

St. Paul's School News

December 9, 2024

December Upcoming Events

- Dec. 12th - Delegation Singers @ 10:30a.m.
- Dec. 13th - 1st - 5th Grade Christmas Program Practice
- Dec. 14th- PreSchool- Kindergarten Program Practice
- Dec. 15th - Christmas Program
- Dec. 18th-Kdg Class Chapel/ PreK Christmas Parties
- Dec. 19th Pre-School Christmas Parties
- Dec. 20th - Jesus Birthday Party/Early Dismissal

Prayer Families

In our prayers this week, we remember the following school families:

**Miss Leseberg & Family
and Corey & Alyssa
Lieneman**

CHAPEL OFFERINGS FOR NOVEMBER/DECEMBER

We will be designating our offerings from November & December to the Sertoma Clubs renovation of the Astro Park. As our students, school and childcare utilize this park we want to assist with the park update.

Our Current total is: [\\$159.31](#)

SCRIPT CARDS

Giving gift cards for Christmas this year? Order your gift cards through our St. Paul's Lutheran School "Scrip Card" program and our school automatically gets money in return at no extra cost to you! Order forms are located in the church, church office, school office and on the school's website. Orders will be placed November 26th and December 13th. Order forms with payment can be turned in to the church or school office.

CHRISTMAS SINGERS

This Thursday, December 12th @ 10:30 a.m. Delegation Singers from Beatrice Middle School will be coming to sing for us.

CHARACTER EDUCATION

Our Character Education word for this month is "INITIATIVE" and the bible verse is Philemon 1:6. Kanon Oden, Liberty Oltmans and Deni Ivey were our winners for "Citizenship". Congratulations!

ADVENT

Advent began this past Sunday, December 1st. We will have the opportunity to prepare ourselves for Christmas by attending the midweek Advent services: December 11th and December 18th. There will be one service @5:30 p.m. A meal will be served in the church basement each Wednesday from 6:30-7:30 p.m. as well. Plan now to worship on these Wednesday evenings.

CHRISTMAS PROGRAM

St. Paul's Christmas Service will be on December 15th at 3 and 5 p.m. Practice for 1st-5th Grades will be on Friday, December 13th at the church. Please drop your child off at the church that morning at the regular drop off time. A bus will return us to school before lunch.

Practice for Preschool, Pre-K and Kindergarten will be on Saturday, December 14th @ 9:30 a.m. for the 3:00 service and 10:00 a.m. for the 5:00 Service.

On Sunday, Preschool, Pre-K, and Kindergarten students will sit with their parents and come up to sing after the offering. 1st - 5th grade students should report to the church basement by 2:45 for the 3:00 program or 4:45 for the 5:00 program to get on costumes & line up.

KINDERGARTEN CLASS CHAPEL

The Kindergarten class will present chapel on Wednesday, December 18th @ 8:20 a.m. in the gym. Parents and Grandparents are welcome to attend.

JESUS' BIRTHDAY PARTY

We will celebrate Jesus' Birthday @ 10:30 a.m. in the gymnasium on Friday, December 20th. Parents are welcome to join us. Class parties will be held before or after, your child's teacher will let you know details.

NEW YEAR'S FAMILY CELEBRATION

Please mark your calendars now and plan to join us on Friday, January 3rd from 5:30 p.m. - 7:30 p.m. as we celebrate New Year's with our school family. We will have bounce houses, piñatas, games, a face painter, and food for everyone to enjoy. Free family fun for everyone!

CHRISTMAS VACATION

Christmas Vacation for students in K-5 begins with the dismissal of class at 11:45 a.m. on Friday, December 20th. Classes will resume again on Monday, January 6th at regular time. The last class before Christmas for Pre-School students is Thursday, December 19th and class will resume again on Tuesday, January 7th at regular times. The last class before Christmas for Pre-Kindergarten students is Wednesday, December 18th and class will resume again on Monday, January 6th at regular times.

SCHOOL COLLECTIONS

Russ's Market cash register receipts update:
Our current total is \$150,061.88.

Other items you can collect to support our school:
Box Tops for Education (must be submitted electronically); Best Choice, Our Family Labels and Tyson A+ Labels.
All these collections can be submitted to the school office, and we thank you for helping to support our school!

In Christ,
Amy Duever