

Crusader News 11/14/24

Remember, tomorrow is our chapel family dress and competition day. Wear your chapel family t-shirt and be ready from some fun competition.

Thanksgiving Feast is fast-approaching! **Order forms with payment must be in by this Friday 11/15**, as we need to give a head count to the caterer. Want to earn some PSP hours by helping out? Please check out the options: [Thanksgiving Feast Volunteer Signup](#)

A HUGE thank you to all of you who participated in the Gifts N Things Fall fundraiser! The school earned more than \$7,500 in profit thanks to your support! Amazing!!

Art to Remember fundraiser - If you missed the 11/12 deadline to have items shipped to the school, don't worry! You can still order your child's beautiful artwork! Orders placed now will ship to home, so keep an eye on Christmas shipping dates. You get personalized keepsake items, BLS still receives a profit from your order. Double win! <https://arttoremember.com/school/2RLGWZ>

Need PSP hours? We are looking for help setting up the stage and choir risers on **Friday, November 22nd** after the Thanksgiving Feast. If you are available, please show up after the feast is cleaned up.

Join us **Thursday, December 12th**, for our 2024 Christmas Program, **The Grinch Revisited**.

The Grinch Revisited tells the story of someone who dislikes the holiday because he had seen how some people have become so busy they no longer enjoy the festivities they are attending, how other people are so focused on getting fancy name brand gifts they have forgotten to be thankful, and how others are more worried about keeping up with the Jones that they miss the true meaning of Christmas. Come join us as we walk with Mr. Grinch and see what Christmas is truly all about!

Preschool and PreK, Kindergarten through 5th grade choirs, recorders, and drama club at 9:00am.

Kindergarten through 5th grade choirs, recorders, and drama club at 6:00pm.

Our morning performance is a good time to invite grandparents, friends, and church members. **All choir students** are asked to wear red, green, black, white, or bright Christmas colors in any combination. **No blue jeans or tattered clothing is to be worn.** Our choir is to be NEAT and CLEAN for the 2 performances while keeping within the color scheme. **This dress is for both the 9:00am and 6:00pm performances.**

Dates Coming Up

- November 15th Thanksgiving Feast forms with payment are **DUE**
- November 15th Chapel Family Color & Competition Day
- November 22nd Thanksgiving Chapel and Feast – dismissal after feast
- November 23rd-December 1st Thanksgiving Break **No School, Preschool, or Daycare**
- December 6th Spelling Bee 1st-8th grades at **12:30pm**
- December 7th BLC All Youth & Family Christmas day 12:30pm
- December 8th BLC Sunday School Christmas Program at the 9:15am service
- December 9th CPTL meeting at **6pm**
- December 12th Christmas Program **9am and 6pm**
- December 13th Ugly Christmas Shirt/Sweater & Movie Day
- December 20th End of 2nd Quarter Minimum Day Dismissal at **12:00pm**

Bethlehem Lutheran Church & School - Join Us for All Youth & Family Christmas Day!

Saturday, December 7th - 12:30 – 2:00 p.m. Church Fellowship Hall

All families, friends, and youth are invited for a wonderful afternoon of holiday fun, crafts, and treats! Bring your Christmas cheer and let's celebrate the season together with activities everyone will enjoy:

Craft Stations – Create festive crafts to take home

Gingerbread House Decorating – Build and decorate your own gingerbread house with graham crackers, candy, and icing!

Holiday Treats & Refreshments – Delicious snacks and drinks for everyone

Christmas Music & Fellowship – Enjoy the joy of the season with friends old and new

Bring your family and friends! Let's make this an afternoon filled with holiday joy, laughter, and memories for all. [Flyer attached!](#)