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."

Weekly Reflection

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by Rev. Aaron Fenker

"A witness of His resurrection." (Acts 1:22)

In the Name + of Jesus. Amen. Jesus is Friend of sinners. He wants to bring sinners close to Himself so that He can save them. He wants all men to be saved! That's why Jesus comes! He rejoices to do His Father's will, and His Father's will is that all men be saved and come to a knowledge of the truth.

Judas is proof of this. Judas was a thief. Judas loved money more than Jesus. Jesus let Judas have what he wanted, exactly what Judas wanted, even if that wasn't Jesus. Unconditional love! Jesus put Judas in charge of the money purse. So it's not surprising then that Judas sold his Friend, his Teacher, his Lord and God, for 30 pieces of silver. Judas' god was silver and gold--a dead god. "Those who make them become like them" (Psalm 115:8). So Judas "went out and hanged himself" (Matthew 27:5).

Judas had bad pastors--the priests told him to fix his own sins. But the Lord wants pastors who will preach about how the Lord Himself has taken care of sins, even Judas'. Yours, too--things worth far less than 30 pieces of silver. But Jesus paid for them--blood shed, life given, tomb empty! Jesus died and rose and Matthias was added to preach that message with the Eleven because Matthias was also "a witness of His resurrection."

Jesus is Friend of sinners. He wants to save them. Not just the likes of Matthias in the world--faithful ones. Not just the likes of Peter and the other Eleven. Even the likes of Judas. He loves and dies for those who'd rather have their other gods. Unconditional love! "God is Love" (1 John 4:8). "While we were sinners Christ died for the ungodly" (Romans 5:6).

Jesus wants to be your Friend, your Savior, your Lord and God. He is! Dead God, risen God. For-you God. Jesus brings His salvation to you through your pastor in Baptism, in sermons, in the Supper of Jesus' Body and Blood. In the Name + of Jesus. Amen.

Almighty God, You chose Your servant Matthias to be numbered among the Twelve. Grant that Your Church, ever preserved from false teachers, may be taught and guided by faithful and true pastors; through Jesus Christ, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

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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 March 1st we will be praying for Allison Ritz, Sam Rohr, Allen Roller, Kai and Tatum Romilus, Josie Ross, Paisley Rotert, Chase Schoenherr, Abigail and Allison Schwade, Drew Shelton, Preston Shelton, and Evan and Graham Shoemaker.

School Calendar Changes

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

- April 9th (Make-up day for February 9th)
- April 12th (Make-up day for the snow day on February 1st)

On the original school calendar the dates of March 5th, April 23rd, and May 7th were listed as early dismissal days for grades K-8. **There will be no early dismissals the remainder of this school year.** These three dates will be full days of school for students in grades K-8.

Preschool and Kindergarten Open House

The Lutheran Central preschool and kindergarten open houses have been scheduled for 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 are now available in the school office. Enrollment forms will be accepted starting Monday, March 1st.

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.



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!





Read Across America Week - Dress Up Days

Read Across America Week/Dr. Seuss birthday is next week. All students are invited to participate in the following dress up days throughout the week.

Tuesday Fox in Socks- wear crazy socks

Wednesday- Wacky Wednesday- wear mismatched clothes

Thursday- Green Eggs and Ham- wear green

Friday- Cat in Hat- wear a hat

Trimester 2 Report Cards Issued

Last Friday, February 19 was the end of Trimester 2. Report cards for the second trimester have now been posted in Sycamore. The report cards can be found by going to the document tab in your student's profile and clicking on the document titled "T2_RC_2_26".

Upcoming Events

Friday, February 26th

Trimester 2 Report Cards Issued 8th grade BBB @ Indiana Lutheran State Tournament vs. St. Paul, Ft. Wayne, 5:30 P.M.

Saturday, February 27th

8th grade BBB @ Indiana Lutheran State Tournament

Sunday, February 28th

8th grade BBB @ Indiana Lutheran State Tournament

Monday, March 1st

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

Sunday, March 7th

PK and KG Open House, 1:30, 2:15, & 3:00 P.M.

Tuesday, March 9th

Preschool Open House, 5:30 & 6:15 P.M.

March 15-19

3rd Grade - IREAD Assessment

March 22-26

NO SCHOOL - Spring Break

Friday, April 2nd

Good Friday - No School



SCRIP Order - Friday, March 12th

GET SCRIP!



Orders due Friday, March 12th

Order using the attached form or on ShopWithScrip.com where you can find many more retailers! Payment due with order.















Lutheran Central School

Fill out and return order form and check before the first Friday of each month. Orders will arrive the following week.

Name	Customer #
Check#	Order Date

Product	%	QTY	Total	Product	%	QTY	Total	Product	%	QTY	Total
Amazon.com \$10.00	2.25%		\$	Circle K \$100.00	1.5%		\$	Panera Bread \$5.00	8%		\$
Amazon.com \$100.00	2.25%		\$	Circle K \$25.00	1.5%		\$	Pizza Hut \$10.00	8%		\$
Amazon.com \$25.00	2.25%		\$	Claire's \$10.00	9%		\$	Sam's Club \$10.00	2.5%		\$
Apple Store/Apple.com	5%		\$	Cracker Barrel \$10.00	8%		\$	Sam's Club \$100.00	2.5%		\$
\$15.00 Apple Store/Apple.com	5%		\$	Cracker Barrel \$25.00	8%		\$	Sam's Club \$25.00	2.5%		\$
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Applebee's \$25.00	8%		\$	Dick's Sporting Goods	8%		\$	Shutterfly \$25.00	9%		\$
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Arby's \$10.00	8%		\$	Activation Fee \$50.00	1.25%		3	Staples \$25.00	5%		\$
AutoZone \$25.00	8%		\$	Exxon \$50.00	1%		\$	Starbucks \$10.00	7%		\$
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Best Buy \$25.00	4%		\$	\$15.00 JCPenney \$25.00	5%		\$	Tanger Outlets \$25.00	8%		\$
Bob Evans	10%		\$	Jo-Ann Fabric and Craft	6%		s	Target \$10.00	2.5%		\$
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Cabela's \$25.00	10%		\$	Menards \$25.00	3%		\$	Under Armour \$25.00	11%		\$
Carter's \$25.00	10%		\$	Michaels \$25.00	4%		\$	Visa Gift Card - No	1.25%		\$
Cheddars \$25.00	8%		\$	NOOK by Barnes &	8%		\$	Activation Fee \$100.00 Visa Gift Card - No	1.25%		\$
Cheesecake Factory \$25.00	5%		\$	Noble \$10.00 NOOK by Barnes &	8%		\$	Activation Fee \$50.00			
Children's Place \$25.00	12%		\$	Noble \$25.00				Walgreens \$25.00	5%		\$
Chili's Grill & Bar \$25.00	11%		\$	Old Navy \$25.00	14%		\$	Walmart \$10.00	2.5%		\$
Chili's Grill & Bar \$50.00	11%		s	Olive Garden \$25.00	8%		\$	Walmart \$100.00	2.5%		\$
Chuck E. Cheese's	8%		s	Panera Bread \$10.00	8%		\$	Walmart \$25.00	2.5%		\$
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