

# EVERY FRIDAY NOTE

Our Savior Lutheran School 1916 Ridgewood Ave. SE Grand Rapids, MI 49506 www.oursavior-gr.org

# Calendar

May 13 K-8 grade sings for Pastors Conference 10:00am Thankscriping www.shopwithscrip.com Math Madness 3:30-4:30pm May 15 Matins Last day of library Night to Recite and Spring Concert 7:00pm May 16 PTL Fun Run 3:00pm May 17 **Box Tops Contest ends** 3x3 forms due May 20 Tuition and fees due Scrip orders due 3:30pm Math Madness 3:30-4:30pm May 20-21 7-8 grade class trip May 22 Matins Preschool Picnic 11:00am May 24 OSLS Track Invitational held at Calvin College May 27 No School: Memorial Day May 30 **Ascension Matins** May 31 Popcorn Friday K-4 Musical 7:00pm Last day of bussing June 4 June 5 Graduation No after school extended care June 7 Last day of school: ½ day Matins 11:00am

# **Announcements**

### **Survey Results**

Please see the survey results letter from School Board Chair Mr. Matt Peterson attached to this week's EFN.

No after school extended care

Visit our online calendar to find out what's happening at

All School Picnic

OSLS. https://www.oslsgr.org/school-calender

#### **Classical Education**

Please see the letter from Mrs. Kara Harbaugh, regarding our faculty's study of classical education, attached to this week's EFN.

### K-8 Grade Sings at Church on May 13

On Monday, May 13, the K-8 grade students will sing during the West Region Pastors Conference Divine Service at 10:00am. Students will walk over to church at 9:15am. Students should dress appropriately.

#### **Fees and Tuition**

The final tuition payment for the school year is due by May 20. Extended care and resource payments are due at the same time.

### 8th Grade Graduation

Eighth grade graduation will be Wednesday, June 5, at 7pm at Our Savior Lutheran School. Everyone is invited to attend. Refreshments will be served to honor the graduates.

#### Online Re-enrollment

Please follow the link in your TADS re-enrollment email to register your child for the 2019-2020 school year. Please check your spam folder if you have not received an email.

# **Learn By Heart**

### The Lord's Supper

How can bodily eating and drinking do such great things? Certainly not just eating and drinking do these things, but the words written here: "Given and shed for you for the forgiveness of sins." These words, along with the bodily eating and drinking, are the main thing in the Sacrament. Whoever believes these words has exactly what they say: "forgiveness of sins."

John 6:35 Jesus said to them, "I am the bread of life; whoever comes to me shall not hunger, and whoever believes in me shall never thirst.

# **Drama**

### 5-6 Grade Play: Complaint Department and Lemonade

Please join us on Friday, May 10 at 7:00pm for the 5-6 grade production of *Complaint Department and Lemonade*.

5-6 graders should be at school at 5:30pm for make-up and pictures.

### K-4 Musical: Go West!

### A Musical Celebration of America's Westward Expansion

There's gold in them thar hills! Gold has been discovered in the hills of California. Land is being given away to settlers willing to make a fresh start in the newly explored regions of the American West. Cowpokes and miners, farmers and trappers, gamblers and adventurers of all kinds are making their way west to chase the promise of the American Dream. They come by way of wagon train, horseback, steamboat and railroad. "Go West" combines music, history and drama to explore important facts about the westward expansion of the early US and discovers that real wealth is not always the kind made into ingots and jewelry. Real wealth is found in inspiring new ideas, fresh starts and attainable dreams in the land of the free.

Please join us for the K-4 Musical "Go West!" on Friday, May 31 at 7:00pm in the school gym.

# Night to Recite and Spring Concert

The Spring Concert and Night to Recite will be May 15 at 7:00pm. We will start the evening with 3-4 grade recitations, and then we will enjoy an evening of music performed by our school ensembles: chimes, beginner and advanced band, and our school choir Voce Solida. Our Lutheran High's band will also perform this evening. We look forward to having our band play with the high school instrumentalists.

# 7-8 Grade Class Trip

On Monday and Tuesday, May 20-21, our 7-8 grade students will take their class trip to Suttons Bay, MI. They will enjoy an excursion on the Inland Seas Boat where they will become scientists for the day, assisting veteran volunteer instructors with the collection and analysis of Great Lakes samples. Students will visit a curling rink, and then they will explore Sleeping Bear Dunes Questions about the trip can be directed to Mr. Roberts (groberts@oursavior-gr.org).

# Library

### **Last Day of Library**

The last day of library will be Wednesday, May 15.

#### 3x3

Students can starting reading for the final 3x3 program of the school year. Students may read two books of their choosing. The third book must be a biography. Reading a historical fiction and answering a few questions about the title is an extra option that students may want to try. Students should answer their historical fiction questions with complete sentences. Completed 3x3 forms are due Friday, May 17.

### **Athletics**

### **Track Meet**

May 24: Grades K-8 are part of the OSLS Invitational Track meet.

We are very excited that this year's track meet will be held at Calvin College's track!

Parents-- We need help to run the events at our home invitational. Please follow the <u>link</u> to volunteer to help at OSLS's invitational meet:

https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10c0a45acad2ca4fe3-osls4

### **Basketball Camp**

Save the date: OSLS's basketball camps will be July 8-12. Basketball registrations have been given to students. Extra forms may be found in the office.

### **PTL**

### Scrip

Monday we'll be celebrating tons of amazing bonuses with Thank-Scrip-ing Day! If you haven't tried scrip yet, now is the perfect time to do so! **This order is for e-cards and reloads only.** 

Please go to <a href="www.shopwithscrip.com">www.shopwithscrip.com</a> to sign up if you are ordering for the first time. Make checks payable to OSLS PTL. Please contact Mrs. Stephanie Norcross with questions. The next scrip order date is Monday, May 13.

### **Fun Run**

Be sure to turn in your Fun Run Packet. Proceeds from this year's Fun Run will go toward school office renovations. The Fun Run is scheduled for Thursday, May 16. Friday May 17 will be the rain date. Please contact Mrs. Stephanie Norcross with any questions.

### 3<sup>rd</sup> Trimester Box Tops Contest

The box tops contest will end on May 17, and the winning class will receive a treat.

# West Michigan Lutheran High

### **Mustangs Golf Outing**

Start putting your teams together "Fore" our annual Mustang Golf Outing scheduled for July 20 with a shotgun start at 8:00am at Yankee Springs Golf Course. To register, email <a href="mailto:kangers@wmlhs.org">kangers@wmlhs.org</a> or call the office at 616-455-2200. Cost of \$80 includes 18 holes of golf with cart, prizes, lunch, and contest holes.

### **Chick-Fil-A Fundraiser**

Please join us on May 20 for a Chick-fil-A Night benefiting West Michigan Lutheran High School's Student Council. Come anytime from 5:00-7:00 pm to the 700 54th Street SW location. In order for us to receive the proceeds, please tell the order taker that you are here for our school. Thank you!