



WEDNESDAY NOTE

March 6th, 2019

This reading and application from Mark applies to us as parents, husbands/wives, employees/employers, etc. May God bless each role you serve in life through the Spirit's work in you.

A Servant Leader

“Whoever desires to become great among you shall be your servant. And whoever of you wants to be first shall be slave of all.” Mark 10:43-44

A servant-leader is someone:

- Who can set direction and inspire, instead of being bossy;
- Who makes others successful, instead of using them for his advancement;
- Who motivates through encouragement, instead of through fear;
- Who takes time to listen, instead of being set in his ways;
- Who builds others up, instead of picking them apart;

Upcoming Events

Mar. 6	Wed.	Ash Wednesday Services 3:30 & 7:00pm Soup Supper – 4:30 to 6:30pm
Mar. 8	Fri.	Chapel 8:15am Theme Day – Holiday Day
Mar. 9	Sat.	Grade School Piano Festival @ WLHS – 8am to 4pm Grade School Wrestling Tournament @ WLHS – 9am
Mar. 10	Sun.	Grades 3 & 5 Sing @ 7:45am Grade School Piano Festival Honors Recital 1:30 & 3:30pm @ WLHS
Mar. 13	Wed.	Lenten Services – 3:30 & 7:00pm Children's Choir Sings @ 3:30pm Service Soup Supper – 4:30 to 6:30pm
Mar. 16	Sat.	Wrestling Meet @ St. Paul's Cudahy
Mar. 17	Sun.	PreK Sings @ 9:15am Service
Mar. 18	Mon.	“Make a Splash” Grades 4 th & 6 th – Sponsored by WLHS 4:30pm @ Country Springs
Mar. 20	Wed.	Lenten Services – 3:30 & 7:00pm Junior Choir Sings @ 3:30pm Soup Supper – 4:30pm to 7:00pm

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Mar. 23	Sat.	Wrestling Meet @ St. Paul's Muskego
Mar. 24	Sun.	Kindergarten & 1 st Grade Sing @ 7:45am
Mar. 27	Wed.	Lenten Services – 3:30 & 7:00pm 5 th – 8 th Grades Sing @ 3:30pm Service

*** WLHS – Wisconsin Lutheran High School ***(C) Centennial Gym ***(T) Trinity Gym

Live Generously Through Missions – Mission offerings are collected each time we have chapel. Our third quarter featured mission is to help support Wisconsin Lutheran Chapel as they help to make Jesus known on the campus of UW-Madison. Our total offering for third quarter is \$424.54.

Secondary Christian Education Tuition Assistance (SCETA) – Thank you to those who have contributed to the SCETA fund. St. Paul's members attending Wisconsin Lutheran High School or Luther Preparatory School for the 2019-20 school year are encouraged to apply for grants from this fund. Grants are awarded primarily according to financial need. Applications for SCETA fund grants are available in the school office. Application deadline is **March 15th, 2019. Families must reapply each year.**

Spirit-Wear – Show your school spirit with a St. Paul's t-shirt, sweatshirt, or more! Below is the link to the spring spirit wear order form. Orders are due by Sunday, March 17th. If you have any questions, feel free to contact Debi Foley (debifoley@wi.rr.com).

<https://stpaulsmuskegospring2019.itemorder.comhttp>



Student Illness – Just a reminder, if a student becomes ill at school, the teacher or office will attempt to contact the parents first and if they cannot be reached, emergency contacts will be called. Parents or emergency contacts must come to the office to pick up the sick child. If your child has a fever or has vomited do not bring them to school until **24 hours** after symptoms are gone.

Math Meet Participants – Congratulations to all our Math Meet participants! Team 1 of 7th and 8th grade took 1st place out of 25 teams. Those who participated include: 7th-8th Grade Team 1- Jack Goelz, Joshua Kwiatkowski, Amber Larson, Kierstin Schlevensky, Nate Sperber, Sam Kneser. 7th-8th Grade Team 2- Anna Bonack, Abigail Prosser, Ryleigh Zeller, Brook Weber, Hailey Ristow, Sophia Lepke, 5th-6th Grade Team 1- Joey Edlebeck, Jenna Goelz, Rachel Larson, Claire Paschke, Eden Johnson, Sophie Rynders. 5th-6th Grade Team 2- Jake Ralston, Brady Rudoll, Emerson Rush, Rebecca Abramowski, Ali Wachter, Wyatt Morris. Individual high scores were Jenna Goelz 3rd in 6th grade, Kierstin Schlevensky tied for 2nd in 7th grade, Jack Goelz tied for 3rd in 8th grade and Josh Kwiatkowski tied for 2nd in 8th grade.

Book-It - Remember K – 5th graders to bring your Book-It Reading Logs to school every Tuesday.

5th Grade Teacher Call News - Mr. Wetzel, our 5th grade homeroom teacher, has declined the call to serve as principal at Trinity Lutheran School in Caledonia. We pray the Lord's blessing over Mr. Wetzel and his family as he continues to serve the Lord here at St. Paul's as our teacher.

2018 Private School State Tax Credit - Parents with a child in a private school will be able to receive a tax deduction for private school tuition. Under the program, parents statewide will be able to deduct up to \$4,000 per student in grades K-8, and up to \$10,000 per high school student. To access your tax credit information, please follow these steps:

1. Log in to your TADS account

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2. On the top bar click Billing
3. Click on the Household Paid Tuition Tax Report link. You will find it located below the big blue box.
4. Enter the tax year 2018

St. Paul's identifying FEIN is 39-6045365. Additional information can also be found on the [Wisconsin Council of Religious and Independent Schools website \(www.wcris.org\)](http://www.wcris.org).

Weather-Related School Cancellation Info – St. Paul's will automatically close or delay if Muskego-Norway Public Schools (MNPS) close or delay. MNPS posts emergency weather closings on their websites and local news stations. St. Paul's will post cancellations on TV Channels 4, 6, 12, and 58 (along with their associated radio stations), on our Facebook page, and send a text / email / voicemail alert through our alert system.

St. Paul's Website – Visit our school website at www.stpmuskego.org. Click on the current parent page link on the left to access the hot lunch menu, current events and calendar. You can also access links to teachers' pages and more!

Wednesday Note by Email – If you would like to receive the Wednesday Note by email, please email Emily Meitner (emeitner@stpaulmuskego.org) from the address that you would like the Note emailed to and I will add you to the distribution list. You may not receive all the attachments, but a list of items that were attached will be included.



Box Tops for Education - St. Paul's participates in the General Mills Box Tops for Education program.

Simply cut the coupons out of the product packaging (NEATLY on the dotted line, please) and turn them in to your classroom's collection box. Each coupon is worth 10 cents, and all money raised helps support the activities sponsored by UNITY, our parent/teacher organization. Parents can log-on to boxtops4education.com and register to support St. Paul's – Muskego. They can earn box tops for our school just by watching videos and entering special drawings. Start clipping!

SCRIP Program – Check out the hundreds of retailers on the Great Lakes SCRIP website www.shopwithscrip.com. Just write them in on the blank lines on the order form. Orders will be placed every Tuesday by 9:00 am and will be available for pick-up on Friday. Any questions contact Emily Meitner (414-422-0320 or emeitner@stpaulmuskego.org).

WELS HAPPENINGS

4th and 6th Grade Make a Splash! --Wisconsin Lutheran High School invites both 4th and 6th grade students to a fun evening of waterslides and swimming at Springs Waterpark Hotel in Pewaukee, on Monday, March 18. The pool is open from 4:30-8:00 p.m. with a parent welcome at 5:45 p.m. There is no cost, however at least one parent must attend with their child. RSVP by going to www.wlhs.org/splash.

Jr. Viking Football Program - The Wisconsin Lutheran Jr. Viking Football program is taking registrations for the 2019 fall football season. WLJVF is offering to 5th through 8th grade boys in the greater Milwaukee area the opportunity to play competitive tackle football in a Christian environment. Wisconsin Lutheran High School will offer a 5th, 6th, 7th and 8th grade team. Each team carries a maximum of 30 players. The teams will play an eight (7) game schedule as part of the Classic Youth Football League. Sign up information is available outside the school office.

WLHS Job Opening – Wisconsin Lutheran High School is searching for staff to live and work in our new student residential facility, Honey Creek Hall. A full-time residential position is available for a female candidate, and part-time residential and non-residential positions are available for men, women, or married couples. Applicants should have experience working in an educational or residential setting, preferably with international students, and be a member in good standing of the WELS. Interested parties should submit a resume to Becky Glass at hr@wlhs.org.

2019 WELS National Band Festival--Wisconsin Lutheran High School is honored to host the bi-annual WELS National Band Festival. This year, the 105-member ensemble is comprised from twenty WELS Lutheran High Schools around the country. On Sunday, March 17, at 2:00 p.m. a festival concert, free and open to the public, will be performed at the high school. Doors open at 1:30 p.m.

WLHS Dance Camp - All girls K-8th grade are invited to WLHS Dance Camp at Wisconsin Lutheran High School on Saturday, March 23, from 9:00 a.m.-1:00 p.m. Girls K-3rd will focus on physical movement and putting movement to music. Girls 4th-8th will focus on basic dance team concepts and more complex skills. During this non-competitive, fun event, campers will learn a routine and perform for family and friends. Cost is \$10. Please register by Sunday, March 3. Visit wlhs.org/jrvikings, under dance camp for registration and more information.

Save the Date WLHS Dinner Auction - On Saturday, April 6, Wisconsin Lutheran High School will hold its 23rd Annual Dinner Auction under the theme “Prepare for Trumpets.” This dinner auction is the top fundraising event for the high school. Mark your calendar, register early, and consider an item to donation. For more information, visit wlhs.org/auction.