



Wednesday

News



FIRST LUTHERAN
SCHOOL

Wednesday, March 17, 2021

2020-2021 School Theme:

"Rejoice, be Glad, this is the day the LORD has made." Psalm 118:24

<u>Principal's Message</u>	<u>This Week at a Glance</u>
<p>We are looking forward to some special events in the next few weeks. There are the K Museum Day, beginning of spring, Easter Special Meal, Easter Egg Hunt, Palm Sunday, Spring Break, Maundy Thursday, Good Friday, and Easter Sunday. Plan to enjoy these events. They involve Christian contact with people and the Lord. Through them He blesses us. Amid the struggles of life, we will stay connected to Jesus.</p>	<p>Fri., March 19: Jimmy John's Thurs., March 25: Easter Special Meal Friday, March 26: No Bus Service, end of 3rd quarter Monday, March 29 - Monday, April 5: NO SCHOOL - Spring Break Tuesday, April 6: School Resumes</p>

<u>School News</u>		
<p><u>DONATIONS FOR ROBOTICS</u> Thank you to two generous grandparent families for donating to Robotics to cover the additional fees for the students advancement to State. You are appreciated!</p> <p><u>SPECIAL MEAL</u> Our Easter Special Meal will be held on Thursday, March 25th. If you would be willing and able to help that morning, please contact the office. Please remember to bring a lunch that day if you did not sign up for Easter meal.</p>	<p><u>FORENSICS</u> The forensics event usually held by our conference of schools has been canceled, however we will have forensics here for students in grades 5-8. We will practice on Mondays in March from 2:45pm-3:45pm.</p> <p><u>FLS SOCIAL STUDIES FAIR</u> The FLS Academic Fair this year will focus on social studies. The date will be Friday, April 9 between 6:00 and 7:00. Packets of information were sent home.</p> <p><u>DRIVE THRU EASTER EGG HUNT</u> First Lutheran Church is hosting a Drive thru Easter Egg Hunt on Saturday, March 27 from 10-noon. More information can be found in our post on our Facebook page. Please share this event with family and friends!</p>	<p><u>SCHOLASTIC BOOK FAIR</u> Thank you to everyone who visited and/or supported the book fair last week. From the sales, the school earned over \$900 in Scholastic Dollars to be used for purchasing needed reference materials and classroom library needs!</p> <p><u>ROBOTICS</u> Congratulations to team 415D, which includes Ashley N, Kendall A., and Olivia J.. At the state tournament on Sunday at FVL in Appleton, they were invited to advance to the World Championship. While their point total did not earn them this honor, it was their journal and interviews that were outstanding. Thank you to all four teams for representing our school so well this season. Much of the credit also goes to the coaches and the parents who trained these students.</p>

First Lutheran Athletics

SCHOOL T-SHIRTS

We have extra school t-shirts available. Please contact the office if interested - hopefully we have your size! The cost of a shirt is \$10.

Look cool and show off your school! Order your First Lutheran School Gear and athletic Badger logo from MyLocker. We receive a commission on sales.

<https://www.spiritshop.com/school/wisconsin/elkhorn/first-lutheran-school>

Also available - if you have a specific item(s) you would like embroidered, our school logo is available at a local embroidery shop. Contact the office if you are interested in this option.

EXTRA-CURRICULARS

PIANO

If you have any questions, contact Mrs. Trista Heuer at 920-222-1510 or tsheuer@gmail.com

HANDBELLS

During Lent the students in each classroom will be learning to play some handbell music. This will serve to enhance the worship in our evening services. Mrs. Rachel Nolte will be our director. These services will be livestreamed for our members who are worshipping from home. Although the children will be on social media when they play, we will not be revealing their identity plus they will be in masks.

How Can I Help My School?

To help with non-budgeted expenses, First Lutheran School participates in a variety of ways to raise funds:

Same Amazon items - but we get a percentage of the sale! **Last quarter the school earned \$47.99!**

amazon smile

You shop. Amazon gives.

Shop through this link:

<https://smile.amazon.com/ch/39-1135363>



Frank's
piggly wiggly.

Receipts - we are collecting 1st quarter 2021 receipts.

Scan your receipts using the app! Or, send your receipts to the office!



ShopWithScrip®

Many cards are available in the office, you can place an order through the office or online. Our Enrollment code is 6AB68DC923349



Donate your points to First Lutheran School for us to qualify for grants!

Please contact the office with questions.

Your support is appreciated!

Wrap-Around Care

Director: Mrs. Sandy Christian

Hours: 6:30-7:20 a.m. and 10:45-6:00 p.m.

Contact: 262-949-5094 or sjchristian60@gmail.com

Please note!

- A reminder to send an extra after-school snack or juice drink along for your child if they would like one.

FRIDAY LUNCH

This week Friday we will be offering Jimmy John's for lunch. Order forms are coming home today and are due to your child's teacher by **noon** on Thursday. Late orders cannot be accepted. Please review the order form coming home. Sandwiches come as listed - no additions or subtractions can be made. Please circle the sandwich you wish to order. Please circle potato chips on the form if you would like potato chips with your sandwich. Please indicate on the bottom of the form your payment method - cash/check or student account. Please make checks payable to "First Lutheran School."

Classroom News

Mrs. Kuehl: 4K

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none">• There will be no Show and Tell this week. The Kindergartners will be sharing special items with us.• In our Bible lesson this week we walked with Jesus as He made His way to the cross on our behalf. What wondrous love He has for us!• Please continue to encourage your children to be self-sufficient in getting their own things from their backpacks to the classroom in the morning. Children should also be remembering to visit the bathroom before coming into the classroom each morning.• Next Thursday is our special Easter meal. If your 4K child has signed up, they may be picked up at NOON instead of 10:45 that day. | <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Thank you for your prayers and support. If you have any questions or concerns, the best way to reach me is to text 262-374-9254. Please leave your name and a short message. I will get back to you as soon as I am able. (It will likely not be during school hours.)• With warmer temperatures the need for snowpants is diminishing. However, with muddy conditions, boots or a change of shoes that the children can handle by themselves is required for outdoor play. Remember to include an extra outfit in case of an emergency...• Watch folders for any additional items. |
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Mrs. Kuehl: Kindergarten

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none">• For Show N' Tell this week, the 5K children will be hosting some of the school children as well as their own parents/grandparents as they walk them through our Museum Day display!• Continue to watch folders for additional information as well as items for study and review.• The next update (yellow sheet) for the Social Studies Fair is due this Friday, March 19th. It can be handed in earlier than that if you would like. God's blessings as you continue to work on this special project for the fair coming up in April!• This week we are walking with Jesus as He journeyed to the cross on our behalf-all this He did for us! What wondrous Love He showed!• We have been spending time using Judy clocks to understand and compare simple analog and digital times. | <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Please remember to encourage a trip to the bathroom before your child enters the classroom in the morning.• With the warmer temperatures, snow pants will not be required. However, a change of footwear will be required for outside play until the danger of mud has passed. Please remember that tennis shoes must be worn every day for inside running, exercise, and gym play.• Thank you for your prayers and support. If you have questions or concerns, the best way to reach me is to text 262-374-9254. Leave your name and a short message, and I will get back to you as soon as possible. (It will likely not be during school hours.) |
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Mrs. Szmanda: Grades 1-2

- Our lessons this week are Jesus is Crucified and Our Savior Dies. Jesus let himself suffer and die to finish his work of salvation. There is nothing we can do, or need to do, to earn our salvation.
- We have spent some time learning about the history and legends of St. Patrick through books, videos, and projects. We are especially looking at the use of the shamrock to show the three persons of the Trinity.



- Next week we will spend time on various Easter and egg-related reading, writing, and math. We will also do a woodworking project and learn about Cascarones.
- We continue work on our Social Studies Fair research projects. The report should be finished this week so you can work on a display. Finished projects will be due April 7.
- A reminder that we will be playing handbells in church on Wednesday, March 24. Students should meet in the front of church by 6:00 p.m.

Miss Buelow: Grades 3-4

- Group A will have SHARE this week.
- March's book report is due next Friday, March 26th.

- Thank you for keeping on schedule for your social studies fair projects.
- If you have any questions, I can be reached at 414-550-7304 or missbuelow@firstatthecross.com

Mr. Glodowski: Grades 5-6

- We are beginning the petitions of the Lord's prayer in Catechism.
- We are reading the nonfiction book 'Bomb' which is a detailed story of the circumstances surrounding the building of the first atomic bomb.

- We are currently studying the different areas of Africa.
- We are starting the actual writing of our social studies fair research paper tomorrow.
- If you need anything, please contact me using text, call, or email. (608) 712-7759 mrglodowski@firstatthecross.com.

Mr. Falk: Grades 7-8

- Mrs. Pam Brudos subbed in our class Monday and Tuesday so I could take time for some online training to prepare for the Choice Program.
- In literature we are starting a new novel called *Sing Down the Moon* by Scott O'Dell. It is a Newbery Honor Book about a Navajo girl who is captured by Spaniards.

- After we finished the book *Sign of the Beaver*, the students used their composition skills to write a short sequel in English class.
- The students have been and will be given time in class to work on research and to write the report for their social studies fair project. The display material and the tri-fold board would be completed at home.