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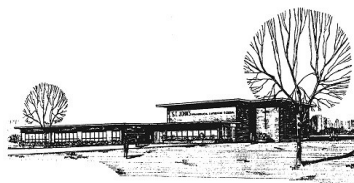
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OUR MISSION STATEMENT

St. John's Lutheran Church and School is committed to Jesus Christ and the spiritual growth of all God's children.



VIKING VOICE

Friday, December 10, 2021



Thank you to everyone who filled out the survey about the possibility of remote learning the first week in January. As stated in the survey, the reasoning to do remote learning the first week back in January is to keep the students, faculty, and families of St. John's safe and healthy right after the holidays. We also understand that many families might find it hard to get childcare for a full week. With that said, we will have remote learning Monday, January 3 - Wednesday, January 5 and students will return to the school building on **Thursday, January 6**. Like last year, we will use Avaya for our remote learning platform. Links for each session and a schedule will be emailed out later. Students are required to attend all sessions on time over the three days otherwise they will be marked absent from school. They are also required to complete all assignments and in-class (virtual) work given over those three days. Any work not completed would result in low grades. We are looking at Wednesday, December 29 or Thursday, December 30 as a student work pickup day for any work that the students will need over those three days. Thank you for the continuous support of St John's!

ONE MORE DRESS UP DAY FOR DECEMBER

We're ringing in the Christmas holidays in "style"! We are having our last dress up day for this year next Friday:

December 17 - Ugly Christmas Sweater

If you don't have outfits for one of those days, then simply wear red, white, and green for the holiday spirit!





OUR STUDENTS WILL BE STARRING IN THE UPCOMING CHRISTMAS PROGRAMS HAPPENING ON DECEMBER 16TH AND 17TH!
WE ARE LOOKING FORWARD TO SEEING THEM PERFORM!
MORE INFORMATION WILL BE ANNOUNCED SOON.

12/16 CHRISTMAS PROGRAM AT 6:30PM - GRADES PK-4

12/17 CHRISTMAS PROGRAM AT 6:30PM - GRADES 5-8



ANGEL TREE

A **huge THANK YOU** to those that generously donated gift certificates to help families in need. Combined, St. John's Lutheran Church and School over **\$1500!**

The gift certificates went to "Respond Now" in Chicago Heights to help families purchase gifts for children, food, diapers, formula, clothing, and many other needs.

Visit their website at respondnow.org for more information.

CONTEST WINNERS

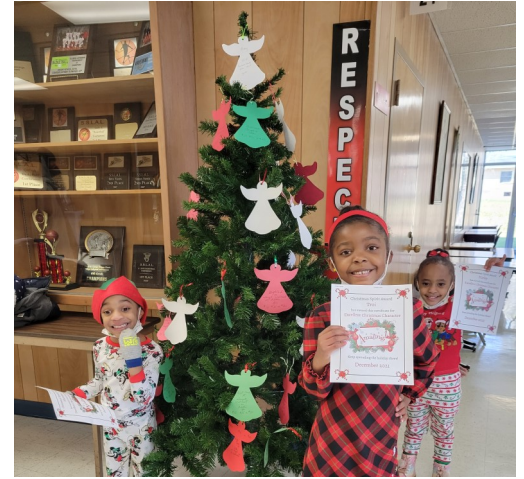
LAST WEEK, STUDENTS DRESSED FOR CHRISTMAS. A LOT OF THEM WORE THEIR FAVORITE CHRISTMAS CHARACTER. THEN, WE HAD A CONTEST ON FACEBOOK FOR WHO WOULD GET THE MOST VOTES.

AND OUR WINNERS ARE:

TROY T. , Harley P., and Hunter P.

They received a certificate and special treats at lunch today .

Congratulations!



BASKETBALL DEVELOPMENT CAMP



Do you enjoy playing basketball? Have you never played basketball, but want to learn how to play? If you answered **YES** to either of those questions then come on out to **St. John's Basketball Development Camp** on—**December 18 from 10:00-12:00PM**. The camp will be led by Coach Ray and Coach Anthony. It is free and available to all boys and girls in grades third through eighth. The camp will help develop your basketball skills, by teaching skill drills, foot work, in-game strategies, conditioning, and team building exercises. Players will be prepared for game time situations. We look to build leaders and provide them with the skills they need to become a better and more explosive player. Please use the link below to sign up by entering your student's grade, name, and putting an "X" under day they will be attending.

docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/1oe2rVG6u8rZTAAFW32I8AjTrXC7aBMLhxUEYTL_VxDg/edit?usp=sharing



NEW CUSTODIAN AT ST. JOHN'S

We are happy to welcome Mr. Herman Wade, the new Custodian/Maintenance person for our facilities. Mr. Wade and his family also attend church at St. John's. We are pleased that he has accepted this position. You may have already seen Mr. Wade taking temps in the morning or busy at work elsewhere on our campus. If you see him, be sure to say hello!

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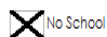
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Love the Lord with all your heart...
And love your neighbor as yourself.
Luke 10:27

CALENDAR



No School



End of Quarter



Early Dismissal

12/16	*MANDATORY CHRISTMAS PROGRAM AT 6:30PM - GRADES PK-4
12/17	MID-SECOND QUARTER PROGRESS REPORTS GO HOME
12/17	*MANDATORY CHRISTMAS PROGRAM AT 6:30PM - GRADES 5-8
12/20-1/2/22	CHRISTMAS BREAK - NO SCHOOL
1/3/22	SCHOOL RESUMES AT 8:00AM
1/11	SPORTS/CLUBS/CANDIDS PICTURE DAY
1/17	DR. MARTIN LUTHER KING JR. BIRTHDAY - NO SCHOOL
1/21	END OF SECOND QUARTER
1/23	*STUDENTS SING 9:00AM CHURCH SERVICE
1/28	SECOND QUARTER REPORT CARDS GO HOME

BALANCES?

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Please make sure Jupiter account balances (if any) are current. Tax Statements will be going out at the end of January. If you want tuition payments to be included on the statement for 2021, it must be paid by the end of **December**. Thank you!

WHAT DO YOU
GET WHEN YOU
EAT CHRISTMAS
ORNAMENTS?



TINSEL-ITIS!

December 2021

Su	M	Tu	W	Th	F	Sa
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26	27	28	29	30	31	

January 2022

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