRACTICE—Track

practice for 5th-8th grade students is held on Tuesdays after school. Students should have running shoes and running clothes for both outside and inside practice. All practices are from 3:25-5:30 p.m. on the following days:

- Tuesday, May 9; practice at St. Peter

8th GRADE STUDENTS WHO WILL BE

ATTENDING FVL—Students who are interested in taking the Algebra 1 and/or Spanish placement tests, the dates/times are as follows:

Algebra 1 Proficiency Test—

- Friday, May 26, 1:00 p.m. to 2:00 p.m. OR
Tuesday, May 30, 9:00 a.m. to 10:00 a.m.

Spanish Proficiency Test—

- Friday, May 26, 2:00 p.m. to 3:00 p.m. OR
Tuesday, May 30, 10:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m.

Students should arrive 15 minutes before the start time of the test. Please call the FVL Guidance office at 739-4441 with any questions.

FVL GRADE SCHOOL TRACK MEET FOR

GRADES 5-8 will be held on Wednesday, May 10. The 5th and 6th graders meet will be held from 8:15 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. and the 7th and 8th graders will participate from 12:45 p.m. to 4:15 p.m. Students will be transported by bus to FVL. Parents of 7th and 8th grade students should make arrangements to pick their child up at FVL after the track meet. The 7th and 8th grade track meet will be completed by 4:15 p.m.

ATTENTION 5th & 6th GRADE PARENTS—

All 5th and 6th graders will travel by bus to FVL for the track meet on Wednesday, May 10. Students will leave St. Peter by 8:00 a.m.

ATTENTION 4th-7th GRADE PARENTS—

If your son or daughter is interested in participating in the FVL Schools band program next school year, a band open house will be held on May 18 at 6:00 p.m. at FVL. Parents and students will have a chance to meet the directors and ask any questions.

FVL TO HOST INTERNATIONAL

CHURCHILL EVENT—Fox Valley Lutheran High School is pleased to announce it has been selected as the site for a very special national event. On Saturday, May 13 from 3:00 to 4:15 p.m., FVL will be hosting "A Visit with Randolph Spencer-Churchill & Jennie Churchill-Repard: Winston Churchill's Great-Grandchildren." They will be speaking about their illustrious forbears and their great-great-grandparents Lord and Lady Randolph Churchill. Introducing them will be the Chairman of the International Churchill Society, Laurence Geller CBE. This event will

be videotaped for the Wisconsin Public Broadcast system for later broadcast. The event will be hosted in the school's auditorium. Admission is free. Tickets will be available at the door on a first-come, first-served basis. Doors will open at 2:00 p.m. Auditorium seating is limited to 900. Overflow seating with a video feed of the presentation will be available in the commons.

SUMMER LIBRARY PROGRAM AT THE APPLETON PUBLIC LIBRARY—The children's director at the Appleton Public Library spoke to our students after chapel yesterday. She shared information on the summer reading program that will take place at the library. A blue booklet describing the Appleton Summer Reading Program and registration forms are in our school office. Please stop in and take a booklet and registration form if you are interested.

PAPER RECYCLING DRIVE—St. Peter Lutheran School is sponsoring a paper recycling fundraiser from May 22nd through June 2nd. We will be collecting any paper and non-wax coated cardboard (gift wrapping paper is not accepted). We will receive \$100 per ton of paper. The students, staff, and families of St. Peter Lutheran are thankful for your help in supporting this fundraiser. A dumpster will be located next to the 1910 Center (historic school across the road).

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.

SCRIP UPDATE—A reminder that May 31st is the end of our Scrip year and that Sunday, May 28th will be the last time that you can purchase Scrip to earn rebates towards the 2017-2018 school year. From June 1st-10th, Scrip will be closed for our annual inventory.

We will start selling again on Sunday, June 11th, when your rebates will start going towards the 2018-2019 school year. If you have any questions or concerns, please feel free to contact Rhonda Van Vreede, Scrip Coordinator at stpeterscrip@newbc.rr.com or 920-740-3428.

PLASTIC BOTTLE CAP COLLECTION—The 5K classroom invites the entire school to collect plastic bottle caps through the end of the school year to go towards a worthwhile cause. The company Caps of Love recycles plastic caps to help the environment and to raise money to provide wheelchairs for physically-challenged youth in the USA. Check out what an impact we can have just by saving plastic bottle caps at <http://capsoflove.com>. There is a container for you to place your plastic bottle caps into for the rest of the school year—it is located on the counter next to the Boxtops and Milk Jug Caps. Thank you for your participation!

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, 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. **ALL ITEMS NOT CLAIMED BY MONDAY, MAY 8TH WILL BE DONATED TO BARGAIN GARDEN.**

BOX TOPS FOR EDUCATION AND KWIK TRIP MILK JUG TOPS—There are 2 cabinets with drawers to collect each of these separate items—one is located just outside the school kitchen door near the main school entrance and the other is in the Church Gathering Area, just inside the main church entrance doors. Please encourage your relatives also to collect these items which benefit our school. Every little bit helps.

ST PETER THEATRE ARTS PRESENTS "SCHOOLHOUSE ROCK LIVE! JR." ON FRIDAY, MAY 12TH AT 1:00 & 7:00 P.M.—TICKETS ARE AVAILABLE FOR THE 7:00 P.M. MUSICAL! Please go to the link below to reserve your seats. You will only put in a reservation for the number of seats you want, not for a specific seat in the house. Cast member families need to reserve their total number of seats online first, and then will have the opportunity to mark specific seats ahead of time, but there will be a limit of 6 per family for the priority seat selection.

<http://www.brownpapertickets.com/event/2920414>

2017-2018 ATHLETIC CALENDAR—Over the next several weeks, you will see that our Athletics and Activities Calendar for next year is beginning to come together. Please take note of the dates that are on the calendar. Last week the Athletic Directors from the FVL Schools met to set our dates for the seasons to the extent which we are able. Included on each event on the Google calendar is the location of each event. If no location is noted, that means the location has not been determined. All times are listed for each team. If you have questions, please contact Mr. Pfarr directly via e-mail (jpfarr@newbc.rr.com). More information will be added as we go along. See our Activities Calendar here:

<http://922church.com/resources>

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL—This year's theme is "Maker Fun Factory—Created by God, Built for a Purpose." Imagine a world where curious kids become hands-on inventors who discover they're lovingly crafted by God and built for a purpose. Children ages 3 years old through going into 4th grade in the fall are invited to attend! Dates are Monday-Thursday, July 10-13, from 12:30-3:30 p.m. Cost is \$10 per child or \$20 per family maximum.

Register your child(ren) online at <https://vbspro.events/p/events/stpeterappleton>

5K COLOR FUN RUN/WALK—St. John Lutheran School, Wrightstown, will host their inaugural, community-wide Happy Feet 5K Color Fun Run/Walk on May 20th, 2017 at 9:00 a.m. See the attached registration form or visit <http://HappyFeetSJLS.eventbrite.com> for more details or to sign up for this event.

In Christ,
Mr. Punzel

Calendar of Events

Sunday, May 7

3K, 4K, & 5K sing in the 9:00 a.m. worship service

Tuesday, May 9

2nd Grade Reading Publication Celebration

Wednesday, May 10

5th-8th Grade Track Meet at FVL—

5th & 6th Grades—8:15 - 11:30 a.m.

7th & 8th Grades—12:45 - 4:15 p.m.

5K-4th Grade Track & Field Fun Day at St. Peter—
12:30 - 3:00 p.m.

Thursday, May 11

Chapel—8:30 a.m.

Friday, May 12

School House Rock Live! Jr. Musical at St. Peter—
1:00 and 7:00 p.m. performances

Saturday, May 13

Strings Recital at 10:30 a.m. at St. Peter Church

Sunday, May 14

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