



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

Upon this Rock (Based on Is. 26:4 ESV)

God's love and care for us never waivers, and will never fail. We may be unsteady in our faith, but His love for us is permanent. Because He first loved us we are to demonstrate loving care and mercy to the people around us.

We pray that your celebration of Christmas and New Year's were blessed. We look forward the resuming work with your children.

REPORT CARDS

This quarter of the school year ends on Jan. 11. Your child's Second Quarter report card will be included with your newsletter on Jan. 17. If you have any questions you should contact your child's teacher.

CHAPEL

We welcome anyone who wishes to attend our Chapel services with the children. On most Wednesdays the service begins at approximately 8:05 A.M. and lasts about a half-hour. [On the last Wednesday of the month we join with the Preschool for an 11A.M. service.]

SNOW BUSINESS

The decisions concerning school delays and snow days are made by the Bremen Public Schools. If they (BPS) have cancelled or delayed, then we have also. Remember to check the listed sites for delay/cancellation information on questionable weather days. Occasionally the situation changes after the original report so check right before you leave home.

In Christ,
James R. Russell

Choirs-(Grades K-8)

TBA

Chapel

All are invited to attend our school Chapel services on Wednesday mornings during the school year. Chapel begins at 8:05 a.m. except the last Wednesday of each month we join with Preschool for chapel at 11 a.m. The January/February chapel offering is to Seminarian Support.

Please note:

- Jan. 5 – Basketball (4-8), Home, 4:30 pm
- Jan. 6 – LEGO Club
- Jan. 6 – Youth Night, 7-9 pm
- Jan. 10 – Basketball (4-6), Away, 6 pm
- Jan. 11 – End of 2nd Quarter of school
- Jan. 11 – Basketball (7/8), Home, 4:30 pm
- Jan. 12 – Basketball (7/8), Away, 5 pm
- Jan. 13 – Chess Club
- Jan. 16 – No School, Martin Luther King Day
- Jan. 16 – next regular School Board meeting
- Jan. 17 – Next newsletter
- Jan. 17 – Basketball (7/8) Home, 5 pm
- Jan. 17 – PTL DQ 'Fun'draiser, 5-7 pm
- Jan. 18 – Pizza Day
- Jan. 20 – Youth Night, 7-9 pm
- Jan. 24 – Basketball (4-6), Home, 6 pm
- Jan. 24 – Basketball (7/8), Away, 5 pm
- Jan. 26 – Basketball, (4-6 & 7/8)
Home, 4:30pm & 5:30 pm
- Jan. 28 – Basketball Tournament, (7/8) LaPorte
- Jan. 31 – Basketball (4-6) Away, 5:30 pm

For Your Information:

1. The School Board's next regular meeting will be January 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. SAVE LIBRARY STAMPS! As you are shopping at Family Christian Bookstore, remember to ask for Library Stamps. These stamps have been used to purchase DVDs (including God's Not Dead 2) and many Christian Books. Please give the stamps to Barbara Middaugh.

3. 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.

4. SMART questions?
www.parent.smarttuition.com.

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.

2. Jr. High Youth Nights in January are Friday, January 6 & 20 from 7-9 pm in the gym. Join us.

PTL (Parent Teacher League) News:

1. The next regularly scheduled PTL meeting will be on Monday, January 9th at 5:30 p.m. in the Jerusalem Room. Everyone is welcome to attend!

2. St. Paul's Eagles next home basketball game is Thursday, January 5th at 4:30 p.m. Admission prices are: \$1/student, \$2/adult, \$5/family, \$30/season family pass. The season pass is good for all home games for both the 4th-6th and 7th-8th grade teams. If you would like a pass, please contact Jennifer Russell at 574-361-5588.



3. Bake Sale! - Thursday, January 5th.
Bethany Room - 8 am to 9:30 am
School Gym Hallway - 3 pm to 6:30 pm
Bakers needed - Call Jennifer Russell at 574-361-5588 to help.

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.