



CRUSADER



Bethlehem Lutheran School

November 15, 2017

Favorite Team/Sports Dress Day is **tomorrow, the 16th**. Dress in your favorite team color or uniform. For safety reasons, regular shoes must be worn.

Thanksgiving Chapel & Feast

Our Thanksgiving Chapel will be at **10:30 am** Friday followed by the feast at approximately 11:15am. Students must wear chapel clothing on Friday! **Students will be dismissed at 12:00 noon for the Thanksgiving Break.**

Spelling Bee!

Please join us Friday, December 3rd at **12:30pm** in Luther Hall for our annual Spelling Bee. Classroom bees are complete and the following students will be representing their class:

1st - Hannah Bahn, Jason Bradshaw, Brian Jackson

2nd - Grace Emery, Ben Fox, Dylan Poloway

3rd - Moregan Christenson, Elena Lanza, Chase Tack

4th - Matthew Aplers, Max Vine, Noel White

5th - Alex Highley, Brenden Schober, Bella Vazeen

6th - Chunjae Stewart, Samantha Steyn, Jace Wakamatsu

7th - Nathan Highley, Julianne Moran, Hayden Steyn

8th - Pierce Lamprecht, Caleb Potts, Rithika Uppu

We will have 3 levels of competition starting with; 1st-2nd, 6th-8th, and 3rd-5th. We hope to see you there!

Crusader Basketball

November 11th the 8th grade girls' team met up with St. Teresa once again and played a close game and ended up with the winning score of 27-19. Ava Mellum led the team with 18 points. In their second game the girls took on Incline Parish. The Lady Crusaders cruised to a 31-17 victory. Sophia Shepard led the way with 10 points as scoring was distributed amongst the rest of the team.

7th grade girls took on Incline Parish for the second time and played a thrilling game, but ended up on the short end 16-25. Mikaela Christenson and Lily Foster both led with 6 points a piece.

November 12th the 7th grade girls' team took on St. Alberts and played an extremely exciting game. After being down by 8, they made a furious come back to tie the game with under a minute to go and then took the lead with 12 seconds left. Lily Foster led the team with 10 points as they won 12-10. The second game of the day did not go as well. They lost to Our Lady of the Snows 8-21. Scoring was distributed between Samantha Steyn, Anika Bryant, and Lily Foster.

The 8th grade girls team cruised in their first game of the day as they beat St. Alberts 34-5. Every player scored in this game. In their second game, they faced off against the unbeaten Little Flower Colts and handed them their first defeat, winning 25-14 with all six players contributing to the attack.

Church services on Sundays are at 8:00 & 10:30am with Sunday School at 9:15. Thanksgiving Eve Service Nov. 22nd at 6:30pm. Advent Service Nov. 29th at 6:30pm.

UPCOMING EVENTS

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| Nov. 15 | 5:30 pm | School Board Meeting |
| Nov. 16 | | Hot Lunch Order DUE |
| | | Team/Sport Dress Day |
| Nov. 17 | 10:30 am | Chapel & Thanksgiving Feast |
| | | Dismissal after lunch |
| Nov. 18-26 | | Teachers District Conference and Thanksgiving Holiday ~ School and Daycare Closed |
| Nov. 19 | 1:00 pm | 7th grade Bball at Manogue |
| | 4:00 pm | 8th grade Bball at Manogue |
| Dec. 1 | 12:30 pm | Spelling Bee |
| Dec. 8 | 9:00 am | Preschool-8th Grade Christmas Program |
| | 7:00 pm | 1st-8th Grade Christmas Program |
| Dec. 21 | | Student Early Release 12:00 noon |
| Dec. 22 | | End 2 nd Qtr. -Staff Work Day |
| | | No School or Daycare |
| Dec. 23-Jan.7 | | Christmas Break |
| | | School and Daycare Closed |

Toys For Tots!

We are asking for a donated toy or game (new and unwrapped) as a suggested entrance fee to the program that will go to **Toys for Tots**. Families who qualify for this program are families who without this program would not have any Christmas gifts.

Christmas at Bethlehem Gulch

Presented by BLS Drama and Choirs

Friday, December 8, 2017 in Luther Hall

9:00 am - Preschool-8th Choirs and Drama

This performance is great for those who want to video. Bring Grandma, Grandpa, other relatives, or friends!

7:00 pm - 1st-8th Choirs and Drama

This year our Christmas Program has a western theme! **All K-5th grade students and 6th-8th grade choir students** will be required to dress in their red or green polo shirts with blue jeans. This is the required dress for both the morning and evening programs. **Preschoolers** are required to dress in red or green shirts and blue jeans. No hats or other western garb, please.

We have currently collected \$539.15 in chapel offerings for Lutheran World Relief. We have through December 21st to collect.

The Scholastic Book Fair will be December 4th-8th. The book fair will be open Monday - Friday, 8:00 am to 8:45 am and 2:45 pm to 3:30 pm. The book fair will also be opened before and after both Christmas programs on Friday, December 8th. Volunteer sign ups will be sent out on Monday, November 27th.

Lost and Found

We have a table full of coats, sweaters, sweatshirts, lunch bags, etc. that need to be claimed. All items left at the Thanksgiving break will be donated to FISH.



Give thanks to the Lord, for He is good; His love endures forever. *Psalm 107:1*