

GROW in GRACE
& KNOWLEDGE
of OUR SAVIOR
2nd Peter 3:18

Wednesday

News



FIRST LUTHERAN
SCHOOL



Wednesday, November 17, 2021

Principal's Message

Are your calendars full? Most of ours are. We constantly look ahead to coming events, appointments, deadlines, children's activities, etc. Here is a comforting future event: You are going to rest, completely, some day. Jesus is coming. The pressure will be gone; problems will evaporate. In addition, your close relationships will be even stronger, with other Christians, and especially with your Lord. In the meantime, keep on serving.

This Week at a Glance

Thurs., Nov. 18: Thanksgiving Special Meal
Fri., Nov. 19: Grades 5-8 visit Wisconsin Lutheran Seminary in Mequon and tour Holy Hill Cousins lunch
Mon., Nov. 22: Kindergarten "Turkey Walk"
Wed. - Fri., Nov. 24-26: NO SCHOOL - Thanksgiving Break
Wed., Dec. 1: Toddler Open Gym - 9-10:30 a.m.
Mon., Dec. 6: No Bus Service
Sat., Dec. 11: Children's Christmas Service Practice - 9 - 10:30 a.m.

School News

THANKS & GIVING FESTIVAL

Thank you to everyone who attended! We hope you had a great time! Through the silent auction, ticket sales, and direct donations, \$2,269.00 was given to VIP Services, Inc. Thank you for giving!

PARENT/TEACHER CONFERENCES

Thank you, parents, for taking the time to speak with your child's teacher on Monday. A strong relationship between the school and parents is vital to student success.

DECEMBER CALENDAR

The December school calendar will come home on Tuesday, November 30th.

WEDNESDAY NEWS

Please note that there will not be a Wednesday News coming home next week because of the short week. Please see the calendar above for important dates to note for the next two weeks.

THANKSGIVING SPECIAL MEAL

Our first special meal will be tomorrow Thursday, November 18. If anyone would care to help with preparation and serving, please contact the office. Please remember to send a lunch with your child if they did not sign up for the meal.

4K & KINDERGARTEN CLASSROOM "FEEDS THE TURKEY!"

The entire school is invited to help our classroom collect non-perishable food items for the 5K children to deliver to the Elkhorn Food Pantry on Monday, November 22nd. The final day for bringing donations will be Friday, November 19th, so that the items can be packed up for transport. Thank you in advance for your help!

MISSIONS

Our students brought offerings totalling \$317.50 in the 1st quarter to give to Synod's Christian Aid and Relief Fund. The 2nd quarter mission is:

SCHOOL CHOICE FAMILIES

In case you want to attend the school board meeting at SLHS, it will be held on December 13 at 7:30.

First Lutheran Athletics

EXTRA-CURRICULARS

How Can I Help My School?

ATHLETIC CALENDAR

The school athletic calendar is a Google Calendar. You can access up to date information through our website- click on school - athletics - athletic calendar. Or, if you already use a Google calendar on your phone or computer, please sync the calendar *FLS Athletics* to yours. If you have questions, please contact the office.

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>

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

SCHOOL T-SHIRTS

We placed an additional order of school t-shirts. We have a few extra in the office if you may be interested. Hopefully we have your size! The cost of each t-shirt is \$10.

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

BAND

Please contact Keith Wordell for any band questions
wordellk@slhs.us

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!
Shop through


You shop. Amazon gives.

this link:

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



Frank's
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We are now collecting 4th quarter 2021 receipts.

Scan your receipts using the app!



ShopWithScrip[®]

Many cards are available in the office, you can place an order through the office or online. Please contact the office for our Enrollment code.

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

WEB: firstelkhorn.com/school

Reminder: Each student should bring their own water bottle daily.

Parents: Billing for 2-day wk. of Mon. 11/22 will be included w/wk. of Mon. 11/29 on Mon. 12/6 statement.

FRIDAY LUNCH

Cousins Subs are available for lunch this Friday. A form is coming home today and must be returned by **noon** on Thursday. No late orders can be accepted. Please be sure to circle the size sub you would like, along with your meat/veggie choice. If you do not care for lettuce or tomato, please indicate that on the form. Please also circle on 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">● For Show and Tell on Friday, please bring an item or picture of something for which you thank God often!● We have just 2 more days to “Feed the Turkey” in our classroom as we collect non-perishable food and other items for the Elkhorn Food Pantry! Thank you very much to everyone who has already donated to our cause!● We have been using some of the items collected in our Math Market in a grocery store type setting as we match coins one-to-one with items we are “buying”!● Tomorrow is our special Thanksgiving meal at school. Those 4K children who are participating and are not going to Wrap Around Care may be picked up at noon on that day.● As the year progresses, please have your children bring their own items into the schoolroom in the morning so that they learn the responsibility of being prepared for the day. If they need to make two trips to the backpack to make that happen, they can do that. | <ul style="list-style-type: none">● Next Tuesday for snack time, please send your child’s favorite canned or fresh fruit. We plan to combine everyone's favorite fruit into a Friendship Fruit Salad to enjoy at our Friendship Fest that day!● In our Bible time we learned how God helped deliver His people from the wicked giant Goliath using a young shepherd boy who trusted in Him!● Please be sure that your child has an extra emergency outfit in the backpack in case it is needed for spills or accidents.● As the weather turns colder, please be sure your child brings warm items for outdoor play. In addition to winter coats, hats, mittens, and snowpants, please be sure your child has a change of shoes OR otherwise boots to wear outside from here on out. We do NOT want to track snow and/or mud into the classroom. Thank you! |
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Mrs. Kuehl: Kindergarten

- For Show and Tell this week, please bring an item or picture of something for which you thank God often!
- We have just 2 more days to “Feed the Turkey” in our classroom as we collect non-perishable food and other items for the Elkhorn Food Pantry! Thank you very much to everyone who has already donated to our cause! We look forward to delivering these gifts on Monday!
- We have been using nickels and pennies to “purchase” various items from our Math Market grocery store as we begin learning the life skill of coin counting!
- Anyone having a large, clean wagon that we could borrow, please see Mrs. Kuehl. Wagons should be brought to school on Friday, November 19th, so they can be packed for transport!
- As the weather turns colder, please be sure your child has the proper outerwear to keep warm-winter coat, hat, mittens, and snowpants as well as an extra pair of shoes or boots so that snow and mud do not get tracked into the classroom. Thank you!
- Next Tuesday for snack time, please send your child’s favorite canned or fresh fruit. We plan to combine everyone's favorite fruit into a Friendship Fruit Salad to enjoy at our Friendship Fest that day!
- During our Bible time we have learned how God used a young shepherd boy who trusted in Him to defeat the giant Goliath. We also spent time discussing how God can help us face the various “giants” in our lives as we trust in Him for guidance and deliverance.
- Please be sure that your child has an extra emergency outfit in the backpack in case it is needed for spills or accidents.

Mrs. Szmanda: Grades 1-2

- This week in Christ Light we continue learning about the life of Joseph as we read Joseph Becomes a Ruler in Egypt and Joseph’s Brothers Come to Egypt. We learn that like Joseph, God uses the bad and sad in our lives for his good purpose. We will finish watching selected parts of the musical Joseph and the Amazing Technicolor Dreamcoat during lunch. The children have been enjoying the spectacle so far!
- The children were very excited to share their disguised turkeys! Thank you for your help in making them! They will be displayed in the hall while we work on our persuasive writing.
- We are wrapping up our unit on National Symbols. We will make a display in the narthex of church for the weekend. Come check it out!
- ★ Help wanted: over the break I laminated quite a few things. If anyone is interested in helping by cutting them out, I would really appreciate it!

Miss Buelow: Grades 3-4

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Group A has SHARE this Friday.• Books that were checked out from Matheson Memorial Library are due today, Wednesday, November 17th. | <ul style="list-style-type: none">• We have finished our math unit about telling time on an analog clock, and determining elapsed time.• If you have any questions, you can reach me at 414-550-7304 or missbuelow@firstatthecross.com. |
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Mr. Glodowski: Grades 5-6

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none">• In Catechism we are up to the 5th Commandment.• We will head to the Seminary in Mequon, WI this Friday. Make sure to either bring a sack lunch or money to buy food.• We are working with energy in science. | <ul style="list-style-type: none">• We are studying the Roman Republic and will eventually start the Roman Empire.• If you need anything, please contact me using text, call, or email. (608) 712-7759 mrglodowski@firstatthecross.com |
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Mr. Falk: Grades 7-8

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none">• The Old Testament readings are taking us through the times when Jacob lived with his uncle, Laban. He worked to marry Rachel, but was tricked into marrying Leah.• The science lessons share the theory of how the continental plates seem to be moving, causing rift valleys, a spreading seafloor, volcanoes , and earthquakes. | <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Our physical education classes are filled with indoor soccer. The students get a good workout.• In our literature class the students are reading <i>Animal Farm</i>, George Orwell's classic. It depicts the history of the Russian revolution which ultimately led that country into communism. |
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