

Panther Tracks

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St. Andrews Lutheran School

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The Mission Statement of St. Andrews Lutheran School

St. Andrews Lutheran School exists as the visible framework, to nourish the whole child in spiritual and academic growth by partnering with families to prepare the child for Christian living as a productive citizen of God's world.

Calendar of Events for St. Andrews Lutheran School

Thur. 16

Fri. 17 Mid-Term 3rd Quarter

Sat. 18 5:00 pm Worship with Holy Communion

Sun. 19 8:30 am Worship Service
9:45 am Sunday School
11:00 am. Worship Service

Mon. 20 No-School Presidents' Day

Tue. 21 Battle of the Books

Wed. 22 Field Trip 8th Grade
9:00 am Chapel Worship Service

Thur. 23

Fri. 24 6:30 pm Square Dance



No School Monday in
honor of Presidents Day

Message from Mr. Seaholm

This is a quick reminder that we will **NOT** have school on Monday, February 20th in honor of Presidents' Day. Please take a moment and explain to you child why we don't have school on Presidents' Day and why we honor and remember George Washington and Abraham Lincoln. Just for the record, George Washington's birthday was February 22nd, 1732 and Abraham Lincoln's birthday was February 12th, 1809.

My wife and I attended the middle school dance last Saturday evening. We were extremely impressed with how nicely the students were dressed. The girls all wore beautiful dresses and the boys wore a nice shirt and slacks!!! They were all very well behaved!

I had the opportunity to attend the school board meeting this Tuesday evening. The Board of Christian Education was very welcoming to me. I was very impressed with their dedication and passion for the children and staff at St. Andrews Lutheran School. They seem to truly care about the success of the school.

Angela Mangimele hosted the "Admission Directors' meeting, and I hosted the NID (Northern Illinois District) principals' meeting this week. It was great for other administrators to see your wonderful school and children!

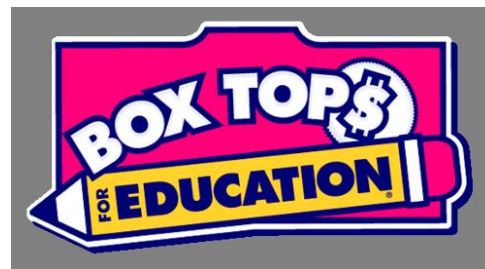
I continue to learn more and more names as the weeks go by. Please be patient with me if I keep asking your name for the 3rd or 4th time! Thank you for all your continued support and prayers during Laura Boggs' absence! She is making steady progress and is looking forward to getting back to St. Andrews!!!



Board of Christian Day School

The Board of Christian Day School meets the second Tuesday of each month at 7:30 in the Teacher's Conference Room. The next meeting will be held March 14th. All meetings are open to all school families and church members. If you would like to contact the BCDS they can be reached on Fast Direct under the staff list.

The last collection for Box Tops will be on Friday morning, Feb 24th. Now is the time to turn in all your Box Tops for the classroom competition!



"IT'S COOKIE TIME"



ST ANDREWS GIRLS SCOUTS WILL BE SELLING COOKIES AFTER SCHOOL ON

FEBRUARY 23RD & FEBRUARY 24TH

WE WILL HAVE ALL YOUR FAVORITES
COOKIES ARE \$5.00 PER BOX

GLUTEN FREE COOKIE ARE ALSO AVAILABLE!

Join us for a Potluck Dinner!

**Sunday, March 5th
following the late service in the gym**

**What to bring? Your favorite dish to pass.
What to expect? Fun, Fellowship and Fantastic Food!**

All are welcome

Look forward to seeing you there

-Hosted by: St. Andrews Board of Outreach



Everyone Brings Something to the Table.



Tickets go on sale March 1st

Show times are:

March 8th 1pm

March 9th 7pm

March 10th 7pm

(Doors will open 30 minutes prior to the show times)

Ticket prices are \$10 for Adults, \$5 for Elementary Students,

Under 3 are free, if they are not taking a seat.



Angel Choir: 3's & 4's
Cherub Choir: K-3rd grade
Jubilate Choir: 4 - 8 grade

2016 ~ 2017 ST ANDREWS CHOIR SCHEDULE

<u>Date</u>	<u>Time</u>	<u>Choir</u>
2/26	4:00 p.m.	Cherub Choir (Hymn Festival)
3/5	11:00 a.m.	Angel Choir
3/8, 3/9, 3/10		SCHOOL MUSICAL "Annie" (more info coming)
4/2	11:00 a.m.	Jubilate Choir
4/9	8:30 a.m.	Cherub Choir (Palm Sunday)
4/23	8:30 a.m.	Honors Ensemble
5/7	11:00 a.m.	Jubilate Choir
5/20	5:00 p.m.	Cherub Choir (Praise & Pizza to follow)

Come Aboard and Save the Date for the Annual PTL Dinner Dance & Auction!

This year, the Dinner Dance is April 29th, from 6:30pm-midnight. This is an exciting event for St. Andrews' parents, family and friends! It is the only time during the year that the PTL asks families to make charitable contributions that are used to improve the school. The money raised this year will be used for much needed updates to the gymnasium.

We ask that you save the date and join us for this fun event!

How are funds raised during this event?

Raffle

We'll be sending raffle tickets home for families to sell during the month of March.

Silent Auction

The teams of parents who are working on the event are all working diligently to gather an incredible array of items for the silent auction that will take place the night of the event. If you have items you'd like to donate please drop them off in the school office. If you have a recommendation for someone to reach out to for interesting silent auction items, please let us know! Feel free to contact Vija Viksne at vijaviksne@gmail.com or 310-850-6940.

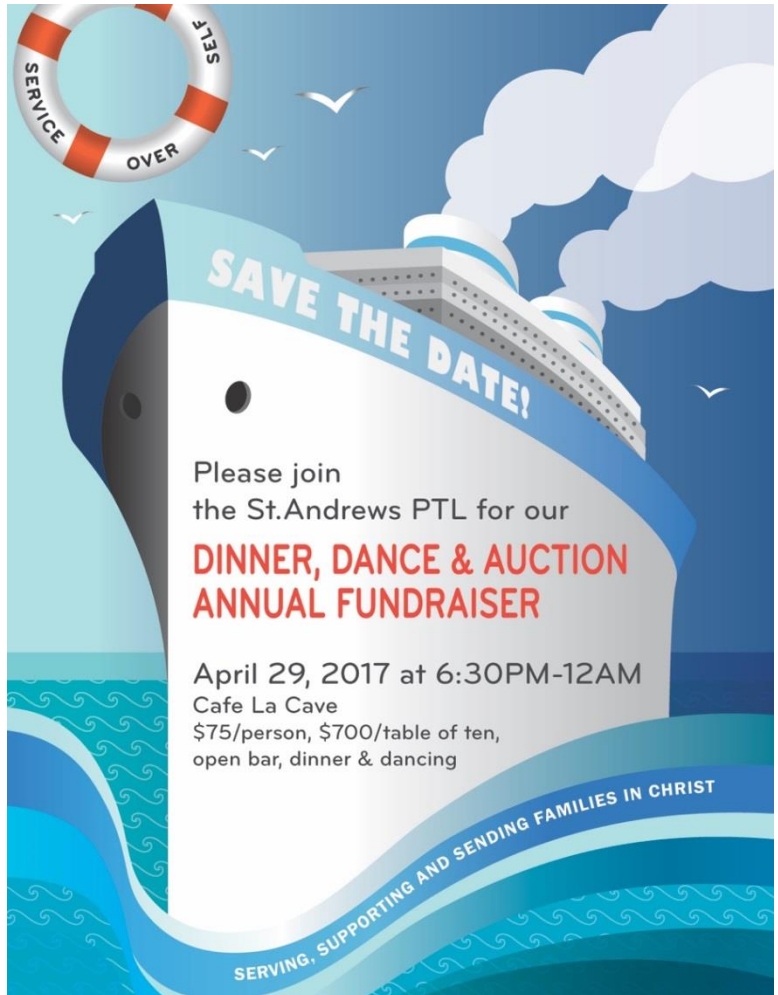
Program book

Starting in March, we'll be accepting notes of gratitude, congratulations, and photos for the event's program book. All of the details of how to participate will be sent home at the end of February.

All donations are tax deductible. Letters to donors are sent out with a sincere thank you. Stop by the school office if you need a letter requesting donations with the school's tax ID information. We'd like to receive all donations by April 14th.

Thank you in advance for reserving April 29th for the Dinner Dance!

Thank you,
The Dinner Dance Committee



PTL News

Family Square Dance Friday, February 24th 6-8 p.m. - Mark your calendars and plan to join us for our Family Square Dance. No dancing experience necessary. An experienced caller will teach us square dancing and line dancing and will use pop music to dance to. All St. Andrews families are welcome. We would love to have you.

Missing anything????

**Please stop by the lost and found to find what
you are missing.
Unclaimed items will be donated.**



**Would you like to know more about Luther
North High School?**

Please come to our Open House Thursday,
March 2nd from 6:00 PM to 8:30 PM! This is a
great opportunity for students to meet our
faculty, learn about our academic programs,
and experience the Wildcat Way.