

# April 18th, 2024

#### **Mission Statement**

St. Peter Lutheran School assists parents with raising their children in the training and instruction of the Lord (Ephesians 6:1-4), providing academic excellence using God's Word (I Corinthians 10:31), and sharing the Gospel of Christ with the world (Matthew 28:19).

# **Church Singing:**

Sunday, April 21 <sup>st</sup>	Grades 5-8	8:00am
Sunday, April 28th	<b>Grades 4K-K</b>	8:00am
Sunday, May 5 <sup>th</sup>	Grades 1-4	10:30am
Wednesday, May 22 <sup>nd</sup>	<b>Grades K-8</b>	6:00pm

#### God - Light - Fellowship

The class clown gets all the laughs and also the attention of others. The one who does not raise his/her hand and just blurts out responses gets the attention of the others. It is tempting to follow the actions of others even when the actions are not positive in nature. The family devotion linked at <a href="Walk Straight!">Walk Straight!</a> uses scripture to address the command of following Jesus and doing right even when others may be doing 'wrong.' You are invited to use this scripture meditation with you children.

#### **Kindergarten Teacher**

This past Thursday, St. Peter voters called Rebekah Bazaire to be our next Kindergarten teacher. She is currently our 4K teacher, teacher's aide, and Jr. Handbell director. She has also served as our remedial teacher before this school year. Please keep her and her family in your prayers as she deliberates the call the Holy Spirit has placed before her.

#### **Open House**

On Thursday, April 25, at 5:30 pm, there will be an Open House for all families considering sending their children to our 3K or 4K programs this fall. Information will be given regarding the expansion of the current programs as well as costs and logistics regarding the building program. Steeping Stones early childhood director, Mrs. Lindsay Voeltner, will be presenting.

#### **Weymont Food Pantry Challenge**

Keep those donations coming! Here are the results from April 1-12.

1st grade is in first place with 2.64 items per student. Second place is Preschool with 2.1 items per student. Third place is 2nd grade with 1.7 items per student. Donations will be collected until April 30<sup>th</sup>!

**SPRING PIANO RECITAL**: Fill your afternoon with music performed by students from St. Peter! On Sunday, April 28, join us in the church sanctuary to hear students from various grades play all sorts of piano pieces: hymns, theme songs, classical works, original compositions, and more. The recital begins at 2:00 with light refreshments to follow in the narthex. Come hear what these musicians have accomplished this year!

**Story Hour for this Saturday is cancelled.** It seems to be a busy weekend for many people. We look forward to seeing you in the fall!

**Family Fun Night:** On May 3rd starting at 5:30 pm, we will be having our final family fun night of the year. We want to kick off our final steps to summer with an indoor movie night! We will be projected on the big screen, "Willy Wonka and the Chocolate Factory." Be on the lookout next week for information coming home with your child!

## Classroom News:

#### Mr. Miller's Classes

Grade 8 Math started the unit on the Pythagorean Theorem in great fashion. Then we got away from the details of showing work. We'll recover! Catechism 5-6 completed their study on baptism and will now begin a short unit on the Use of the Keys (power and right to forgive sins or to refuse to forgive sins) and Confession (admitting wrong). Grades 3-4 Art will be dabbling in watercolor to create 'Doodle Birds.'

**3K News:** This week we wrapped up our big ocean unit. We have spent our time learning about the ocean and different animals that live there. What an amazing creation of God! We are on to butterflies! Our caterpillars come next week and we will watch them change.

**4K News:** This week our Bible stories were Zacchaeus and The Good Samaritan. We talked about helping people even if we don't know them. We are talking about rhyming, sequencing, and drawing shapes in reading. Our letter this week was X and we made an x-ray and a xylophone. We did a number 10 find page. We are talking about plants and will be planting seeds next week to see what we can grow.

**Kindergarten:** Kindergarten- Thank you parents for working with your children on memory work and reading practice. Please keep working with them. Tomorrow's passage is Psalm 119:105. Next week: Proverbs 3:5

### **Important Dates:**

3K & 4K Open House: Thursday, April 25th at 5:30pm

**Waupaca Bus Riders:** No Waupaca Bus on Friday, April 26<sup>th</sup>. Parents will need to transport their children to and from school.

Family Fun Night: May 3<sup>rd</sup> @ 5:30pm

May 14th: 4K visits the Kindergarten room!

Kindergarten students: No School May 14th –Kindergarten ONLY.