

Panther Tracks

November 16, 2017

St. Andrews Lutheran School

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The Mission Statement of St. Andrews Lutheran School

St. Andrews Lutheran School nourishes the whole child in spiritual and academic growth by partnering with families to prepare the child for Christian living as an exemplary light in God's World.

Calendar of Events for St. Andrews Lutheran School

Thur. 16	6:00 pm	Variety Show
Fri. 17	Picture Retakes Field Trip Grades 5 and 6	
Sat. 18	5:00 pm	Worship with Holy Communion
Sun. 19	8:30 am 9:45 am 11:00 am 11:00 am	Worship Service Sunday School Worship Service Honors Ensemble sings
Mon. 20		
Tue. 21		
Wed. 22	9:00 am 10:30 am 11:30/11:50	Chapel Worship Service PS/PK/K Thanksgiving Feast Early Dismissal
Thur. 23	No-School - Thanksgiving	
Fri. 24	No-School	
Sat. 25	5:00 pm	Worship with Holy Communion
Sun. 26	8:30 am 11:00 am	Worship Service Worship Service
Mon. 27		
Tue. 28		
Wed. 29	9:00 am	Chapel Worship Service
Thur. 30	Mid-Term 2 nd Quarter	
Fri. 1	No-School	



*Give Thanks to the Lord,
for He is good.
Psalm 107:1*



Message from Ms. Boggs
St. Andrews Lutheran School
Educating Students to Seek, Serve and Soar

Happy Thanksgiving!
May you and your family enjoy Thanksgiving with family and friends.
God has given us so many blessings that we need to be thankful for
Rejoice and give thanks.
*"Be joyful always: pray continually: give thanks in all circumstances, for this is
God's will for you in Christ Jesus."*
1 Thessalonians 5: 16-18

School Information

Chapel- Join us for Chapel each Wednesday morning at 9:00 a.m.

Chapel Offerings- Our November offerings will support St. Paul Food Pantry. We have collected \$249.77 for this mission. Thank you so much for all the food that you have been bringing in for St. Paul.

Thank you- Thank you to our 8th grade class and our school band for leading such a meaningful devotion to honor our Veterans on Friday. Our Chapel families gathered together to make cards for our military friends at St. Andrews.

Chapel Attire- Just a reminder that Wednesday's Uniform for Chapel is the St. Andrews Polo and dark or khaki pants or skirts. Leggings, jeans, sweatpants or fancy skirts may not be worn on Chapel days.

Seeking Position- We are in need of a morning care worker. The hours are from 7:30 am- 8:30 am. If you are interested or may know of someone else, please contact me at 847-823-9308 ext. 201.

Upcoming Dates:

Thursday, November 16- Variety Show at 6:00 pm

Friday, November 17- Picture Retakes

Wednesday, November 22 – Early Dismissal

Preschool and PreK – 11:30 am

K-8- 11:50 am

Preschool, PreKindergarten, and Kindergarten- Taste of Thanksgiving

Thursday, November 23 – No School – Happy Thanksgiving
Friday, November 24– No School – Happy Shopping
Thursday, November 30– Midterm 2nd Quarter
Friday, December 1– No School– Bethlehem Walk Set-Up
Saturday and Sunday, December 2 and 3 – Bethlehem Walk
Sunday, December 10 – Cherub Choir Sings
Wednesday, December 13– Advent Service for Grades 4–8
Thursday, December 14– Field Trip Grades K–1–2
Friday, December 15– Wear Bears Apparel
Wednesday, December 20– K–3 Advent Service
Thursday, December 21– Field Trip Grades 6–8
Friday, December 22– PS and PK Christmas Service
Early Dismissal at 11:50 – Grades K–8
Wear Christmas Colors

“Love the Lord your God with all your heart
and with all your soul and with all your mind.”
Matthew 22:37

PLEASE SHARE YOUR TIME AND TALENTS WITH OUR BETHLEHEM WALK



It's Bethlehem Walk scheduling time. If you want to reprise your role, or try something new, email susan.bragg@bairdwarner.com. If you want to help with set-up, erect tents, donate food, work in the kitchen, pour hot chocolate, help in the children's craft tent, or assist with tear down...use the same email address, with 'Bethlehem' in the subject line. Please consider helping with this unique outreach to our community. **Dec 1 is set up. Bethlehem Walk is December 2 and 3.** Thanks!

St. Andrews Family,

For many years, we have had a relationship with St. Paul of the Cross here in Park Ridge, helping them fill the shelves in their food pantry, so that they can bless families by providing for some of the most basic human needs.

Our chapel offering for the month of November has been designated for the food pantry, and, while a monetary offering is certainly appreciated, we'd like to collect food items throughout the month to help them restock before their distribution at the end of the month. Below is a list of suggested items:

- **Canned Fruit and Vegetables**
- **Peanut Butter**
- **Strawberry Jelly**
- **Meals in a can** (i.e. Spaghettios, Chef Boyardee, etc.)
- **Cereal**

Specifically this month, St. Paul has emphasized a need for **pasta** and **cookies** (shelf stable, such as Chips Ahoy, Oreos, etc.).

If you choose to participate, your child(ren) can bring their item(s) with on **November 8, 15, and 22**, and they'll be able to drop them off on their way into chapel. Lastly, because we, as a school and staff, partner with you, as parents, to help your children to grow in the Christian faith, I would encourage you to take your students shopping with you. This would be a great opportunity, as Thanksgiving approaches, to talk with your kids about all the ways that you have been blessed, and how you might be able to bless others!

In Christ,

Katie Otto,
Director of Christian Education



St. Andrew's School Choir Schedule 1st Semester 2017-2018

November 19	Honors Ensemble	11:00 a.m.
December 3	Jubilate Choir (Bethlehem Walk)	TBD
December 10	Cherub Choir	8:30 a.m.
December 13	4-8 th Grade Advent Service	7:00 p.m.
December 20	K-3 rd Grade Advent Service	6:30 p.m.
December 22	Preschool & PreK -- Christmas Program	10:30 a.m.
January 21	Sonshine Choir	11:00 a.m.
	(Open House to follow)	

Angel Choir: Preschool & PreK
Cherub Choir: Kindergarten-2nd Grade
Sonshine Choir: 3rd-5th Grade
Jubilate Choir: 6-8th Grade
Honors Ensemble: 6-8th Extra Curricular Choir

Board of Christian Day School



The Board of Christian Day School meets the second Tuesday of each month at 7:00 in the Teacher's Conference Room. The next meeting is on December 12th. All meetings are open to all school families and church members.

This week please join us for Word of Wednesday (WOW). We meet from 6-6:40pm for a meal and then from 6:40-7:15 for Bible Study groups for all ages. It's a blast! We will meet on November 15, and 29. For this session, we will dive into look at the Jewish background of the Gospel of Matthew and how the themes in Matthew mirror the structure of the Torah (First 5 books of the Bible). See you there!



MARTIN LUTHER VISITS ST. ANDREWS!



On Sunday, December 10th at both the 8:30 and 11:00 am services, Rev. Frederick of St. John's Evangelical Lutheran Church, Elgin, IL, will bring us his portrayal of Martin Luther. Come join us for this wonderful presentation. Continue the 500th Reformation Celebration!



HIGH HONOR ROLL

6TH GRADE

Ryder Butterfield
Ava Hreczany
Ava Lee
Makayla Olar
Caitlin Riordan
Marin Rooney
Annah Ward

7TH GRADE

Mia Dovhaychuk
Kevin Hock
Annie Katsiavelos
Naomi Kim
Connor Lasch
Ciena Metzger
Luke Olar
Jonathan Takyi
Yianni Ziabaras

8TH GRADE

Leah Alava
Grace Asien
Adeline Bateman
Estelle Ghinea
Shanna Kaldani
Colum McNally
Daniela Milutinovic
Breanna Williams
Vasiliki Ziabaras

HONOR ROLL

6TH GRADE

Katarina Milutinovic

8TH GRADE

JonathanGuataquira
Elizabeth Heller
David Rundblad
Kostantino Zafaras

SCHOOL SPIRIT TASTES GREAT



Make dinner a selfless act by joining us for a fundraiser to support St Andrews Lutheran School. Come in to the Chipotle at **119 South Northwest Highway in Park Ridge on Thursday, November 30th between 4:00pm and 8:00pm**. Bring in this flyer, show it on your smartphone or tell the cashier you're supporting the cause to make sure that 50% of the proceeds will be donated to St Andrews Lutheran School.



If placing an order online during your fundraiser, please note you must choose the pay in-store option and inform our cashier of your participation before paying. Gift card purchases during fundraisers do not count towards total donated sales, but purchases made with an existing gift card will count.

