

Memorial Lutheran School

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NEWSLETTER – 10

October 28 – November 1, 2024

IMPORTANT DATES

Friday, November 1	No School – Parent-Teacher consultations
Sunday, November 3	Students sing at Memorial
Monday, November 4	Picture retakes/ Culvers Share Night
Sunday, November 10	Tuition Due
Monday, November 11	Visitor from MLS
Friday, November 15	Hot Lunch Served
Thursday, November 21	Bible Information Class 7-8 pm
Saturday, November 23	Bible information Class 10-11 am
Wed. – Friday, November 27-29	No School – Thanksgiving Break

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Kevin	November 4
Evelyn	November 8
Spencer	November 11



FROM MRS. LEITZ

Preschool and Kindergarten: This week in our Bible lesson we have been learning about the parable of the farmer planting the good seeds and the enemy planting weeds. We learn that believers and unbelievers are living together in the world but at the end of the world when Jesus comes again the believers will be taken into heaven forever and the unbelievers will be taken to hell with the devil. This is why it is important to feed our faith every day. We also have been learning about how Jesus used His almighty power to calm the storm with only a few words! We talked about how amazing it was for the disciples to see Jesus instantly stop the storm when they thought they might die. It emphasizes to us that God can help us with any troubles that come our way and He wants us to come to Him with all of our troubles. We certainly can trust that He conquered sin,

death, and the devil.

The three's have been practicing writing their names and reviewing the color purple this week. The four's have been working on the letters E and F this week. We also have been having fun painting pumpkins and other pumpkin activities.

Kindergarten has been learning more about addition this week in math. For Super Kids we met the Super Kid Lily for letter L. In science we have been learning about the different types of clouds there are and how they affect the weather. We have also been learning about Martin Luther and the Reformation.

Have a wonderful weekend!

FROM MRS. DOMKE AND GRADES 1-5

This week in our study of God's Word we learned about Jesus healing the paralyzed man. The man's friends brought him to Jesus, knowing full well that Jesus could heal him. What they got was even better than physical healing! The man received the forgiveness of sins, too! How wonderful that forgiveness is ours as well. May God give us the strength to share this wonderful truth with others.

A gentle reminder to continue sending in water bottles for your children to use in the classroom.

I'm very impressed with the work the kids have done with art so far! We have studied what frottage is, as well as the works of Piet Mondrian and Georgia O'Keeffe and made artwork in the same style. This week and next we are finishing up our big O'Keeffe style flowers using watercolors.

All Memorial students are invited to sing this Sunday, November 3, as we celebrate Reformation. We will warm up at 10:15 as usual and sing at the beginning of the service.

Have a fantastic week and weekend!

GENERAL INFORMATION

Parent-Teacher Conferences Thank you! A big thank you to all who were able to come in for the Parent/Teacher Conferences. What a joy to share all the good work your children are doing!

Chaple We will have our next chapel service with Pastor Mosher on Thursday, November 7. All are invited to attend. We begin promptly at 8:30a.

Michigan Lutheran Seminary On Monday, November 11, we will be visited by Mark Burger, admissions officer at MLS. He is going to share information about MLS. Parents and others are also welcome to come in that day. The presentation will begin at 2:00p. Please see Mrs. Domke if you have any questions.

Vision and Hearing Screenings Vision screening at Memorial will take place in the morning on December 9. Vision screenings will take place that same week on December 10.

Culvers Share Night Dine at Culvers of Okemos North on Monday, November 4 from 5-9p and Culvers will donate a percentage of all sales to Memorial Lutheran. Enjoy a delicious meal and benefit our school. See you there!

Bible Information Class At our opening service, Pastor Mosher mentioned a Bible Information Class for all parents of Memorial students who are not members of Memorial Lutheran Church. This class is a one-hour, brief overview of what your child will be learning at our school. All parents are invited to attend either on Thursday evening, November 21, from 7-8 pm or Saturday morning, November 23, from 10-11 am. There will be childcare available here at school (Mrs. Domke). We strongly urge all parents to take this brief class, so you know exactly what your kids are learning every day. There is also a longer, semester-long course that Pastor Mosher conducts

for those who'd like a deeper dive into the teaching of the Lutheran Church. If you have any questions or would like information about the more in-depth class, please speak with Mrs. Domke or Pastor Mosher.

Girls Basketball with Emanuel Lutheran School - Lansing the faculty of our sister school, Emanuel Lutheran in Lansing, invites girls in grades 4th and 5th to join their B team this school year. Practices will begin in early/mid-October with the season ending in early December. If interested, please get in touch with Pastor Joel Voss at joel.a.voss@gmail.com or 517-575-5281. Mrs. Brittany Mares will be coaching the B Team at Emanuel.

Boys Basketball with Emanuel Lutheran School - Lansing the faculty of our sister school, Emanuel Lutheran in Lansing, invites boys in grades 4th and 5th to join their B team this school year. Practices will begin in December. If interested, please get in touch with Pastor Joel Voss at joel.a.voss@gmail.com or 517-575-5281.

Memorial Clothing please visit studioshopgifts.com. Our memorial options are located on the apparel screen. Our clothing items are on sale!

Church and School Website Memorial Lutheran School and Church newsletters are posted on our church's website. Please check out the information at www.memorialwilliamston.org. The monthly church calendar is also posted on the website. We also have separate Facebook pages for church and for the school & preschool and invite you to see those. Please click on the "like" for those pages and help spread the word about our preschool and school to your Facebook friends.

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Picture RETAKE Day Picture retake day will be Monday, November 4th.

Submit Pictures If you have pictures of the students at school and/or at special events (field trips, cross country, etc.), and don't mind sharing. Please submit them to Stephanie Miller at secretary.memorial@gmail.com.

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The theme for this school year is ***Bring The Children to Jesus!*** It is based on Mark 10:14b Jesus said to them, "Let the little children come to me, and do not hinder them, for the kingdom of God belongs to such as these."

