



St. John Lutheran School Tiger Pause

Mrs. Shellie Kosmerchock, Principal
October 30, 2019

Principal News

Greetings Families of St. John,

It doesn't seem possible that the first quarter of the 2019 - 2020 school ended last Friday. It amazes me how time seems to fly by. It is exciting as the principal to walk the halls and see all the learning that happens in each classroom. Our teachers are dedicated to each child's success. Thank you for sending your child to St. John where we educate the whole child - spiritually and academically!

Tomorrow I am leading chapel. I love sharing my faith with the children. If you have time, stop by and share this time with us. Everyone is always welcome! Your child would love to sit with you!!!!

As the weather becomes colder, make sure to dress your child appropriately. Everyone needs a jacket during recess time.

Have a wonderful week fully rejoicing in Christ!!!

Blessings,
Mrs. Kosmerchock

Upcoming Events

- ❖ 10/31- Parent Teacher Conferences 3:30-8:00pm
- ❖ 11/1- Parent Teacher Conferences 1:15-5:30pm
- ❖ 11/3 - 11/10- Book Fair
- ❖ 11/5-11/7 - Bring a Friend to Lunch
- ❖ 11/6- Early Childhood Chapel w/Pat Marshall 9:15am
- ❖ 11/12- PTL Mtg. 6:30pm
- ❖ 11/14-BCDS Mtg. 7pm
- ❖ 11/19- Delay Start
- ❖ 11/21- 2nd Grade Chapel
- ❖ 11/27-11/29- Thanksgiving Break

K - 8 EARLY DISMISSAL NOVEMBER 1st @ 1 PM

***** There will be no Homework club on Thursday, October 31st due to Parent Teacher Conferences. *****

November Birthdays

- 11/3- Clayton Elston
- 11/5- Benjamin Flores
- 11/11- Mrs. Stephanie Sindel
- 11/13- Ella Kaup
- 11/16- Addison Elston
- 11/16- Presley Kuch
- 11/18- Reese Stuckey
- 11/19- Mrs. Tami Rohlf
- 11/20- William Gillengerten
- 11/20- Mia Salinas
- 11/23- Eliza Webb
- 11/24- Willow Skeens
- 11/25- Mrs. Diana Grim
- 11/27- Amelia Sherry



Family of the Week

Our family of the week is the Miles Family. . Learn more about them on the **3rd page** of this newsletter or visit the Family of the Week Bulletin Board in the hallway outside the office. Featured in the photo is Liliana Miles (1st Grade).

The next family of the week is : **Brady Retcher & his family**

Verse of the Week

“Beloved, let us love one another: for love is of God.” - 1 John 4:7

Scholastic Book Fair

Take time to stop by the book fair next week! It will be set up in the Adult Ed A room. The scholastic dollars raised helps the school purchase items for the school and new books for the library.



Bring a Friend to Lunch

Bring a Friend to Lunch on November 5th, 6th and 7th. Please return the form to reserve meals for these days. Meals start at 11:30am each day.

Chapel News

Please join your student Thursday morning for Chapel. This week will be led by Principal Kosmerchock. We will be collecting for St. John Food Pantry/PATH Center for the 2nd quarter. Please help us by sending in your child's offering each week. No amount is too small for their chapel offering. We look forward to you joining us! Parents are welcome to join us. Last quarter we collected \$290.77 for Feeding God's Children (International).

5th - 8th Grade Pie Sales

The 5th - 8th grade pie sales are in the final stretch to sell. Consider purchasing a pie to help them raise money for their Jr. High class trip. All orders need to be in by November 4th. Pies will be delivered just in time for Thanksgiving. Please see one of our students if you are interested in purchasing a pie. The funds raised go towards their 7th and 8th grade class trip to the Ark or Creation Museum, an overnight stay at a motel and Kings Island the next day.

Early Dismissal

Students will be dismissed on November 1st at 1:00pm due to parent teacher conferences. The Tiger's Den will be staffed if you need child care. There will be no busing. Please make plans for your child's pick up.

Simply Give Program by Meijer

St. John Lutheran Food Pantry will be featured at Meijer from Sunday, November 10- Saturday, January 4, 2020. There will be two DOUBLE MATCH DAYS. On Tuesday, December 3 and Friday, December 13 the donations will be doubled in gift cards to us at the end of the promotion. You can pick up a donation card in the church office or pick one up at the Defiance Meijer. The cards are \$10.00 each and will be applied to your grocery order. Last year, we received \$6,610.00 in Meijer food gift cards. Thank you to everyone that helps keep our food pantry supplied!

Festival of Trees

All K-8 students will be singing at the Festival of Trees on Tuesday, November 19 at 6:05pm. They ask that all groups arrive 30 minutes prior to their time slot. Doors open at 5:30pm. Everyone is invited to come and stay to hear all six groups perform. The concert will conclude at approximately 7:45pm. Cookies, water, hot chocolate and coffee will be available.

November Board Meeting

If you would like to attend the school board's next meeting, it is November 14th beginning at 7pm. Everyone is welcome.

SJL Family of the Week for the week of October 28

The Miles Family

Family Members: Craig (Dad), Sallyann (Mom), Liliana, It's newest member Arrietty, Annabelle (Dog), Ozzy (Cat) and Andi (Cat)

As a family they like to spend time outside in their backyard, cooking together and they have spontaneous dance parties in the living room! When Lily isn't at dance practice she is busy being a great big sister! She also spends a lot of time playing with her old faithful companion, Annabelle!

Favorite Scripture Verse

"I can do all things through Christ who strengthens me."- Philippians 4:13

Favorite Saying

"Patience is a virtue."

Favorite Meal

Tacos or Pizza

Favorite Movie

The Greatest Showman

Favorite Song

A Million Dreams

Favorite Vacation

Virginia Beach

Favorite Memory

Telling Lily she was getting a baby sister! She jumped up and down, squealed and even cried for joy for almost 2 minutes!