

If GOD is
for
US, who can
be
against US?
Romans 8:31

Our Father's NEWS

SEPTEMBER 22, 2017

Upcoming Events

September 29nd - Friday

- Rangerettes Meeting, 6:30-8:30 p.m.
- Girls' Volleyball Tournament at Hales Corners (thru 9/30)

October 1st - Sunday

- Divine Service, 8:00 & 10:45 a.m.
- Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.

October 2nd - Monday

- Cross Country Practice, 3:15 p.m.

October 3rd - Tuesday

- Band Lessons
- Cross Country Meet, Martin Luther High School, 4:00 p.m.
- Girls' Volleyball Practice, 3:15 p.m.

October 4th - Wednesday

- Chapel, w/H.O.N.E.Y. Box Donation (Help Our Neighbors Eat Year-Long)

October 5th - Thursday

- Upper Grades Field Trip, 8:00 a.m.
- Girls' Volleyball Practice, 3:15 p.m.
- Divine Service, 7:00 p.m.

October 6th - Friday

- Cross Country Season End Celebration, 3:15-4:15 p.m.

October 7th - Saturday

- Rangerettes' Roller Skating
- Root River Run, Martin Luther H.S., 8:00-11:30 a.m.

**NO SCHOOL ON MONDAY,
OCTOBER 9TH, Columbus Day**

A Note from Principal Wingfield

As we have come to the end of September, let's hope we have also come to the end of this heat. At the same time, when I think about what is probably coming in a month or two, I might take that first sentence back. Change happens all around us; just look at the weather. If you happened to watch the Packer game last night like I did, those changes can be frustrating at times. The new school year has brought many changes for students and families. The students are learning new procedures as they enter new classrooms. Families adjust to changes as the school continues to grow. Yet, with all the changes around, one thing remains: the Word. God's promise to us in His Son is the same yesterday, today, tomorrow, and through all eternity. At school, we encourage the students to trust in God's Word as the new challenges they face seem overwhelming at times. It is easy to forget that promise we have. We get caught up in our surroundings and forget that no matter what changes around us, on Christ the solid rock we stand. May we continue to encourage one another in Christian love and faith as we continue through the changes and challenges of life.

Girls' Volleyball Tournament THANK YOU!

Thank you again to all the faithful Our Father's Families who enjoyed fellowship while doing the hard work to host a Girls' Volleyball Tournament at our school! Thank you!

Thank YOU for supporting Houston's Classroom Adoption

Thank you for your generous support of the Hurricane Harvey adopted classroom at Lutheran South Academy. We received a total of \$385 in cash and Scrip cards, and a large amount of school supplies. Your merciful generosity is greatly appreciated. See updates at: <https://form.jotformpro.com/72394280884971>. Thank you especially to Tracy Roehrdanz for leading by example.

The Next 8th Grade Hot Lunch is NOT Friday, October 6th, but Friday, the 13th!

If your children loved the last 8th Grade Hot Dog Lunch, they will be able to sign-up for the next hot lunch! The menu this time will be Goey Grilled Cheese with Soup (either Tomato or Chicken Noodle). Order forms will be sent home Friday, September 29th with a **firm return date of Wednesday, October 4th**!

Mark Your Calendar

The **Board for Christian Education** invites you to attend the first of two open meetings on Monday, October 23 from 6:30 to 7:30 p.m. The second open meeting is scheduled for April 30, 2018 also at 6:30 p.m.

Movie Offer: A Return to Grace: Luther's Life and Legacy

The school office still has a few of the anonymously donated tickets available to see the new Luther movie, "[A Return to Grace: Luther's Life and Legacy](#)" on Reformation Eve, **Monday, October 30th at 6:30 p.m. at the Marcus South Shore Cinema in Oak Creek.** There is a suggested minimum donation of \$9. One-hundred percent of donations received will be used in our mission projects.

Root River Run

[Martin Luther High School](#) (ML) will host a 5K run/walk event on **Saturday, October 7, 2017 from 8:00—11:30 a.m.** It is a very casual and family-friendly event that supports athletics at ML, and is often something that a number of Our Father's families take part in. Prizes will be awarded, and food will be served after the run!

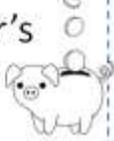
Scrip Contest Winner

Last week, we announced a contest to win a **\$5 Starbucks** card to whoever would place a Scrip order by 9/26! We are happy to announce that **Laura Kurth** is the winner! Congratulations, Laura! Look for more contests in the future!



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Our Father's Online Scrip Program Instructions

1. Create an account at www.shopwithscrip.com
2. Use the Our Father's Enrollment Code: **31A7813E23921** 
3. Shop! Your order will be added to our basket.



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Please place your order by Noon on
Tuesday, October 10th!

Thank You to all those who purchased Scrip cards! Our last order was 42% above this year's average and 2.5 times higher than the last two orders! In this one order, \$156.53 was raised.



Now is the time to start thinking about buying those **Christmas gift cards!** You can save yourself the budget-busting last minute gifts. And, at the same time, buy peace-of-mind, one card at a time!



Lutheran Answers to today's issues...

YOU are invited

*to strengthen your congregation's outreach to the unchurched in the South Wisconsin District. Prof. **Brad Alles** from Concordia University Wisconsin will be speaking on **Gender Confusion & Clarity** and what Scripture and science say about this issue's impact on our youth and families.*

*Also **Keith Peterson**, Ministry Resource Manager for Lutheran Hour Ministry (LHM), will be presenting how LHM is using Facebook and other Internet technologies to reach out to the unchurched in our church communities.*

Lunch will be served.

Cost per person is \$10.00.

For more information, please contact Ed Perkins at edwardperkins@att.net

When: Saturday, October 7, 9-1pm

Where: [Immanuel Lutheran, 13445 Hampton Rd., Brookfield.](#)

See attached flyer for complete details!



Our Father's Ev. Lutheran School

Greetings from Second Grade & Mrs. Van Hulst!

Mr. Suchy has been teaching the 2nd graders the proper form for typing on a computer. While their hands are small for the keyboard our goal is that the children will learn where the letters are so as they need to type reports on the computer they will be able to be successful without it taking an exorbitant amount of time.

During math, the second graders have been learning various addition strategies to make math facts easy for them. While many still rely on their fingers they have also learned double facts, near doubles, fact families, turn around facts, and making ten while adding either 8 or 9. My goal for this class is that they have addition facts up to sums of 20 memorized before they leave 2nd grade as well as the related subtraction facts.

We continue being physicists in science class classifying matter. We learned about color, luster, and texture this week. Social studies time is spent learning about our world.

Daily 5 (which is our language arts time) is off to a slow start. We are adding work on writing with our English book, and we haven't started to read to someone yet. Hopefully that will take off in the near future. We have been reading quite a few books, though. I will be able to include Daily 5 reading time on your child's read-a-thon chart for the classroom. Please consider participating in the Read-a-thon. Monies raised from this fundraiser and future school-wide fundraisers will go towards our goal of improving our playground.

I would like each family to know that your child **should correct any work with a score of 75% or less**. I will regrade the work and update the grade in the grade book. Your child may also correct work with higher grades to earn a better grade, I will leave that up to you. Beginning second quarter, I will average the two grades together and record the averaged grade.

We are learning how to read and sing hymns from our hymnal and follow the order of Matins for Chapel. When you are in church, please encourage your child to sing along with the congregation. We have been following the Israelites on their journey into the Promised Land of Canaan during our religion time.

Yours In Christ,

Mrs. VanHulst

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The next Scrip order will be placed on

Tuesday, October 10th!

Earn money to go towards your child's lunch account or tuition by buying Scrip from OFLS!

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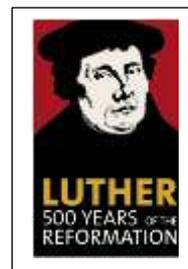
Rev. Dr. Karl F. Fabrizio

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Our Father's Ev. Lutheran School

Reformation Festival, Saturday, Noon-3 p.m., October 28th!

Festival. We are asking that you sign up to volunteer by Friday, October 6 to allow adequate time to plan and prepare. This event cannot be run by the faculty alone. If the unfortunate event arises that we cannot get enough volunteers, we would need to cancel the Festival.



Please sign up to help by October 6!

Potential Volunteer Roles:

- **Kitchen Help:** Help serve food in the kitchen as well as refill bowls of snacks in the gym
- **Host an Information Booth** (Looking for 10-12): Help create a display of pictures and a short monologue detailing certain events of the Reformation or Martin Luther's life. Dressing up in character is certainly welcome.
- **Tent Host** (Looking for 10-12): This year, games will be played in "tents" in the gym. Volunteer to help decorate a tent, run a game, or both at the festival. A list of games, and maybe more importantly an explanation of those games, can be found by contacting Mr. Wingfield. If you have your own idea for a game that fits the historical time frame, please present it to Mr. Wingfield for approval.
- **Arts and Crafts Helper** (10-12): There will be many arts and crafts opportunities for the students. Helpers would help make sure clean space is available as new students come to create their masterpieces as well as helping students who need some assistance.

Please contact the School Office if you have any questions or would like to sign up to volunteer.

Phone: (414) 282-7500

Read-A-Thon!



The students at Our Father's Ev. Lutheran School are participating in a **Read-a-Thon as their fall fundraiser this year from October 2-15**. We are all excited for the kids to be able to use their love of learning and reading to raise money **towards new playground equipment** for the school! Information regarding the fundraiser was sent home with the students on Thursday (9/28).

Please help make this a successful and fun event for the kids with your support and generosity. If anyone knows of a local business that would be interested in supporting the school in exchange for free advertising, there is information in the school office. Feel free to contact **Carolyn Nicholson** with any questions regarding this event. Happy reading, everyone!!