

# NEWSLETTER

March 27, 2024

## Sophomores take the Forward Exam for Social Studies!



Greetings, Families and Supporters,

I was recently asked if I was happy at Wolf River and enjoyed coming to work each day. As I contemplated these questions, I pictured my students who greet me every day with smiles and "Hi, Mrs. K, you're the best!" or my teachers who work diligently to teach children each day, and then my families and supporters who show their support through surprise flowers with a note saying "God Loves You!" or a gas card so I can gas up before I go home to show I am a blessing, I can genuinely say I am happy coming to Wolf River. It isn't work for me, but a call to serve where the Lord has placed me. I will not say it is always easy, as we are all humans, but I was reminded of Romans 8:28 and Jeremiah 29:11 this weekend by Paul on the Christian radio station. Romans 8:28 (NIV) states, "And we know that in all things God works for the good of those who love him, who have been called according to his purpose." This verse emphasizes the belief that God can bring good out of any situation, even amidst trials and challenges, for those who trust Him. Jeremiah 29:11 (NIV) says, "For I know the plans I have for you," declares the Lord, "plans to prosper you and not to harm you, plans to give you hope and a future." This verse highlights God's care and intentionality in His plans for His people, promising them a hopeful future. Paul explained that through all things, good and bad, as long as we work together for good and serve God, we will persevere and follow God's plan. My pastor on Sunday further reinforced that for me as he said that it is possible to have a new beginning with God and that when a crisis happens, we all need to look to God, for He will be there and guide each of us. So, am I happy? Yes, for I know that the Lord has a plan and will not forsake any of us. Have a wonderful week celebrating the resurrection of our Lord! Enjoy spring break!

Blessings, Mrs. Kosmerchock

**VERSE FOR TODAY:** What are you wearing today? I hope you are clothed with Christ. Anything else is simply out of style by heaven's standards, no matter whose designer fashions you may be wearing. You can be clothed with Christ by surrendering your life to Jesus as your Savior through faith, believing that he is God's Son who died for you, and trusting in God's power that raised him from death to give you life. You will be God's child and have a home waiting for you in heaven. For those of us who are Christians, these thoughts are a reminder of what God has done for us. If you are not a follower of Christ, the world doesn't have to be cold and lonely; Jesus can be with you everywhere you go if you respond to him in faith.

So in Christ Jesus you are all children of God through faith, for all of you who were baptized into Christ have clothed yourselves with Christ.

**Galatians 3:26-27**



### **OFFICE HOURS** -

Friday, March 29 - Closed for Good Friday

Monday, April 1 - Closed

Tuesday, April 2 - Open 9 a.m. - 1 p.m.

Wednesday, April 3 - Open 9 a.m. - 1 p.m.

Thursday, April 4 - Open 9 a.m. - 1 p.m.

Friday, April 5 - Closed

**School resumes on Monday, April 8, 2024.**



**Matthew 26:26-29** - Now, as they were eating, Jesus took bread, and after blessing it broke it and gave it to the disciples, and said, "Take, eat; this is my body." And he took a cup, and when he had given thanks, he gave it to them, saying, "Drink of it, all of you, for this is my blood of the covenant, which is poured out for many for the forgiveness of sins. I tell you I will not drink again of this fruit of the vine until that day when I drink it new with you in my Father's kingdom."

**WISCONSIN PARENTAL CHOICE** - **The deadline for School Choice is April 18th.** Don't miss out!

**CHAPEL NEWS** - Pastor Nehring led the chapel this morning. He shared that today is Spy Wednesday when Judas and the officials started looking for a place to arrest Jesus when he was alone. Through Jesus' betrayal, we can have glory in the cross! We collected \$19.00 in offerings this morning to support Lauren Dawson, a soon-to-be missionary to Tunisia.

**DONATION RECEIVED** - Wolf River Lutheran High School received \$5000 from the Dorraine A. Degner estate for our building fund. We appreciate the kindness of this family in choosing Wolf River as a beneficiary. If you or a loved one are working on your estate planning, please consider Wolf River Lutheran High School as an heir. Your financial advisor and attorney would be able to assist you in your planning.

**FAMILY FUN EVENT** - Are you ready for some kickball? The next family fun day is Sunday, April 14, from 3 - 5 p.m. Bring the whole family to play! This event is free! There will be pizza, drinks, and prizes! Mark your calendar!

**FISH FRY** - Fish Fry dinner is this Friday, March 29, from 4 - 7 p.m. Hope to see you there!

**FISH FRY VOLUNTEERS NEEDED**- Students, parents/guardians, we need volunteers to help on Friday, March 29, 2024 from 3:30-7:30 p.m. Please let the office know if you can help. There is a signup sheet in the commons for your convenience. Thank you!

**HOT LUNCH SCHEDULE** - Hot lunch was served today by Group 3. Thank you for the soup and grilled cheese, as well as desserts! **Group five will be serving lunch on April 10 and not Group 4. Group 4 will be serving hot lunch on April 17.** Thank you again for being a part of the Wednesday hot lunch meals!

**A Look Ahead...**

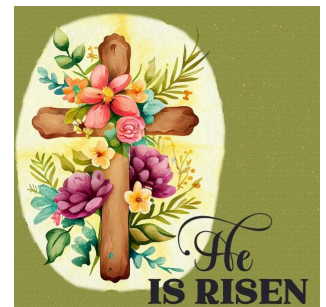
March 28 - Art Club, 3:30 - 5:00 p.m./Strength and Conditioning, 3:30 - 4:30 p.m.

March 29 - No School, Good Friday- Office Closed

March 29 - Wolf River Fish Fry, 4-7:00 p.m.

April 1-5 - Spring Break - No School

John 3:16-17 - **16 "For God so loved the world, that he gave his only Son, that whoever believes in him should not perish but have eternal life. 17 For God did not send his Son into the world to condemn the world, but in order that the world might be saved through him.**



**SUMMER CAMP OPPORTUNITY** - Explore careers in Natural Resources, June 9-14, 2024.

\$200/student includes instruction, materials, five nights lodging & 15 meals. Throughout the week-long program in beautiful Eagle River, WI, students are immersed in real-life field activities and outdoor skills development while learning from industry professionals. You'll also have the opportunity to explore our 40-acre forested campus in your free time! Scholarships are available. Complete the scholarship portion of the application for consideration. (students entering their Junior & Senior year.) For more information, see Mrs. B or Mrs. K. Applications are **due May 13, 2024**. Applications and more information are available at [www.TreesForTomorrow.com](http://www.TreesForTomorrow.com)

**Allied Health Day Camp** - students must be entering their Junior or Senior year of high school and are at least 16 years old. This is your chance to find out firsthand the roles, relationships, and responsibilities that make careers in allied health professions so rewarding. July 31, 2024. 1:00 - 7 p.m. Cost is \$100. Includes camp t-shirt, dinner, supplies, and fun giveaways. **Deadline to apply: until camp is full.** For more information, see Mrs. B or Mrs. K. Applications and more information are available at [admissions@bellincollege.edu](mailto:admissions@bellincollege.edu)

**Nursing Camp** - students must be entering their Junior or Senior year of high school at least 16 years old. Two days of hands-on simulations and learning to help narrow your future career options. Students will spend one day at Bellin College participating in different hands-on simulations relating to the area; the other day will be spent traveling to nearby hospitals and shadowing healthcare workers. Great opportunity! Dates: June 25-26 or July 23-24. 8:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m. Cost is \$100. Includes camp t-shirt, lunch, supplies, and fun giveaways. **Taking applications until camp is filled.** For more information, see Mrs. B or Mrs. K. Applications and more information are available at [admissions@bellincollege.edu](mailto:admissions@bellincollege.edu)

**TRACK AND FIELD NEWS** - The first Track Meet is April 4 at 4 p.m. at the Gillett High School.

**THRIVENT CHOICE DOLLARS** - Thrivent members have until **March 31, 2024**, to direct their remaining 2023 Choice Dollars to Wolf River if you are interested.

**How to direct Choice Dollars online** - 1. Log in to [thrivent.com](http://thrivent.com) with your username and password. (If you haven't yet registered on [thrivent.com](http://thrivent.com), click Register now. 2. Select Direct Choice Dollars from the left side or at the bottom of your Account Overview screen. 3. Choose the organization you want to direct. Choice Dollars: a. To direct to a previous organization, simply locate the organization listed under Previous organizations you've chosen. b. To direct to a new organization, enter keyword(s) like organization name, ZIP code, cause, etc. Click the magnifying glass icon to search. 4. Enter the specific number of Choice Dollars you wish to direct and click Review. If you are satisfied with your choices, click Confirm to direct your Choice Dollars.

**VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITY** - Volunteers are needed for Saturday, June 15, from 9:45 a.m. - 4:00 p.m. at the Rhubarb Festival at Heritage Park-Shawano Historical Society (524 N. Franklin Street, Shawano). Any amount of help would be greatly appreciated. For more information, please contact Kathy at 715-526-3323; feel free to leave a message. Thank you! It would be helping little kids with playing games. Food voucher is included for the volunteers.

