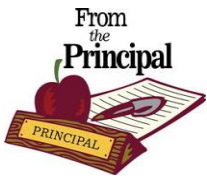


Capitol Courier

Emanuel Lutheran School
March 3, 2023



COURIER Look for our printed and electronic Courier (email) on the last day of each school week (usually on Friday).
□ Make sure Mrs. Olson has your email address, and she will send you the Courier as an attachment each week. The email for Mrs. Olson is info@emanuelfirst.org. All teachers are available after school on most days. Please call ahead for an appointment to make sure we are available.

SCHOOL DROP OFF Just a quick reminder to drop children off from **7:30 -7:55 a.m.** by flag pole doors. School starts at 8 a.m., and it is hard for teachers to begin at that time if students are arriving after 7:55 a.m.

FEVERS Please understand that if your child has a fever in the morning before she/he is to go to school, the child should not be attending school (the child may return after being fever free for 24 hours without medication). Thank you for your cooperation.

School age aftercare reminders: If your child is staying for aftercare, please be sure to send an afternoon snack for your child. Also, please message over the Brightwheel app when you are here to pick up, and we will send your child out the front doors. Thank you.

SNOW DAY PROCEDURES If Emanuel Lutheran needs to close due to a snow situation, the school will post an announcement on the local TV stations. (channels 6, 10, & 47) School parents will get an email, a message on Brightwheel, and posted on Facebook page. Normally, **CHILDCARE WILL BE OPEN AT 7:30AM ON SNOW DAYS** unless conditions are very severe.

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WEDNESDAY MORNING CHAPEL The last half of the year will be used to send aid to the London and United Kingdom Mission. Collection on 03/01 \$105.00 Total \$207.00

DIVINE CALLS: On Sun, Feb 19, the voters assembly unanimously extended a Divine Call to serve as Principal and 6-8 grade teacher to Mr. Adam Bilitz. He currently serves as vice principal teacher at St. Paul Lutheran School in Columbus, OH. The voters assembly also unanimously extended a Divine Call to serve as Early Childhood Ministry Director and Preschool teacher to Mrs. Anna White. She currently serves as director and teacher in the early childhood ministry at Faith Lutheran Church in River Falls, WI. Please keep both of them and in your prayers as they deliberate.

CALL TO TEACH Mrs. Vedder has received a Call to teach First and Second Grades at St. Paul's Lutheran School in Franklin, WI. Please keep Mrs. Vedder in your prayers as she deliberates her two calls to serve: here at Emanuel, and St. Paul's in Franklin.

EFE STUDENT Ben Foster, a member of Emanuel and a student at Martin Luther College, will be here next week for some Early Field Experience. He is going to school to become a staff minister. He will be observing and doing a little teaching in Mrs. Vedder's room. He will also be working with Pastor Lindloff and Pastor Voss.

AMAZON WISH LIST Please check out our Emanuel Parent Facebook page or our Church and School Facebook page for some items that can be donated to our school.

SUNDAY SCHOOL AND BIBLE CLASS Invest an hour of your family's time each Sunday to dive deeper into God's word, both parents and children. During the 9:15am adult class, kids age 4 - pre-confirmation are invited to hear a Bible lesson, enjoy a snack, and spend time in fellowship with other young believers in Christ.

SINGING OPPORTUNITY: The season of Lent begins next week. We will have weekly Lenten services at 3:30 and 6:30 with a meal served in between. K-8 will sing in the 3:30 service next week Wed., March 8.

CAPITOL CHOIR We will sing in the 3:30 Lenten service on Wed., Mar. 15. We will also be serving the meal in between services. Please watch for more information.

COKE REWARDS Just turn in your Coke product caps or codes from the inside of a 12 or 24 pack to the box outside the kitchen. The funds are used for extra-curricular activities, needed classroom supplies, and field trips.

ART SUPPLIES NEEDED: If you have any ideas for Art or would like to donate items, please speak with Sarah Lindloff. Art supplies needed: Sketch pads (each student-55), graphite pencils, cork backed rulers, paint brush variety pack, acrylic paint, paper & canvases, air dried clay, clay tools, art easels.

EASTER FOR KIDS: Easter Sunday is April 9. From 9:00—9:45 am we will have four stations to help children hear the Easter story. These four stations will need a few volunteers to assist telling the Easter story. Pastor Lindloff is gathering materials volunteers can use for this. Please speak with Pastor Lindloff to volunteer or for additional information. Volunteers can arrive earlier in order to participate in the Easter breakfast and some fellowship.

SUMMER CAMPS AT MICHIGAN LUTHERAN SEMINARY IN SAGINAW If you are looking for a summer camp for your child in the areas of **volleyball, basketball, football, or fine arts**, Michigan Lutheran Seminary in Saginaw has opened registration for their summer camps. Look at mlsem.org/future-cardinals/summer-camps for more information.

CAMP LOR-RAY REGISTRATION Parents – Are you looking for a summer camp experience for your children? Camp Lor-Ray, a Lutheran camp on the west side of the state just north of Muskegon, Michigan, has a website, www.camp-lor-ray.org, that you can look at for more information. The camp dates for this year are listed below. 1st-3rd July 5-7. 4th-6th July 9-14. 7th-9th July 16-21. By the way, they do also have family camp sites for rent. Rates are 1st-3rd \$199 (\$175 Early Bird) 4th-6th and 7th-9th \$299 (\$275 Early Bird) Register before April 15th to secure Early Bird discount. (Discounts also available to families with multiple campers)

TODDLER AND PRESCHOOL NEWS

Toddler families-

Your toddler will have fun celebrating March Reading month, and to help celebrate, your child may bring in their favorite book to be read to the class. Please send it along with a Brightwheel message to staff letting them know to be on the lookout and to send it safely back home. Thank you!

Preschool families-

Dr. Suess Week is as follows.....

Monday-wear something red or blue.

Tuesday-Wear stripes and/or your favorite hat.

Wed-Wacky Wednesday.

Th-Wear something green.

Fri-College shirt or hat day.

To help the class celebrate reading we would like to invite families to come in and read to your child's class. If this is something you would like to participate in, please let Miss Michelle or Miss Liz know and we can schedule a time that works for you and the class. With the half day program suggested time frame would be between 8:30a.m-11:00 a.m. and 12:30-1:00 p.m.

KINDERGARTEN AND FIRST NEWS

Kindergarten - Reading: Letter K WORD: little, said

How trees grow

MATH: Geometry

FIRST GRADE- SPELLING WORDS: *find, kind, night, right, by, my, low, boat, never, head,*

Math: ones and tens

READING MONTH: March is Reading Month. Grades K-3 would LOVE to have visitors come and read to us. Please contact Mrs. Lindloff or Mrs. Vedder if you have questions or would like to come in to read.

GRADES 2-3 NEWS

2nd GRADE SPELLING WORDS *soil, broil, moist, point, boil, oil, toy, joy, soy, royal, crown, house, pulled, travel, voice.*

READING MONTH: March is Reading Month. Grades K-3 would LOVE to have visitors come and read to us. Please contact Mrs. Lindloff or Mrs. Vedder if you have questions or would like to come in to read.

MLS PLAY: Friday, March 10. Children and drivers need to be at school at 7:30 a.m. so that we can get the children organized to leave at 7:45 a.m. A note was sent home earlier this week.

GRADES 4-5 NEWS

Mon., 03/06 4-6th Spelling Pretest pg. 147; 4-5th Science Lab

Tue., 03/07

Wed., 03/08 Chapel and Lenten Service sing 3:30 p.m.

Thu., 03/09

Fri., 03/10 MLS play and behavior party!

MLS PLAY: Friday, March 10. Children and drivers need to be at school at 7:30 a.m. so that we can get the children organized to leave at 7:45 a.m.

GRADES 6-8 NEWS

Mon., 03/06 Spelling Pretest

Tue., 03/07

Wed., 03/08 Chapel and Lent Service sing 3:30

Thu., 03/09

Fri., 03/10 7/8 Final Spelling Test; MLS play and behavior party

MLS PLAY: Friday, March 10. Children and drivers need to be at school at 7:30 a.m. so that we can get the children organized to leave at 7:45 a.m.

LOOKING AHEAD

Saturday, 03/04 MLS Fine Arts Fair 8-3p.m.

Tuesday, 03/07 Volleyball Prac. 3:15-5 p.m.

Wednesday, 03/08 K-8 sing 3:30 p.m. Church

Thursday, 03/09 Volleyball Prac. 3:15-5 p.m.

Friday, 03/10 2-8th MLS play, Hot Dog Lunch

Wednesday, 03/15 Capitol Choir Sing 3:30 p.m. Church