



ST. PAUL'S LUTHERAN SCHOOL



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St. Paul's School Mission Statement:

By faithfully proclaiming God's saving grace, children will grow in their relationship with Jesus as we prepare them academically, socially, and emotionally for life in this world.

from the Principal:

FOR YOUR INFORMATION

LUNCH NOTES

We encourage healthy lunches for our students. It will simplify things for all involved if the lunches do not take much preparation here at the school. Also, please remember to include utensils with your child's lunch when they are needed for the food your child brings. Thanks!

REPEATING:

CLOTHING AND WEATHER NOTES

Please encourage your child to dress for the weather.

All students have recess outside unless the weather is too extreme. When the temperature is below 60 degrees, students who wear sweatshirts and jackets in the classroom during the morning must have something more to wear for outside play.

According to the school Dress Code, "shorts" are not appropriate clothing for school after Oct. 31. Shorts are allowed from April through October.

In Christ,
James R. Russell

Choirs-(Grades K-8)

November 15

8:00 am & 10:30 am Services

Chapel

All are invited to attend our school Chapel services on Wednesday mornings during the school year. Chapel begins at 8:05 a.m. The November/December Chapel is for Bethesda Homes.

Please note:

Nov 6 - Jr. Youth Night, 7-9 pm

Nov 7 - Jr./Sr. Leaf Raking

Nov 9-10 - No school here; Bremen Schools in session

Nov. 16 - next School Board meeting

Nov 16 - PICTURE RETAKES, 8:15 a.m.

Nov 17 Nappanee Pizza Hut Fundraiser

Nov 18 - All-school field trip to Amish Acres

Nov 18 - Pizza Day

Nov 24 - Next Newsletter

Nov 24 - PTL Pilgrim Meal

Nov 25-27 - No School; Thanksgiving Break

Dec 11 - Family Movie Night, 7-9 p.m.

Dec 16 - Pizza Day

Dec 16 - Children's Christmas Service

Dec 21-Jan 1 - Christmas Break

For Your Information:

1. The School Board's next regular meeting will be November 16th at 7 p.m. Please contact Mr. Russell or Mr. Jim Tinkey if you have items that need to be brought to the board's attention. The other board members are Mrs. Deb Burcham, Mrs. Jennifer Harman, Mr. Curt Nielsen, Mr. John Rowe and Mr. Andy Wildauer.
2. If you did not get a copy of last year's Year Book there are extra copies for sale in the school office for \$16.
3. SMART questions?
www.parent.smarttuition.com.
4. CONTACTING TEACHERS - If you have a concern or questions, we are ready to listen and discuss them with you. Your first step is to talk to your child's teacher. Our teachers strive to work with the individual needs of each child and family, and do it as privately as possible. To email a particular teacher address the email to the teacher's first

initial and last name

@stpaulsbremen.org. For example, my email is jrussell@stpaulsbremen.org. Home phone numbers are available in the Parent Teacher League Handbook.

5. Weather closings and Delays: The following radio stations will give information about changes in school schedules:

WSBT AM 960

Sunny 101.5

Oldies 94.3

Cat Country 99.9

WFRN



Also, WNDU-TV and WSBT-TV carries weather information and you may check the website: www.weareclosedtoday.com, enter your zip code, choose a radius and see all the delays or closings within that area. Generally, if Bremen Public Schools are closed or delayed, so is St. Paul's. In the event of a 2 hour delay Preschool and Kindergarten will start at 10 a.m.

MORE NEWS:

1. St. Paul's Lutheran Church uses Tuesday evenings for Outreach calls. If you do not have a church home or would like to know more about St. Paul's, call Pastor Wonnacott at 546-2332 or 301-9291.
2. **ATTENTION YOUTH!** We are looking forward to seeing you at the following event. The Jr. Youth have Youth Night November 6. Come for gym activities and fellowship from 7-9 pm.
3. Attention Jr. Youth Leaf Rakers: On November 7th we will be raking leaves from 9 a.m. to 12 p.m. Then we have been invited by Carol Bowen to a hot dog roast at her home. Please bring rakes and dress for the weather.
4. Save the Date:
Jr. High Christmas party
on December 11.

PTL (Parent Teacher League) News:

1. The next regularly scheduled PTL meeting will be on Tuesday, December 1st at 5:30 p.m. in the Jerusalem Room. Everyone is welcome to attend!

Dear Parents,

2. St. Paul's PTL took a poll among the students to see if they would enjoy having some fruits and vegetables supplied for them on the day that they receive Pizza Hut pizzas each month. The students' response was overwhelmingly positive that they would appreciate this addition to their lunch. Therefore, starting this month of November, PTL will supply fruit and vegetable trays for all students to enjoy on the day they have Pizza Hut for lunch. Thank you, St. Paul's PTL

3. St. Paul's Board of Christian Education and PTL would like to thank all of the volunteers who helped make Light the Night a success. Your willingness to serve is a blessing.

4. St. Paul's PTL will be collecting the following items for the men, women, and children at The Center for the Homeless in South Bend, IN: Gloves/Mittens, Hand Warmers (the kind that you snap & they heat up), Hats, Scarves*, Socks (Men, Women and Children), Underwear (Men, Women and Children), Deodorant, Toothpaste, Denture Cleaner & Denture Adhesive, Feminine Hygiene Products, Shampoo/Conditioner, Cough Drops, Lotion, Chapstick. If you have a talent for knitting/crocheting, you may knit or crochet scarves for The Center's guests, as well. There will be a separate box for those. You may send these items in with your student or drop them in the boxes across from Mr. Russell's classroom.

