



WEDNESDAY NOTE

May 22nd, 2019

“Precious in the Lord’s sight is the death of His saints.” (Psalm 116:15)

Yesterday was a very hard day for our brothers and sisters at St. Mark’s Lutheran in Green Bay. Their principal, Kyle Gut, passed away suddenly at age 41. Prior to serving in GB, Mr. Gut served as principal at Good Shepherd’s in West Allis. Death is the ultimate, unavoidable event for us all because of sin. Hearing stories like Mr. Gut’s reminds each of us to number our days, to stay connected to Jesus, and to make a loving impact on those around us through joy, forgiveness, honesty, selflessness, and through a life of service to others, all for Jesus’ sake.

Heaven is now Mr. Gut’s eternal home...because he is precious to the Lord. So are you. Amen!

Upcoming Events

May 23	Thurs.	Softball Game vs. Christ Big Bend – 4:00pm
May 24	Fri.	Cousins Sub Orders Due Kindergarten End of Year Program – 1:00pm
May 27	Mon.	Memorial Day – No school
May 29	Wed.	Cousins Day – No hot lunch! St. Paul’s Junior Olympic Day
May 30	Thurs.	Last day of school End of the Year Program – 8:30am Early Dismissal – 11am Graduation Service – 6:30pm Grades K-8 Sing @ 6:30pm End of 4 th Quarter

*** 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 fourth quarter featured mission is to help support **Spread the Gospel in Ethiopia**. Every year the Wisco family pulls together to raise funds for a mission cause in an effort we call Our Hands for His Service (OHFHS). Driven primarily by a collaboration of student groups, OHFHS also invites our conference elementary schools to join the cause. This year, OHFHS hopes to raise \$30,000 for a ministry named [Taste of Ethiopia](#) whose mission is taken from James 1:27 that reads in part “. . . look after orphans and widows.” Our total offering so far this quarter is \$250.00.

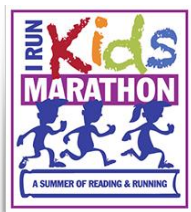
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Cousins Day – May 29 – We will be offering Cousins subs for lunch on May 29 – SPJO Day! There will be no hot lunch available that day. Please note that milk is **NOT** included with the cost. Milk can be ordered separately. Gatorade, water bottles and juice boxes will also be for sale at concessions that day. Orders are due May 24 by 9:00 am. Late orders cannot be accepted. Parents and siblings are encouraged to order a Cousins lunch as well. Please use **1 order form per person**. Additional forms are available in the school office or at stpmuskego.org and click on Current Parent Page. Payment for Cousins will be billed to your Hot Lunch Account

St. Paul’s Junior Olympics – Our annual Junior Olympics is only a week away! We could still use a few helpers. Please sign up in the office or email Mr. Steffen (steffenk@stpaulmuskego.org) if you are willing to help. Sheets with the scoring standards are available in the office and maps with event location will also be in the office. It should be a fun day!

Thank You from UNITY - Did you know that each school year UNITY sponsors and runs over two dozen activities? Activities include school wide events, concessions for various sports, and numerous acts of appreciation for our teachers and other school staff. UNITY is self-funded and couldn’t do all that it does without the support of our school families. So, thank you for every hot dog you’ve purchased, slice of pizza you’ve eaten, hours you’ve spent helping with concessions and activities, items you’ve donated and money you’ve contributed, it is truly appreciated. Through the support of our generous families, the funds raised through the Box Tops for Education Program, and Cousins Sub Days UNITY has been able to invest over \$16,000 into St. Paul's over the last 3 years! This year alone we hope to be able to give back up to \$3,000. These funds were allocated to various school needs including technology, reading programs, water bottle filling stations, Cool Million Campaign, classroom materials and multiple other items! For that, we are truly grateful.



I Run Kid’s Marathon - Join us again this year for a fun summer reading and running program for your kids! This is an AWESOME program and a great opportunity for your kids. Kids will log 26 books/hour of reading and 25.2 miles (broken up in 1/2, 1/4 miles etc.) over the summer. Participants will receive a t-shirt and other goodies. There will then be a FINAL MILE event where all participants can get together and celebrate their accomplishment. The FINAL Run this year is at WLC on **Sat. August 26th** from 6-9 P.M. To register, fill out the registration form and return to the office or to Mrs. Shevey by **May 24th**. Registration and logging forms can also be found at the website www.irunkidsmarathon.com. Cost is \$15. We had a big group last year from St. Paul’s!

Immunizations – Two doses of the varicella (chicken pox) vaccine are required for students entering Kindergarten through grade 12. The Tdap (Tetanus, diphtheria and pertussis) vaccine is required for grades 6-12. **All students entering Kindergarten or 6th grade next fall need to hand in an updated immunization form with these vaccines documented as complete by iFASST (information forms and school sign up time) on August 12, 2019.** Students in 5th grade will receive a letter next week along with an immunization form. Please contact your local Health Department or your child's primary care provider now to schedule an appointment to update your child's immunizations. Don't wait until the end of summer rush!

Bus form - ALL students who live in Muskego and would like to use the bus next year will need to fill out a new form. It needs to be filled out even if you used the bus this year. Bus forms are available in the office. Please fill this out and return before the end of the year. Thank you!

Volunteer Opportunity for Students in Grades 6-8 – All students in grades 6-8 are invited to volunteer and sign up to be the Teen Staff for Safety City hosted by St. Paul’s this summer. If you like working with children, this is the perfect volunteer opportunity for you. Forms are available in the office and can be returned there too. It is also a great way to fulfill your service project!

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Uniforms – Please return all uniforms to Mr. Lepke when your season is finished. Thank you!

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!

Congratulations to our St Paul's Track Team - Congratulations to our 15 athletes that qualified for State this year and competed at Kettle Moraine Lutheran High School. Our Girls Team finished 4th in State with the following placing 10th or higher in events:

Sophia Kennedy - 1st place in 400 and 2nd place in 800

Emma Eilertson - 3rd place in High Jump

Katie Meyer - 4th place Discus and 5th place in Shot Put

Lucy Younk - 7th place in 800

4 x 100 Relay finished 7th (Emma Eilertson, Isabella SanFelippo, Serenity Witzlsteiner, Leah Hudock)

Katelynn Schneider - 8th place in 400

Abby Esmeier - 9th place in discus

Summer Care – Register your child for a summer of adventure, fun, and friendship in a loving Christian environment. St. Paul's Lutheran School is offering their Summer Care program for children in Pre-Kindergarten through 4th Grade. Children must be at least 3 years old and toilet trained to enroll in Summer Care. Information and registration forms are available from Mrs. Bourdo in Extended Care, the school offices, at St. Paul's Child Care Center, at the church information counter and on the school website (www.stpmuskego.org).



Summer SCRIP Program – Use SCRIP to fulfill all your gift giving needs. Orders are placed **every other** Tuesday in the summer starting June 12th by 9:00 am and are available for pick-up on Friday. Any questions contact Emily Meitner (414-422-0320 or emeitner@stpaulmuskego.org).

WELS HAPPENINGS

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.

Host Families Needed for International Students - Have you ever thought about opening up your home to an international student for a school year? WLHS is looking for host families for the 2019-20 school year. Families will receive a stipend of \$700/month to support their efforts as host. If you are interested in learning more or would like to apply, please contact International Student Program Director Eric Duwe at eric.duwe@wlhs.org.

Jr. Viking Girls Basketball Tryouts - Jr. Viking girls basketball tryouts will be held on Sunday, August 18, (4th-6th grades) and Sunday, August 25, (7th-8th grades) at Wisconsin Lutheran High School. Register online at wlhs.org/jrvikings. Cost for tryouts is \$10 per participant that can be paid in advance online. Please contact head coach Randy Strutz at randall.strutz@wlhs.org with any questions.

Jr. Viking Boys Basketball Tryouts - Jr. Viking boys basketball tryouts will be held Friday, August 16, (8th grade) and Saturday, August 17, (3rd-7th grades) in the main gym at Wisconsin Lutheran High School. Register online at wlhs.org/jrvikings. There is a \$10 tryout fee per participant. Jr. Viking basketball is a Christ-centered program aimed at helping boys who are interested in attending WLHS and playing in the high school program. For questions, contact Ryan Walz at ryan.walz@wlhs.org.

WLHS Assistant Volleyball Coach Needed - Wisconsin Lutheran High School is looking for a varsity assistant coach for the girls volleyball program. Preference will be given to previous high school/college coaching or collegiate playing experience. Please contact at dave.baacke@wlhs.org or 414-453-4567 ext 2023.

29th Annual Friends of Wisco Golf Outing - Registration is now open for the Friends of Wisco Annual Golf Outing set for Monday, June 17, at the NEW location of Ironwood Golf Course, in Sussex, Wis. Cost is \$135 per person with shotgun start at 10:00 a.m. Price includes: green fees, golf cart, lunch and dinner, and two drink tickets. Purchase a hole sponsorship and receive a discount on a foursome of golf. For registration and sponsorship information visit one.bidpal.net/wlhsgolf19/welcome. Registration deadline is Friday, May 24, and limited to the first 216 golfers. Contact Heidi Witz at planner@wlhs.org or 414-453-4567 ext. 2004 with any questions.

Viking Explorer Camps - Hey kids! Don't waste a minute of your summer this year. Attend a camp at Wisconsin Lutheran High School to explore a wide variety of activities and interests in a Christian setting. Camps include: theater, sports, robotics, music, cheerleading, and more! For more information and to register, visit www.wlhs.org/explorers or contact Blair Schaper at 414-453-4567, ext. 1326 or blair.schaper@wlhs.org.

COMMUNITY HAPPENINGS

Storm Baseball Camp - The Muskego Storm Select Baseball program is offering a 2-day Youth Camp for Kindergarten & First graders for \$30! The camp will be May 29th & 31st and be held at the "STORM SHELTER" (indoor practice facility) from 6-7:30pm. Register at <http://muskegostormbaseball.org/coachs-corner/>.

Summer Camp Opportunities at St Paul's Muskego - This summer your child has the opportunity to participate in a variety of specialized camps here at St Paul's Trinity Gym. Jim Gosz is currently a coach of Dominican High School and runs Nike Elite camps for kids going into 3rd -9th grades. Since our facilities are being used, he has offered to give a discounted rate to any St Paul's member who **signs up before June 1st**. Below are brochures for more information or you can visit his website at <http://www.jimgoszbasketball.com/>.

Brochure for Basketball:

http://www.jimgoszbasketball.com/uploads/2019_Basketball_Brochure_Pub_1_2_1_.pdf

Brochure for Volleyball:

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