

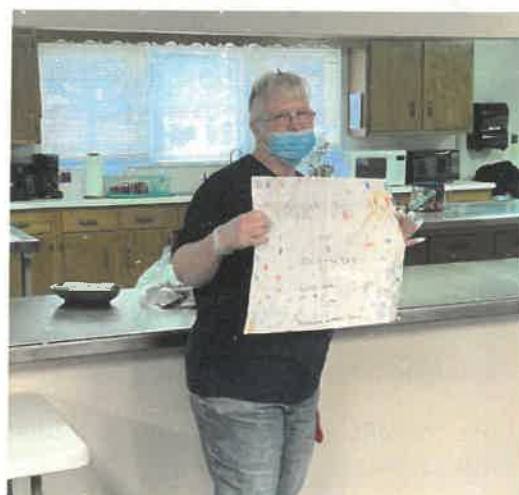


TIGER TALES

"IN ALL THINGS"



WE WILL
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THANK YOU
FOR YOUR
YEARS OF
SERVICE



Dear Bethlehem Lutheran School

I would like to thank everyone from Bethlehem Lutheran School for giving me the opportunity the past 19 years to be a part of your family. The decision to leave was a hard one to make, but in the last few months my health reminded me that it was time. To say that I will miss the students, staff, parents and families is an understatement. I've been happy to hear about so much "News" over the years.... "I'm a Shepherd in the Christmas Pageant", "I have a loose tooth!" and the next day there's a grin with a little open space in it! I've listened to High School plans, College hopes and Occupation dreams. I was honored to be asked to Confirmation. I've heard your kids express their Faith in God, and also show God's love to other people. The friendships made with so many are a blessing to me that will not be forgotten. God has been good to me. He brought me to Bethlehem.

Love Deb (The lunch lady)

CALENDAR

Feb.4-5 Varsity Girls Tournament
Feb. 7 Board of Ed Meeting
Feb. 8 Hearing Testing
Feb. 11 MidTerm
Feb. 17 MidTerm sent home
Feb. 18 NO SCHOOL Teacher InService
Feb. 21 NO SCHOOL Presidents Day
Feb. 27 PTL Kids vs Parents Basketball
Feb. 28 Terra Nova Testing begins

FEBRUARY 2022

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
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27	28					

FEBRUARY BIRTHDAYS

Feb. 13 Mrs. Moehring





Bethlehem 24th Annual Invitational Basketball Tournament
 The dates have been set and brackets are being worked on.
 Please mark your calendars and plan to come cheer the Bethlehem Tigers!
 Varsity girls February 4th & 5th



Parents vs. Kids basketball games/pizza party/ and sport recognition event- This is for ALL school students and their families even if you didn't participate in a sporting activity, please join us for a fun afternoon of basketball. Kids will play based on their grades (preschool joins in as well, so don't forget the young ones too!), they compete against their parents to see who is better! It is such a fun family fellowship day, and after we have pizza, what could be better than that! Please plan to join us on February 27th at 4:00pm.

As a parent, you probably know that keeping your kids from spending all day (and night!) on their devices can be a challenge, and you're not alone. But finding a quick and easy way to manage screen time and filter the web doesn't have to be mission impossible — or cost an arm and a leg.

Bethlehem has partnered with Bark to offer our families a **free Bark Jr subscription (\$60/year value)** for life!

Use the URL below to activate your free Bark Jr account:

<https://www.bark.us/bark-jr/signup?ref=JFK944B>

What am I getting with a free Bark Jr account?

- Ability to manage screen time on mobile devices
- Set different rules for school time and bedtime
- Filter which websites your kids can visit
- Keep up with kids with location check-ins



What is Bark?

In addition to screen time, Bark can help parents proactively monitor text messages, YouTube, emails, and 30+ different social networks for potential safety concerns, so busy parents can save time and gain peace of mind. Bark currently helps protect over 5.6 million kids in the US.

Thank you

Bethlehem Lutheran School

This is the student portal Mr. Meyer maintains that gives the students quick access to a lot of our programs. Parents may also access this site to see what is going on in grades 3 - 8 grades. <https://sites.google.com/bethlsossian.org/bethlehemstudentportal/home>

PRIVACY NOTICE

We all love to share pictures of our child's school activities and accomplishments. However, we have to be very careful where those pictures are posted and respect that other students might also be in the picture. Parents please remember to respect do not post pictures that may have students in them other than your own child. If you have any questions or concerns, please contact the school office before posting anything. Thank you

Negative Ions

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

Sometimes raising children can be like sending an astronaut into space. Early space probes launched from Cape Canaveral in the 1960s created anxiety for the safety of the astronauts. It was especially intense when the spacecraft was re-entering the earth's atmosphere. At the most dangerous part of the journey, negative ions would accumulate around the heat shield and interfere with radio contact for about seven minutes. Seven-very-long-minutes! Finally the reassuring voice of Chris Kraft would break in and say, 'We've made contact with Colonel Glenn again. Everything is A-OK'. In a very real sense, our children can be like that spacecraft. After the training of childhood, a thirteen-year-old is blasted into space with a flurry. Then something like 'negative ions' begins to interfere with communication just as the adults want to be assured of the child's safety. Why won't he or she talk to them? Why has he or she disappeared behind a wall of silence? It's a confusing and terrifying time. Fortunately, in a few years the first scratchy signals will begin to come through again and contact will be re-established. The negative environment will gradually dissipate, and the 'splashdown' during the early twenties can be a wonderful reunion for both generations. What should you as a parent do during this time? First, you must pray for them and stand on the truth of God's Word: *'Direct your children onto the right path, and when they are older, they will not leave it'. Second, you must exercise patience. 'Let patience have its perfect work, that you may be perfect and complete, lacking nothing' (James 1:4).*

The workers at Bethlehem are much like the Space Center at Houston, we do our best with the Lord's help to guide the students throughout the years, the take-off years as they enter school to the years of 'negative ions' while keeping the main focus on Christ, our Mission Control, where the final splash down will be in heaven with Him.

In Christ,
Mark Schallhorn



 **RANDOM ACTS**
of **Kindness**
February 13-19, 2022

Weather permitting the students will be going outside for recess time. Please have your child dress appropriately for the weather.



Potential delays and cancellations for Bethlehem will follow the same as Northern Wells Community Schools. Sign up for text alerts at www.wane.com/text-alerts.

Bethlehem will be closed February 18th for a teacher In-service (E-learning) and February 21 for President's Day

More Elearning packets will be sent home and used this year for weather related closings

SGO TAX CREDITS are GOING FAST! The Scholarship Granting Organization of Indiana is urging donors wanting to support SGO scholarships and receive the 50% State Tax Credit to make your donations NOW. Your donation will go to help our Bethlehem Lutheran School families who struggle with tuition cost but want to be sure they are providing a Christian Education for their children. Thank you
To donate, go to: www.lutheransgo.org or pick up an application in the school office.

With Gradelink you can stay updated on your child's academic progress at school and get information on upcoming assignments such as assignment descriptions and due dates. The following information is available to you when you **log in to Gradelink**:

- Current Grade in each class
- Current GPA for the term, if applicable
- Descriptions, Grades, and Teacher Comments for graded assignments
- Descriptions and Due Dates for upcoming assignments
- Assignment handouts or documents (attachments)
- Email Alerts you can configure for grades and attendance
- Attendance Information
- Transcript Information, if applicable
- Billing Information, if applicable



To access this information go to www.gradelink.com and click on the green Log In button.

PLEASE CALL THE SCHOOL OFFICE IF YOU NEED ANY HELP

Sign up today!

Shop at Kroger and help Bethlehem Lutheran School tuition assistance fund with the **Kroger Community Rewards Program**.

Register online at krogercommunityrewards.com, be sure to have your Kroger Plus card handy and register your card with Bethlehem Lutheran School as your organization for the reward. **The NPO number for Bethlehem is WG595#.**

If you don't have a Kroger Plus card, they are available at the customer service desk.

Members must swipe their registered Kroger Plus card or use the phone number that is related to their registered card when shopping for each purchase to count.

PLAN TO USE SCRIP FOR ALL YOUR SHOPPING NEEDS Please contact our **Scrip coordinator, Melissa Price at 260-433-5307**. Thank you to the church congregation and school families for supporting the Scrip Program. Over the years, we have been able to financially support the church general fund and participating school families who have applied credits toward their child's tuition.

Keep On Clipping... . NEW INFORMATION

Box Tops receipts, Spirit of America labels, and Tyson labels are all worth money for our school. To redeem Box Top products, you will need to download the Box Tops app on your phone and then scan each receipt that contains your Box Tops products. The Spirit of America and Tyson labels can still be turned in to school. Since Community Market has closed in our area, we will no longer be collecting receipts from them. **For questions, contact Jeni Harkless our new label coordinator,**

KEEP ON CLIPPING and SCANNING!



THIRD Quarter Chapel Mission Project



Saint Philip Lutheran Mission Society

Who we are: In the spring of 2008, a group of students from Concordia Theological Seminary-Fort Wayne (Pastor Wirgau was included) were given the opportunity to travel to Lutheran Theological Seminary in Pretoria (Tshwane), South Africa.

While visiting, they saw firsthand the immense impact that the education at LTS had on Lutheran church bodies throughout the entire continent of Africa. Students were brought to LTS from several African countries, educated in the Scriptures and Lutheran Confessions, and sent home in order to be ordained as pastors in their own communities.

Upon seeing the importance of LTS for the future of the confession of the Lutheran Church in Africa, these students formed the Saint Philip Lutheran Mission Society.

The current role of the Saint Philip Lutheran Mission Society is to support and promote confessional Lutheran theological education of future pastors and deaconesses at LTS and raise financial aid to support the needs of both residential students and visiting professors.

The financial needs associated with bringing students to LTS often exceeds what the students and seminary are capable of providing. The Saint Philip Lutheran Mission Society seeks to bridge that gap so that well-qualified men and women may receive a well-rounded education to serve the Lord of the Church as pastors and deaconesses.

Recycling Guide

Yes

What can go in Bins?

School/Office Paper

News Paper

Junk Mail

Hard & Soft Cover Books

Magazines

Shredded Paper (bagged in clear plastic)

NEW!! - Paperboard (cereal type boxes)

NEW!! - Cardboard (12" x 12" or smaller)



Thank you from the student's raising money for their class trip to Washington D.C.

Bethlehem Lutheran School Annual SPELLING BEE

Was held on Wednesday, January 26th at 1:15

This year Bethlehem did not join the National Spelling Bee.

Bethlehem winners will be awarded a special prize
on the last day of school.

Winners

- 1st Grade Ginny Wirgau (miss)
- 2nd Grade JT Holtzclaw (space)
- 3rd Grade Hunter Householder (library)
- 4th Grade Savannah Fuller (paid)
- 5th & 6th Grade Rachel Werling (influence)
- 7th & 8th Grade Sarena Wirgau (tangents)

Runner-ups

- 1st Grade Maddox Kelley
- 2nd Grade Jonah Bultemeier
- 3rd Grade Matthew Rekeweg
- 4th Grade Paizley Price
- 5th & 6th Grade Coral Weiss
- 7th & 8th Max Eisaman



 Welcome 
To Our School



Weslynn Nahrwold – Kindergarten
Parents: Brad and Laura Nahrwold



Lacey Garwick – Kindergarten
Parents: Matt and Keri Garwick

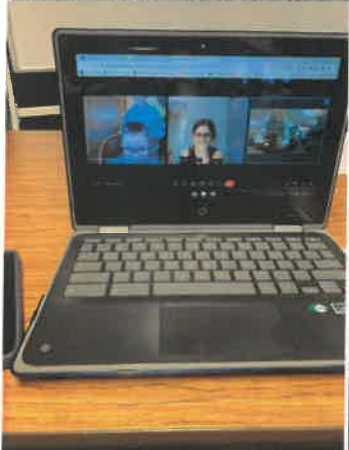


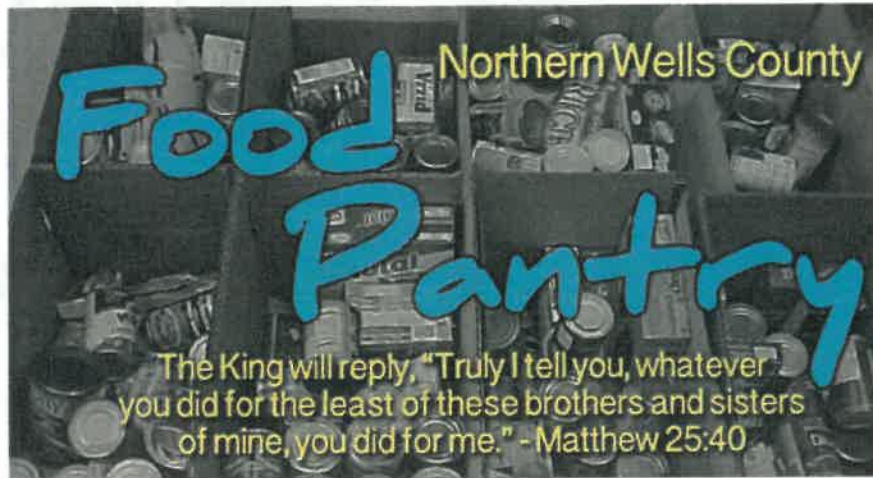
Sienna Sommer – Kindergarten
Parents: Sam and Kylie Sommer

Lutheran Schools Week 2022 at Bethlehem had the theme of: "In All Things."

Bethlehem students started the celebration by singing in church on Sunday – "Shout for Joy, Loud and Long." On Monday we had inside-out day where the students went on a scavenger hunt following clues from a riddle. On Tuesday we wore our favorite sports team apparel and had an all-school kickball game. On Wednesday we dressed nicely for chapel and in the afternoon, we tied blankets for babies in the Nic-u. On Thursday we dressed as our favorite book character and read books to each other. The end of our week we wore our Bethlehem shirts and went bowling in Decatur. We are so thankful for our Lutheran School.







January 20, 2022

Bethlehem Lutheran School
6514 E 750 N
Ossian, IN 46777

Dear Students and Staff of Bethlehem Lutheran School,

We are so pleased to have been designated for your student chapel offering for your last quarter. You are certainly caring for "the least of these." Because of your donations, families will be blessed in the Name of Jesus Christ. Thank you for being the arms of God to these folks.

No goods or services have been provided in exchange for your donation. We appreciate your support of our ministry.

Thank you for your contribution.

*Thanks!
Betty*

Betty Maloney, Secretary on behalf of
Northern Wells Food Pantry, Inc.

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Nicole, Byesville, OH

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How it works



Buy physical gift cards, eGift cards, and reloadable gift cards at face value on ShopWithScrip.com or the mobile website, MyScripWallet.com.



Easily pay online and earn a rebate between 2% and 16% that immediately goes toward funding for our organization.



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1. Join our program by creating an account on MyScripWallet.com or ShopWithScrip.com.
2. Enter our organization's enrollment code: **43ALE7851441**
3. Link your bank account to enroll in online payments and place your first order.

Have a question? Contact our coordinator at: Melissa 433-5307



Bethlehem Lutheran School Lunch Menu February 2022



Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
		1 Popcorn Chicken Fried Rice Carrots & Broccoli Mandarin Oranges Fortune Cookie	2 Hot Dog French Fries Peas Pears	3 Pizza Corn Veggy Choice Peaches	4 Nachos w/Meat and Cheese Refried Beans Salad Pineapple Chunks Churro	5
6	7 Bosco Stick Marinara Sauce Green Beans Fruit Choice	8 Pancakes Sau- sage Bites Tri-Tators Veggy Choice Applesauce	9 Alfredo Broccoli Salad Mixed Berries Biscuit Stick	10 Chicken Nug- gets Baked Beans Carrots Peaches Pretzel	11 Ham & Cheese Sliders Potato Wedges Cucumbers Apple Slices	12
13	14 Pizza Veggy Choice Cherry Tomatoes Strawberry Cup Ice Cream Treat	15 Chicken & Noo- dles Mashed Potatoes Green Beans Pears Dinner Roll	16 Grilled Cheese Sandwich Tater Tots Mixed Vegys Banana Goldfish Crackers	17 Walking Taco Salad Corn Orange Juice Cookie	18 NO SCHOOL Teacher In-service (E-learning)	19
20	21 NO SCHOOL Presidents Day	22 Chicken tenders French Fries Veggy Choice Blueberries Fruit Snack	23 Mac & Cheese Green Beans Fresh Vegys Orange Half Dinner Roll	24 Chicken Leg Mashed Potatoes Baked Beans Fruit Cup Corn Biscuit	25 Quesadilla Salad Salsa Corn Applesauce Cookie	26
27	28 Deli Sandwich Carrots Chips Fruit Slushie					