



**January 11<sup>th</sup>, 2024**

**Mission Statement** St. Peter Lutheran School exists to help parents bring up their children in the training and instruction of the Lord, to provide academic excellence using God’s Word, and to share the Gospel of Christ with the world.

<b><u>Church Singing:</u></b>		
<b>Sunday, January 21<sup>st</sup></b>	<b>Grs K-8</b>	<b>10:30am</b>

**How can we raise a generation that cherishes life?**

This is a struggle for the Christian as the world sees life differently. Our children live in a world in which life so often has no meaning or no value. All life is valuable and precious. How is it possible to share that with our children? It comes down to one word – Scripture. Read the article at this link ([Forward in Christ](#)) to get ideas you can use in guiding your children to cherishing human life.

**End of Quarter 2**

Friday brings a close to the second quarter of the 23/24 school year. Please remember that 3<sup>rd</sup> quarter tuition payments are due by the start of quarter 3 (Monday, January 15, 2024). Report cards will be sent home Thursday, January 18. Please ask your child for his/her grades report. In each report card you should find a consultation slip indicating the date and time your child’s teacher has you scheduled.

**Flock Shirts:** Please have your children wear their flock t-shirts Friday, January 12<sup>th</sup> to Flock Night

**Waupaca Bus riders:** There will be no Waupaca Bus on Monday, January 15<sup>th</sup> and Monday, January 22<sup>nd</sup>. Parents are responsible for transporting their children to and from school on those days.

**Lost and Found:** There was a Nintendo Switch game found in the Narthex. If it is your child’s please call the school office to claim it. We will not send it home with any child without a parent’s phone call.

**F.A.C.E. SOUP & CHILI COOK-OFF:** Friends Assisting Christian Education is sponsoring a Soup/Chili Cook-Off on Sunday, January 28<sup>th</sup> in the Commons right after the 10:30 church service. Bring your best batch of soup or chili for a chance to win the Golden Ladle! Even if you don’t enter, come taste, vote, and enjoy fellowship with others. Drinks and fixings will be provided. Please sign up in the Narthex or the office by January 22<sup>nd</sup> if you would like to participate.

## *Classroom News:*

### **Mr. Miller's Classes:**

Grades 5-6 will have a review on Catechism lessons from quarter 2 of this year. The review will consist of working with questions on previous topics and writing answers to them in a proper manner. Some students need a refresher course on sentence structure, penmanship, and thoughtfully worded answers.

**4K News:** Our Bible story this week was Jesus is Baptized. He set an example for us to be baptized into God's Family. We finished up our reading unit of Jingles, Rhymes and Poems. We are talking about snow, and made a melted snowman. We told how our snowman melted. We will bring some snow into school to melt and see what is inside the snow. Please keep working with your child so they can be independent when putting on their snow clothes. We want to play outside and not spend our entire recess getting ready to go outside.

**Kindergarten News:** Kindergarten is finishing up with their study of Goldfish and Guppies. While I always have a huge amount of guppies, they currently have a permanent tank to suffice their care year round. Unfortunately, I do not have the space to keep goldfish too. I have one goldfish from last year that is not super friendly with little fish. If you are interested in having a new fish pet at your home, please let me know and I would be happy to provide a couple for you. Thank you!

### **1<sup>st</sup> Grade News:**

**Reading Calendar** – Hand in January 31<sup>st</sup> to receive points towards the Fang Reading Program. They can hand in when done and not wait until the 31<sup>st</sup>.

**January Book Report** – Hand in January 31<sup>st</sup> to receive a grade and points for the Fang Reading Program.

**Sing in Church** – Sunday, January 21<sup>st</sup> at the 10:30 service. This is the Christian Education Service.

**Tickets** – Tickets for Jan. 12 home games are in your child's EVERY day folder.

**7<sup>th</sup> and 8<sup>th</sup> Grade News:** This week students began Math iReady. Some students are finishing up and others are still working hard. In Christlight we are studying the gospel of John and Jesus' miracles. We also were blessed to do a teambuilding activity called the blind maze. Ask your students about this! Thank you Mr. Carson for facilitating this! Next week we will finish iReady math and ELA we will discuss the results of these at parent/teacher conferences.