

LCS Newsletter

Our Mission: "To share the Good News of Jesus Christ, teach children, and assist parents in training children to be witnessing Christians and productive citizens."

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By Jacob Ehrhard

If I must boast, I will boast of the things that show my weakness. (2 Corinthians 11:30)

In the Name + of Jesus. Amen. No one likes a boaster. The one who boasts usually has an over-inflated sense of his own importance. She considers herself to be God's gift to the world. Boasting is not only off-putting because it greatly exaggerates a person's skills or accomplishments, but it also tends to belittle everyone else around.

Boasting is usually compensation for some serious deficiency. It puts forward an overstated image, hoping to divert attention away from what would otherwise be a glaring weakness. A person who boasts always has something to hide.

And that's precisely what we do before God. We want Him to think better of us than we deserve. Our default religious setting is to promote our piety and emphasize our spirituality. We want to show God that we are worthy of His kingdom, of His favor. We boast in our works, but our boasting comes from an over-inflated sense of our own importance, As if God needed our works. Our boasting is not good.

The Cross changes boasting. If there was anyone who had reason to boast, to show how He was worthy of God's kingdom, it was the Son of God. But He did not count equality with God as something to be prized (Philippians 2:6). Instead, He humbled Himself and became weak for our sake.

So, "If I must boast, I will boast of the things that show my weakness." That's the way of the Cross. We must become weak to see that Jesus is strong. And in Him we find our strength, and of Him we boast. In the Name + of Jesus. Amen.

Jesus loves me! This I know For the Bible tells me so. Little ones to Him belong They are weak, but He is strong. Yes, Jesus loves me! The Bible tells me so. ("Jesus Loves Me" LSB 588, st.1)

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Students and Families we are praying for this week...

Each week in our faculty devotions and classroom devotions we lift up our LCS students and their families in prayer. During the week of February 15th we will be praying for Kayden Osborn, Brayden Otte, Lane and Mack Pendleton, Max Peters, Paisleigh and Prather Peters, Heidi Rautenkranz, Alexandria Ray, McCoy and Remington Ray, Claire and Lily Redicker, and Matthew Reedy.

School Calendar Changes

Lutheran Central School will be in session on the following days.

- February 15th - (Make-up day for the snow day on January 28th)
- February 22nd - (Make-up day for October 19th. No bus transportation this day)
- April 12th - (Make-up day for the snow day on February 1st)

Earlier this week we were able to complete setup of 35 additional chromebooks, which now provides all of our students access to a chromebook throughout the day. Now that we are able to send chromebooks home with all students who need one, we will be implementing E-Learning days for grades K-8 for any additional school cancellations due to weather. All students who need a device will be able to bring one home with them to use for E-Learning days. This transition to using E-Learning days is also due to the majority of our make-up days already being used. We recognize that in person learning is the most effective means of instruction, however the use of E-Learning days moving forward will allow us to avoid having to make up days after Memorial Day.

Preschool and Kindergarten Open House

The Lutheran Central preschool and kindergarten open houses scheduled for February 21st and February 23rd have been moved to March 7th and March 9th. Open houses for both preschool and kindergarten will be held on Sunday, March 7th at 1:30 P.M., 2:15 P.M., and 3:00 P.M. Additional open house sessions will be held for preschool only on Tuesday, March 9th at 5:30 P.M. and 6:15 P.M. To allow for social distancing there will be a maximum of 6 families per session. Face masks are required for attendance at any of the open house sessions. Each session will last approximately 30 minutes. Interested families may sign up for a session by contacting the school office.

Registration materials will be made available the week of February 22nd. Packets will be sent home with all current 3-year old and 4-year old preschool students. Families that do not have a student currently enrolled in preschool may pick up a packet in the school office. Registration materials will be accepted starting Monday, March 1st.

Changes to Drop-off and Pick-up Traffic Flow

The morning drop-off and afternoon pick-up procedures in the St. Peter's Church parking lot will return to the normal traffic flow. Cars may again access the parking lot by using the drive on the east side of the parking lot and then exit using the drive on the west side of the church.

Moving forward if there are ever orange construction barrels blocking the drive on the east side of the church we will transition to using the alternate traffic flow which is illustrated

in the picture to the right. The alternate traffic pattern requires cars to use the entrance between the church and the new daycare building and then exit the parking lot onto Elm St.

Thank you for your cooperation and patience with these changes!

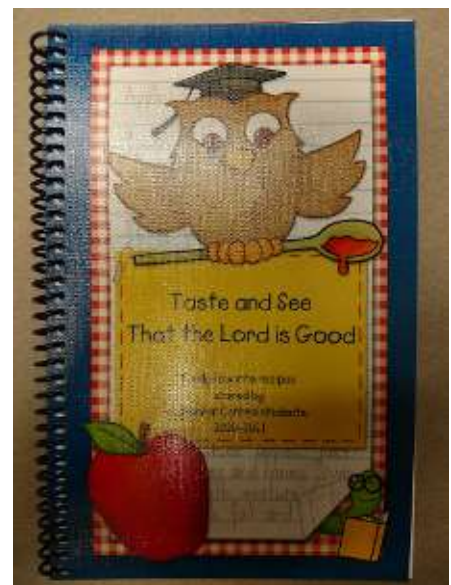
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Extra Cookbooks for Sale!

The Lutheran Central School cookbooks have been delivered. We received 25 extra copies that are now for sale from the school office. The cost is \$15.00 per book. If you would like to order one please contact the school office.



Upcoming Events

Saturday, February 13th

8th grade GBB @ LIT (played at TLHS)

Sunday, February 14th

8th grade GBB @ LIT (played at TLHS)

Monday, February 15th

School in Session (Make-up day for January 28th)

Wednesday, February 17th

Chapel, 8:30 A.M. & 9:05 A.M.

Friday, February 19th

End of Trimester 2

Saturday, February 20th

8th grade BBB @ LIT (played at St. Peter's, Columbus)

Sunday, February 21st

8th grade BBB @ LIT (played at St. Peter's, Columbus)

Monday, February 22nd

School in Session (Make-up day for October 19th)

Chapel, 8:30 A.M. & 9:05 A.M.

Wednesday, February 24th

Picture Retakes and Sports Pictures

