



Friday Note

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Bible Passage of the Week

For I know that my Redeemer lives, and at the last he will stand upon the earth. And after my skin has been thus destroyed, yet in my flesh I shall see God, whom I shall see for myself, and my eyes shall behold, and not another. Job 19:25-27

Next Week's Menu

Monday: Cheese Omelet, Sliced Ham, Dinner Roll, Orange Juice, Pineapple, Milk

Tuesday: Hamburgers, Cheese, Lettuce Salad, Peaches, Milk

Wednesday: Chicken Patty on Bun, Beef Stick, Green Beans, Pears, Milk

Thursday: Cheesy Potatoes with Ham, String Cheese, Corn, Warm Spiced Apples, Milk

Friday: Ham or PB & J (Uncrustable) Sandwich, Cheesy Bread, Lettuce Salad, Mandarin Oranges, Milk

PTL Christmas Carnival/Meeting Date

The PTL Christmas Carnival/Meeting is scheduled for Dec. 5th at 6:30 P.M. Mark your calendar because on this evening children will be able to go Christmas shopping for their parents. Parents will have a short meeting with an update on the Race for Education results discuss on the PTL Constitution. Review the PTL Constitution under the "Links" tab on Fast Direct. There will be a number of different games to play. Door prizes will be available also. Do come and join the fun.

Time to Order



FRIDAY NOTE- NOVEMBER WINNER!!!!!!

CONGRATULATIONS to the Scott & Trisha Anderson family. Your name was drawn in our monthly drawing of Friday Note slips, and you have won a Walmart Gift card! Please stop by the office and see Mrs. Marohl to pick up your prize!

Everyone else: Send those slips in for your chance to win December's drawing.

Who Sings This Weekend?

Grades 5 & 6 will sing for Sunday's 8:00am service. Students should meet Mrs. Doell in the balcony.

Chapel Offerings

Chapel offerings are collected during each Wednesday chapel service. For the month of December the chapel money will help support the **LAMP (Lutheran Association of Missionaries and Pilots)** program. LAMP is a nonprofit organization located in Edmonton, Alberta, with a US office in New Haven, Michigan. The organization has been providing spiritual witness and nurture in communities in northern remote areas of Canada for over 40 years, through the ministry of pastor/pilots, and short and long-term volunteers-in-mission. LAMP presently works in 60 communities, teaching Vacation Bible School, youth and adult Bible study, and leading soccer camps in the summer months. This year over 4,000 children, youth, and adults were impacted by the ministry of LAMP staff and volunteers. Please keep this mission in your prayers as we continue to support it financially.

December

Sign and have your child return to the office for the monthly drawing.

December



Signature: _____



The Scholastic Book Fair will be here soon. Do you need a Christmas gift for someone special? Why not give a book!! The Book Fair will start on December 9 – December 18. The book fair will be open after all church services, Christmas programs, and school days from 11:00am-1:00pm and 3:00-3:30pm.



NEW!! Shop 24/7 online. Starting this year you may shop online from December 2 - 16. Visit the book fair homepage to find the link to shop. <http://bookfairs.scholastic.com/homepage/stpaulbonduel>. Anyone willing to help during the book fair, please contact Tami Frappy at 715-509-0111 or email at tami.frappy@gmail.com.

Go Packers

Thank you to everyone that has helped or will be helping with the concessions at the Packer games. Currently we have made close to \$5,200 for this season. Remember that 50% goes to the technology fund with the remainder being designated by the workers. At present, each worker will have \$33.00 to designate here at St. Paul for each time worked. (Example: a person working for two games will have \$66.00 to designate). If you are interested in working at a Packer game, there are still workers NEEDED for the Dec. 25th & Jan 1st games. In addition, workers will be needed for any HOME playoff games. **A sign up schedule is located in the church narthex. Playoff games will be played on the following weekends: Jan 7&8, 14&15, and Jan 22nd.** You may also contact Jill Schauder at jillschauder@yahoo.com, (920-833-0383), or Gerry Schmidt g.schmidt@stpaulbonduel.com, (715-758-8532) if you have questions or if you are interested in working.



Race For Education

IT'S Time for a WRAP!! Yes, it is that time of year for wrapping gifts but we are referring to wrapping up this year's RACE FOR EDUCATION!! What a blessing it has been for our

school! The total donations have far exceeded our goal of \$10,000 for our first year. We have been blessed with \$25,022.00 of which \$5,000 (20% for this first year) of our profit was given to the founders for the licensure of this program. So the total expenses were \$5899 leaving us with a profit of \$19,148. So far these donations have been used for classroom allowances, computer room maintenance and technology fund. As for prizes from the Race for Education, hopefully your son or daughter informed you that every child in 1st-8th grade (as Preschool and Kindergarten did treasure box cards) celebrated the first ice cream "prize day" and received an ice cream cone. Since there were only approximately 20 students that "earned" the second ice cream treat, coupons for a Burger King sundae were distributed this week rather than having another ice cream day at school. All classes also won the popcorn/movie party to be used at the teachers' discretion.

There was one prize left for the students to enjoy that didn't happen until today... Yes, our principal, Mr. Schmidt agreed willingly to dye his hair blue IF Race For Education raised greater than \$10,000.00. Well, true to his promise, the students enjoyed watching Mr. Schmidt get his hair dyed today in a "closing rally" for Race for Education. The students were wonderful participants of this program. Did you know that they walked over 500 miles that day as a school? That is tremendous. The children seemed to enjoy the entire process.

Well, it is a wrap... please note that the file folders have been completed that contain the donation letters specific to your child(ren). Some of your families/friends wrote notes to your child so you may want to check them out. Feel free to jot down the names of the people that donated so you can write thank-you notes if you wish. These files need to stay in the office because they are files for tax purposes.

Finally, the Race for Education committee will be sending out a survey very soon to have you share your comments in preparation for next year. Thank you all for your support in trying this new fundraiser!! God bless!!

Deb Guenterberg,
PTL President and Race for Education coordinator

Moms' Group

The next gathering will be on December 7th at Michelle Rank's home. There will be a cookie and/or candy exchange. If you would like to take part, please bring three dozen to exchange. All moms and any small children are welcome. Please Fast Direct Michelle if you need directions or Amy Schmidt if you have any questions.

Time to Order



Coups for Troops

We here at St. Paul Lutheran School and Church have an awesome opportunity to help U.S. military families stationed overseas through a program called Coups for Troops. This program was started by a stay-at-home mom with few financial resources who wanted to help U.S. service personnel and their families.

The Coups for Troops program facilitates the collection of manufacturer coupons to bundle and send to overseas-based military members and families. Overseas commissaries and PXs even accept expired coupons up to 6 months past their expiration date!

Please show your support for our troops by donating your manufacturer coupons or printed internet coupons today. Store and restaurant coupons are not accepted. Please make sure that the coupons, if expired, are not expired more than 3 months. This allows time for getting the coupons sorted, sent overseas, and received by the families prior to the 6 months expiration date. There is a donation box located in the school office. Coupons may also be sent to school with your children.

I plan to collect coupons through December 9th. If you have any questions or require further information, please feel free to contact me at 715-304-6523.

Together, we can make a difference in the lives of our service personnel and their families through Coups for Troops!

Lorna L. Buelow

Winter Weather

As we begin the winter season here in Wisconsin, the weather outside drops to temperatures where children need to be properly clothed outside. Please be sure your child is wearing a coat, hat, and gloves/mittens as they leave the house. We will try to do the same as they leave school.



Winter Sports Pictures: Winter sports pictures and group pictures will be taken on Dec 7th starting at 9:00am. Order forms for the winter sports teams are available in the school office. Have your athlete stop in the office for a form.

Christmas Programs and Services Schedule



Preschool/Kindergarten Program
Wednesday, December 14—7:00pm

The 4th Sunday in Advent Worship
Saturday, December 17—7:00pm
Sunday, December 18—8:00 & 10:15am

Grades 5–8 Christmas Program
Thursday, December 22—7:00pm

Christmas Eve Candlelight
Saturday, December 24
3:30pm 5:30pm 7:30pm

Christmas Day—Holy Communion
Sunday, December 25
8:00am 10:15am



Mid-quarter Grades

The mid-quarter for the second quarter is on December 7th. The reports will be sent home on Friday, December 9th. Mid-quarter progress reports will also be visible at your Fast Direct page on December 9th.

SCRIP News

There are several bonuses happening, just in time for your Christmas gift list! They include: Bass Pro Shop, 2%, CVS, 1%, and Lands End, 2%, through 12/9, Applebee's, 2%, Pottery Barn, 2%, Starbuck's, 2%, I-Tunes, 2%, through 12/16, and Cabela's and Red Robin both 2%, through 12/30.

Leez's Citgo is offering a \$5 bonus on \$75 cards purchased through 12/24. Cost will be \$75, but worth \$80, with the 2% bonus on the \$75.

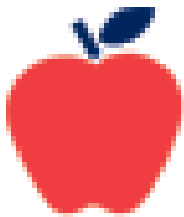
Interesting in receiving your SCRIP instantly, check out shopwithscrip.com for retailers available for ScripNow. New retailers are being added monthly.

8th Annual White Elephant Auction and Soup Cook-Off will be held Saturday, Dec 17th in Zachow at the Krash Inn. Proceeds from this event will benefit the food pantries in Bonduel, Cecil, and Pulaski. Questions can be directed at "ZZ" at 920-265-7994.

Care/Share Items Needed

We are in extreme need of items to stock our care/share pantry. The third Wednesday of every month is designated to have students bring non-perishable food items and household goods. Each class has been asked to bring certain items. Please consider helping with this very worthy cause!

Our POPS Share/Care Program has been helping families not only during the Thanksgiving season but also for the Christmas season. This year they would again like to help a family in the community with their Christmas gifts. The POPS committee has a family for its Adopt-a-family program. There are two little girls in the family ages 2 and 7. The two -year-old wears size 4T and the 7 year old wears size 10/12. Mom and dad would appreciate anything we can do for their daughters. Please bring unwrapped gifts to the school office by December 20th. Any questions, please call the school office at 715-758-8532. Thank you!



Market Day.

A fundraiser like no otherSM

Time to place your order for December Market Day. Just in time for Christmas. Order forms were sent home today. If you have not tried ordering from Market Day, now would be a great time to start. Paper orders are due on Dec. 8th, with online ordering due by 11:00PM on Dec. 12th. Delivery will be on Thursday, Dec. 15th from 2:30 -4:30 PM in the Fellowship Hall.