

# St. John Lutheran School Newsletter

## November 12 – November 16, 2018



### LUNCH MENU

**MONDAY, NOVEMBER 12:** Pizza Dippers with Marinara Sauce, Steamed Broccoli, Peaches, Fresh Vegetables, Milk (*Gluten Free*)

**TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 13:** *Enchanted Forest Book Fair Lunch Theme:* Forest Floor Truffles (Baked Potato), Hogwash Ham, (Diced Ham), Forest Berries (Strawberries & Blueberries), Moss Covered Muffin, Fresh Vegetables, Milk (*Gluten Free*)

**WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 14:** Softshell Taco, Cheesy Refried Beans, Fresh Orange, Fresh Vegetables, Milk (*Gluten Free*)

**THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 15:** *Wisconsin Chili Lunch Day:* Grilled Cheese Sandwich, Vegetable Chilli, Applesauce, Fresh Vegetables, Milk (*Gluten Free*)

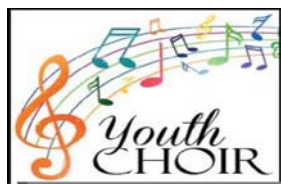
**FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 16:** Breaded Fish Patty, Homemade Dinner Roll, Coleslaw, Grapes, Fresh Vegetables, Milk (*Gluten Free*)

\*\*Milk Choices: Fat Free White, Fat Free Chocolate or 1% White\*\*

*\*\*Menus subject to change\*\**

**NOVEMBER'S HARVEST OF THE MONTH:** is CABBAGE! Here are some interesting things about cabbage:

- Cabbage belongs to the "cole crops", meaning it is closely related to broccoli, cauliflower, and brussel sprouts
- There are at least 100 different types of cabbage grown in the world, but the most common in the U.S. are the green, red, and savory varieties
- Cabbage is an excellent source of manganese and folate
- Cabbage is the main ingredient in coleslaw, which is on our menu for Friday!



### CHOIR SCHEDULE

Sat. Nov. 10 @ 5:30pm – 1<sup>st</sup> & 2<sup>nd</sup> Grade

Wed. Dec. 5 @ 10am – 6<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> Grade

Sun. Dec. 9 @ 8am – 3<sup>rd</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> Grade

Wed. Dec. 12 @ 10am – 4<sup>th</sup> & 5<sup>th</sup> Grade

Sat. Dec. 16 @ 5:30pm – K-8 Christmas program

### CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Friday, November 9

1<sup>st</sup> Quarter Report Cards go home

Saturday, November 10

5:30 P.M. Blended Worship Service

Sunday, November 11

8:00 A.M. Worship Service

9:15 A.M. Sunday School

10:30 A.M. Worship Service

Monday, November 12

Honor Flight Bake Sale

10:00 A.M. – 2:00 P.M. Book Fair

10:30 A.M. Veterans' Day Program

11:30 A.M. Veterans' Day Luncheon

7:30 P.M. Mothers' Club Meeting

Tuesday, November 13

12:30 P.M. – 8:00 P.M. Fall Book Fair

Parent-Teacher Conferences

Wednesday, November 14

8:10 A.M. Chapel led by 7<sup>th</sup> Grade

Nov. & Dec. Baptism Birthday Recognition

Accelerated Reader Rewards after Chapel

Youth Group Fruit Sale Orders Due

Thursday, November 15

12:30 P.M. – 8:00 P.M. Fall Book Fair

Parent-Teacher Conferences

Friday, November 16

6:00 P.M. – 8:00 P.M. Jr. Youth Group

Tuesday, November 20

2:00 P.M. Closing Chapel

Wednesday-Friday November 21-23

NO SCHOOL – Thanksgiving Break

### ANNOUNCEMENTS!

#### PARENT/TEACHER CONFERENCES

are November 13<sup>th</sup> and 15<sup>th</sup> Children in grades K-3 will have a scheduled time for their parents to come and meet with their teachers, either on Tuesday or Thursday, and will should have brought their appointment sheet home this week. If you have not seen it, or need to re-schedule your conference, please contact your child's teacher. Grades 4-8 will have an open house format for parents to meet with teachers from 4:30 P.M. – 8:00 P.M. on both dates as well. We look forward to seeing you then!

**LOST...BUT HOPEFULLY FOUND!** The Lost and Found is located across from the 2<sup>nd</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> grade classrooms. When you arrive for conferences, please check the table in the hallway to see if any items belong to your child(ren). All items left in the Lost and Found on Friday, November 16<sup>th</sup> will be donated.



**CHAPEL SERVICE:** Is held on Wednesday at 8:10am, and our message this week will be led by our 7<sup>th</sup> grade class. Please join us as we hear how God is PRESENT for everyone, even when they feel all alone. God forgets no one, and when we feel forgotten, lost, or lonely we can remember that Jesus never leaves us.

Recognition and celebration of our November and December Baptism birthdays will be during the chapel service on Wednesday, November 14. Those who joined God's family in the month of November are:

Lily Dallman	Brynlee Heidemann
Ruby Hoffman	Layla Jacobson
Kendell Klug	Samantha Reed
Isabella Sprague	Joanna Szeto
Lydia Szeto	Christian Voigt

Those who joined God's family in the month of December are:

Madeline Barker	Charlotte Besaw
Lincoln Brandner	Mrs. Gipple
Gemma Malone	Evelyn Peroutka
Siobhan Schuetze	Mr. Schultz
Mrs. Szeto	Max Westover
Emily Wiesneski	Spring Wiesneski

God's many blessings to these little lambs!

**CHAPEL OFFERINGS:** We've done it; we've hit \$500 for the Ronald McDonald houses in Marshfield and Madison! We have a lot of time in 1<sup>st</sup> semester to keep adding to that total. Here is an excerpt from a letter we received from the Madison RMH after donating food items in October: *"Thank you very much for your abundant and thoughtful Wish List items. These boxes will fill our pantry! You have cheered the hearts of so many families, and your kindness will last a long time. We are deeply grateful for your special delivery."*

**DON'T FORGET** to bring in pop top tabs for November for RMH! Any class can win!

*"Teaching, Training and Nurturing God's Children"*

**OUR ANNUAL VETERAN'S DAY PROGRAM & LUNCHEON** will be held on

Monday, November 12. The program will begin at 10:30 a.m. in our school gym. Students from Trinity Lutheran School will be joining our St. John students in honoring our veterans. We invite all, especially Veterans, from our school families, congregations, and community to attend this special recognition and remembrance program. Please pass this invitation on to ANY Veterans that you know, whether family members or friends. We would be honored to have them join us! The luncheon, which includes brats, sauerkraut, beans, and cheesy potatoes, will be served at 11:30 a.m. in the church basement.



**DUCKS & DEER & BEARS, OH MY!**

Don't forget to grab your St. John Dollars before buying your supplies and heading to your hunting spot this year! When you are coming in this week to go to the Veteran's Program or shopping at the book fair, stop in the church office and pick your gift cards up today! Sales last week totaled \$8604, resulting in a profit of \$344.16.

**A NEW GIFT CERTIFICATE AVAILABLE!**

Ana Blair's Boutique gift certificates are in stock now; they come in \$25 increments, and we receive 5% back on all purchases.



**NEW BOX TOP CONTEST:**

Did you notice the pizza pans on the bulletin board? Bring in your unexpired box tops in a Ziploc with your name to fill your pizzas with pepperonis and WIN a pizza lunch for your class! Keep watching the bulletin board to see who takes the early lead!

**NOISY OFFERING IS BACK!**

We will again be collecting a "noisy offering" the weekend of November 11. Last month's noisy offering paid for \$400 in bills from our Adopt a Bill board, thank you!!! Even a little "Change" can make a positive difference. Bring some spare change with you when you attend services this weekend, and let's see how much noise we can make!



**LET YOUR IMAGINATION GROW AT THE ENCHANTED FOREST FALL 2018 SCHOLASTIC SPRING BOOK FAIR**

coming to St. John! The fair will be held in conjunction with the Veteran's Day Program and Parent/Teacher Conferences. Did you ever wonder what your Unicorn Name is? Come on down to the Youth Room and check it out. Book fair fun will also include a Coloring Sheet, Book Fair Bingo and the "Guess How Much Unicorn Food" contest.

Shopping hours will be:  
 Monday November 12<sup>th</sup> 10:00AM – 2:00 PM  
 Tuesday November 13<sup>th</sup> 12:30PM – 8:00 PM  
 Thursday November 15<sup>th</sup> 12:30PM – 8:00 PM  
 If you are unable to attend the Fair in person, we invite you to visit our online Book Fair at [scholastic.com/fair](http://scholastic.com/fair). Our Online Fair is available from November 8<sup>th</sup> to November 21<sup>st</sup>.

**Volunteers are still needed for Thursday November 15<sup>th</sup> between 12:30pm and 4:30 pm.** Please contact Colleen Skoviera @ 715-350-1573 or [cskoviera@hotmail.com](mailto:cskoviera@hotmail.com).



**JOIN US FOR LUNCH ON TUESDAY**

for a special Enchanted Forest Book Fair Lunch! Please let the school office know by Tuesday at 8am if you would like to attend at either 11am or 12pm with your child. This is a great time to invite grandparents or other special people in your child's life to come visit for lunch!

**FREE THRIVENT CHOICE DOLLARS:**

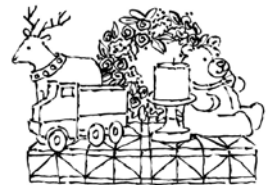
Please designate your 2018 Thrivent Choice Dollars to St. John Lutheran Church and School. Note that this designation must be done annually. Go to [www.thrivent.com/thriventchoice](http://www.thrivent.com/thriventchoice), or call 1-800-THRIVENT and say "Thrivent Choice." For questions contact Cathy Mueller at 715-536-7082.

**REMINDER TO SUPPORT THE HONOR FLIGHT BAKE SALE**



**Date: Monday, November 12**  
**Please bring treats on Monday!**  
 Items should be packaged to be sold in 50 cent quantities. Thank you for helping us help Veterans!  
 All goodies for only \$.50, come shop at the sale as well!

**HOLIDAY MALL IS COMING!**



Mothers' Club is back at work planning for the the annual **HOLIDAY MALL**. The Mall will be held on Thursday, December 6<sup>th</sup> and Friday, December 7<sup>th</sup>. The Holiday Mall is an exciting shopping experience for the students of St. John. For any new families who may not know, it is similar to a Santa's Work Shop where students come down with their classes during the day and shop for Christmas presents for their family. There are thousands of gifts available for students to purchase! Prices start at just 25 cents and will go up over \$5.00. In order to make the Holiday Mall a success, a lot of donations and volunteers are needed. If you wish to make a donation please send the item(s) to school by Monday December 4<sup>th</sup>. There will be a collection box in the school office. Donations can be any new or nearly new items that students would want to purchase as gifts. We DO NOT need wrapping paper. If you are able to work at the Holiday Mall please call Krissi Schultz at 715-351-0093

**ST. JOHN YOUTH GROUP NOTES**

OUR YEARLY FRUIT SALE FUNDRAISER is in full swing! Check out all of the assortments and boxes of fruit available; order forms are located by the North entrance of the church. Hurry, order forms are due Wednesday! This fundraiser supports all of our fun activities for both Jr. and Sr. Youth, and we appreciate your support! Our next Jr. Youth night is Friday, November 16<sup>th</sup> from 6pm-8pm.