



# 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.

### NATIONAL LUTHERAN SCHOOLS WEEK

This week we are celebrating National Lutheran Schools Week. You have received the schedule of activities earlier. Join us in our activities.

### KINDERGARTEN ROUNDUP

Kindergarten Roundup will be held March 21 from 6:30-7:30 P.M. for the 2017 - 2018 school year. Please set aside that evening if you have a Kindergartner for next year. Or tell someone you know who would be interested. Thanks!

### WE NEED YOUR HELP

As this school year passes the halfway point we start to look to next year. We hope and pray that you will help spread good words about our school and preschool. Your positive comments are the best recruitment tools we have. If you have prospective students for us to contact please share their names with us. Thanks!

### PRESCHOOL OPEN HOUSE

If you missed the Preschool Open House, you can find information on the school website, or we can send you information. You can also invite someone to check out the program for themselves.

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 March chapel offering is for Camp Lutherhaven.

### **Please note:**

- Mar. 12-17 - Nat. Luth. Schools Week
- Mar. 14 - Hacienda Fundraiser, Plymouth
- Mar. 17 - End of Quarter
- Mar. 17 - Showcase of Fine Arts & Crafts
- Mar. 21 - Kindergarten Round Up, 6:30 pm
- Mar. 22 - Pizza Day
- Mar. 24 - Chess Club
- Mar. 19-25 - Scholastic Book Fair
- Mar. 27 - School Board, 7 pm
- Mar. 28 - Next newsletter
- Mar. 28 - Spring Pictures
- Mar. 28-29-Parent-Teacher conferences
- Apr. 3-7- Spring Break
- Apr. 15 - Easter Egg Hunt, 9 - 11 am
- Apr. 28 - Musical
- May 10 - Track Meet

### For Your Information:

1. The School Board's next regular meeting will be March 27<sup>th</sup> (***note date change***) 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. Kindergarten Information Evening - Color Me Kindergarten will take place Tuesday, March 21 beginning at 6:30 pm. Students and their parents are

invited to come tour the facility, meet staff, ask questions, pick up registration material. Tell your family and friends! Let us know if we can send information to someone you know.

3. Showcase of Fine Arts & Crafts is coming Friday, March 17<sup>th</sup> at 7 pm in the Bethany Room! Join us for a fun evening of entertainment and help us celebrate some of the creative gifts God has blessed us with!

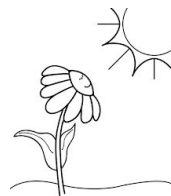
4. Scholastic Book Fair is coming up March 19 – 25! If you can volunteer some time please call Mrs. Middaugh at 546-4869.

5. St. Paul's church will be hosting an Easter Egg Hunt on Saturday, April 15, 2017 from 9:00 - 11:00 a.m. Children age 2 to Grade 3 are invited to attend this event. Children will be hearing a devotion, hunting for eggs, making an Easter craft, and having refreshments. On Easter morning during the Easter Breakfast, children will also be able to make another Easter craft.

6. SMART questions?  
[www.parent.smarttuition.com](http://www.parent.smarttuition.com).

7. 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](http://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.

8. 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.

#### 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. Jr. Youth Dates for March:

#### Junior High Youth Night Dates for March

- March 31, 7-9PM, in the Gym

#### Easter Sunrise Service (Jr. High Youth)

- Practices begin on March 5<sup>th</sup> after 2<sup>nd</sup> Service (practices will last 45 minutes)

- Practice Dates (all practices after 2<sup>nd</sup> Service)

  - March 19<sup>th</sup>

  - March 26<sup>th</sup>

  - April 15<sup>th</sup> at 11 AM (Dress Rehearsal)

- Easter Sunrise Service is Sunday, April 16<sup>th</sup> at 7:00AM

#### PTL (Parent Teacher League) News:

1. The next regularly scheduled PTL meeting will be on Tuesday, April 11<sup>th</sup> at 5:30 p.m. in the Jerusalem Room. Everyone is welcome to attend!

2. St. Paul's PTL will be holding officer elections March 17<sup>th</sup> after the Showcase of Fine Arts and Crafts. Offices being voted on are President, Secretary and Devotions Chairman. Please prayerfully consider running. Call Jennifer Russell at 546-5023 for more information.

