



MARCH 19, 2024

ST. PAUL'S SCHOOL SCOOP

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SCHOOL CALENDAR

SINGING CALENDAR

MARCH HOT LUNCH

APRIL HOT LUNCH

IMPORTANT INFO

PARENT HANDBOOK

SCRIP

SCHOOL WEBSITE

CLASSROOM PICS

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4K

5K

1ST

2ND

3RD & 4TH

5TH & 6TH

7TH & 8TH

SPORTS

**DEVOTED
DISCIPLES**
2023-2024 THEME

VERSE OF THE DAY!

YOUR WORD IS A LAMP FOR MY FEET,
A LIGHT ON MY PATH.

PSALM 119:105



LANCER PASSPORTS

If there are any 5th-8th grade students who have a Lancer Passport that should be turned in, please do so as soon as possible so Mr. Holper, recruitment director from Manitowoc Lutheran High School, can process them. Thanks for your assistance!



ACADEMIC FAIR

All parents of students in grades 5-8 should have received an email from Mr. Wieting on Monday, March 18, which invited the students to participate in a variety of different activities at MLHS's Academic Fair on Saturday, April 13. Please strongly consider these opportunities to showcase your students' gifts and let Mr. Wieting know your intent to participate by Friday, March 22. Thanks for your consideration!



5TH-8TH FORENSICS

This week, Thursday, March 21 (6:30-8:30 pm), is the St. Paul's Forensics Night for all 5th-8th graders. Please have your student dress nicely for this event. When you arrive at school, you will see which classroom your student will go to first, where they will give their first of two rounds of presentations. Please arrive by 6:15 pm so that your student can get comfortable and set up in their room in order to begin promptly at 6:30 pm.

Once the presentations begin, we ask that no one enters or leaves during the presentations. Please silence phones and create a quiet atmosphere for our presenters. They have worked incredibly hard preparing for this. Also, due to the gym and classrooms being used for this event, they will be unavailable. Finally, please consider other options for younger children.

After the first round of presentations, the students will shift to a different room for the second round starting at 7:15 pm. Following the second round, everyone is invited to join in the gym for light refreshments. At 8:30 pm, there will be a brief awards ceremony in the gym that will announce the results of the students' hard work. We look forward to seeing you all!

If your student (6th-8th grade only) would like to present their Forensics piece at the MLHS Academic Fair (Saturday, April 13), please let Mr. Wieting know before March 22, and he will sign your student up. Please provide your student's name, Forensics category, and the name of the piece. Thanks again for your help!



St. Paul's Misson:

Partnering with parents in our congregation and community to shine Christ's light on children's lives.

REPORT CARDS

Report cards for the 3rd Quarter are coming home this Wednesday. Please be sure to sign and return the report card envelope. If you have any questions on the report, please be sure to reach out to your student's classroom teacher.

CALL UPDATE

On February 28, St. Paul's Lutheran Church and School issued a divine call to Mrs. Jennifer Hacker to be our 3rd-4th grade teacher. Please keep Mrs. Hacker in your prayers as she deliberates.

CHAPEL INVITATION

St. Paul's student body gathers each morning Monday through Thursday for chapel. Parents are invited to attend any and all chapel services they would like. We love having guests for worship! Chapel begins each morning at 8:05 am. Our chapel offerings for the second semester will go to the MLHS Shining Through Christ Service Group.

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[CLICK HERE TO ACCESS THE 2024-2025 SCHOOL CALENDAR](#)

HOLY WEEK DEVOTIONS

Each year, our WELS college of ministry, Martin Luther College, produces devotions for certain times of the year. This month special devotions for Holy Week, entitled "The Savior We Need", can be found by clicking the link below.

[CLICK HERE TO ACCESS THE HOLY WEEK DEVOTIONS](#)



SUMMER SCHOOL

Summer school is once again being offered through the Howards Grove School District. Please take a look at the PDF that outlines the details.

[CLICK HERE TO ACCESS FLYER!](#)

MLHS MUSIC FESTIVAL

The MLHS music festival will be held on Friday, April 12. This is a competition format, with rating for the performers. The competition is in the afternoon and evening. Each entry receives their own performance time. Our Junior Choir (grades 5-8) will be participating in this event. Also, students in grades 4-8 have the opportunity to perform piano, instrumental, or vocal solos, duets, or ensembles. The information for all of the band students has been shared with me. Also, Mrs. Phelps has let me know which piano students have shown an interest in participating. If you would like your child to be a part of this judged competition, please let me know by Friday, March 22. I will be sending out an email on Wednesday to those that are eligible to participate, confirming the information I have received so far. If you have any questions, please contact Mrs. Johnson directly.
dawn.johnson@stpaulshowardsgrove.org
612-644-7225

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PINECAR DERBY

The Pine Car Races are this Sunday at 1pm in the gym at St. Paul's Howards Grove. Please have your car at the registration table by 12:45 pm.

Mr. Heilman is looking for a couple of people to help set up the track on Saturday, the time of which will be determined by the helpers. Please text Mr. Heilman at 920-698-1654 or let me know in person.



FLEX CLASSES

We are currently working hard on our next round of FLEX classes! Right now we have:

- STEM**
- Critical Thinking**
- Woodworking**
- Agriculture**
- Guitar Lessons**

Pastor Kock is teaching our guitar lessons! He is looking for a few more guitars to borrow so all kids are able to use one. Please contact the office if you have a guitar that you are willing to share!

GOOD FRIDAY (1ST-8TH)

There are two opportunities for worship on Good Friday (Friday, March 29). Worship times are 1:00 pm and 6:30 pm. All students in grades 1-8 will be singing at our 1:00 pm service. Students can be picked up from the classroom by parents any time after 12:30 pm to go to worship. Students who do not have parents to sit with at worship will sit with their classroom teacher. All students should be picked up by 2:00 pm when worship is over.

Lunch will be served. However, there is no busing or aftercare offered on Good Friday.

GOOD FRIDAY 3K-KINDERGARTEN

Plan Ahead: Friday, March 29, is Good Friday. St. Paul's offers a mid-day church service at 1:00 PM. All Early Childhood students who are normally half day will get picked up at their normal time (11:30 AM). Anyone needing care for their child until the 1:00 PM service will need to pick their child up in the classroom by 12:30 PM. Hot lunch will be available. All aftercare services will end at 12:30 PM that day.

ST. PAUL'S WOMEN'S RETREAT

Registration is now open for the April 20th Women's Retreat. Mel Kreuser will be presenting on the theme Sisters in Christ: God Created Us for Relationship + Great Things. The retreat will run from 9:00 AM - 12:00 PM and will cost \$10. You can pick up a registration form in the narthex or click on the link below to register. Childcare will be provided. There is more information on the registration form and on posters throughout the building.

If you have questions, you can email them to womens.ministry@stpaulshowardsgrove.org.

[CLICK HERE FOR THE REGISTRATION LINK](#)



FORENSICS NIGHT
THURSDAY, MARCH 21ST
@ 6:30PM



PINE CAR DERBY RACES
SUNDAY, MARCH 24TH
@ 1PM

EASTER EGG HUNT
SATURDAY, MARCH
30TH @ 9:30AM



HOLY WEEK WORSHIP SCHEDULE:

March 28th
Maundy Thursday Worship @ 6:30pm

March 29th
Good Friday Worship
1:00pm (1st-8th Sing)
6:30pm

Sunday March 31st
6:30am Sunrise Worship
8am & 9:30am Festival Easter Worship



EASTER BREAK
NO SCHOOL
MONDAY, APRIL 1ST-
FRIDAY APRIL 5TH