## THE WEEK OF JANUARY 13, 2021 – JANUARY 19, 2021 "Believe Jesus is the Way. Have Peace."



*WORSHIP* – Thursday, January 14<sup>th</sup> @ 6:30pm and Sunday, January 17<sup>th</sup> @ 8:00 am and 10:30 am. Sermons can also be found on the Eastside website at <u>www.eastsidelutheran.org</u>. Please make worship a part of your life.

<u>PRINCIPAL'S PERSPECTIVE</u> – Lord, as we begin this new year, continue to be my guide. I know things will not always go the way that I want, but I know each day is a blessing from you. I know you have my path carved out for me. I know you will use me to be a blessing in your kingdom. Give me the strength and courage to let everyone know I am Christian through my thoughts, words, and actions. Grant me peace for your sake. Amen.

<u>NO SCHOOL</u> There will be NO SCHOOL on Monday, January 18<sup>th</sup> in observance of MLK Jr. Day. Childcare is closed as well. There will also be NO SCHOOL Friday, January 29<sup>th</sup>.

<u>CHILDCARE CALENDAR –</u> Attached is the February Childcare calendar. If you are using childcare next month please fill out the calendar and return it to school. That way we are sure to be properly staffed.

<u>FUN FRIDAYS</u> – This Friday is bring your stuffed animal to school day. Bring that favorite stuffed bear, dog or whatever animal holds that special place in your heart.

Jan. 15 Jan. 22 Jan. 29 Feb. 5 Feb. 12 Feb. 19	Stuffed Animal Day Camo Day NO SCHOOL Neon Day 80's Day
Feb. 12	
Feb. 19	NO SCHOOL
Feb. 26	Workout Day
Mar. 5	Stoplight Day (red, yellow, green)
Mar. 12	Flannel Day



<u>BOX TOPS</u> – Thank you to everyone who has continued to contribute to our Box Top program. Eastside received a check for \$146.50! We are so grateful for your hard work. We are still looking for a person to be in charge of this program. This person would need to be willing to enter into the website any clipped Box Tops or receipts that come into school. If you are interested in filling this position or just have questions about the Box Top program please contact Mrs. Paske.

<u>PARENT/TEACHER CONFERENCES</u> – Now that the second quarter has wrapped up and third quarter is underway, we are once again getting ready for parent/teacher conferences. They will be held the week of Jan. 25. Conferences are not required unless parents wish to meet with their child's teacher or if the teacher desires to meet with you. These conferences will be done virtually again through Google Meet, Zoom, etc. Each teacher will be sending home a note indicating their availability and share details for the conference.

## CALL UPDATE-

Here is the letter with Eric Duve's decision on the call to teach 4th grade at Eastside.

January 10th, 2021

To the members of Eastside Lutheran Church and School:

In the name of Jesus, our Savior,

On December 13th, 2020, your congregation extended me a divine call to serve as a teacher of grade 4 in your school. After much prayerful consideration, the Lord has led me to accept your call to serve as a teacher in your school. Thank you for all of the prayers that were said for me and my family during this time. I ask that you pray for my current congregation of St. Paul's, as we are currently in the middle of a pastoral vacancy and now my position will be open as well. My family and I look forward to meeting you all and becoming a part of your church and school family.

In Christ's service,

Mr. Eric Duve

We thank God for blessing us with Eric and his family. We continue to keep St. Paul's, Bangor in our prayers as they currently have a pastoral vacancy and now a teacher vacancy. We look forward to the Duve family joining the Eastside family this summer.



<u>MILK MOOLA</u> – Just a quick reminder to continue to save your Prairie Farms milk caps. For every cap code redeemed, Prairie Farms will donate 5 cents back to school. Please send them to school. Thank you for your help making Eastside great!



<u>SPELLING BEE</u> - Eastside will be conducting its school spelling bee this year albeit much differently than in years past. Each class will conduct a spelling bee with the in person students. These will take place in the next two weeks. The two finalists from each grade will compete in the final of the school spelling bee. This will take place the week of January 25.

<u>SIX FLAGS READING PROGRAM</u> – Usually this time of the year we start gearing up for the Six Flags Reading Program but the program has been suspended due to COVID. Any unused tickets earned from 2020 season will be valid through August 31, 2021.

<u>MARTIN LUTHER COLLEGE STUDENT TEACHERS –</u> January 18-March 26 Eastside Lutheran School will have two students from Martin Luther College joining the team to do their student teaching. Ms. Clara Kammueller will be student teaching in the second grade room with Mrs. Rank. Ms. Hannah Hinz will join the crew in fifth grade and work with Mrs. Rachel Kass. We look forward to their arrival and a positive experience with our Eastside family.

<u>LLHS NEWS</u> – We know many families with younger children look forward to the various grade school events we host. If you know such a family who is wondering what's on and what's not, know that in coming weeks...

7th grade Warrior for a Day, Winter Dance Clinic, Kinderfest, 2nd grade campus visits: all canceled

*LES Grade School Basketball Tournament:* No decision yet (though it will not be the scheduled weekend regardless since WIAA events have taken over the LL calendar in February)

Spring Break Tech Ed Maker's Camp & April 6th gr playdate: No decisions



January 15 – Wyatt Burger – PreK

Eastside Lutheran School 2021-2022 Calendar		
August 18 September 6 October 15 October 20-21 October 22 October 28-29 November 24 November 25-26 December 22 December 22 December 23-January 4 January 17 February 2-3 February 2-3 February 4 February 17-18 February 28 March 11 March 12-20 April 15-18 May 26 May 26	First Day of School / Early Dismissal @ 11:30 Labor Day - NO SCHOOL End of First Quarter (42 days) Parent/Teacher Conferences NO SCHOOL WLSTC - NO SCHOOL Early Dismissal @ 11:30 Thanksgiving Break - NO SCHOOL Children's Christmas Services (10:00 and 6:30) End of Second Quarter (43 days) / Early Dismissal @ 11:00 Christmas Break - NO SCHOOL MLK Day - NO SCHOOL Parent/Teacher Conferences NO SCHOOL WWDTC - NO SCHOOL WWDTC - NO SCHOOL End of Third Quarter (43 days) Spring Break - NO SCHOOL Easter Break - NO SCHOOL Easter Break - NO SCHOOL End of Third Quarter (47 days) / Early Dismissal @ 11:30 Graduation/Closing Service @ 6:30	



The answer to last week's mystery person is.....#8 Alyssa Scharrer

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What is your favorite school subject? Latin How many states have you been to? 17 What is something you are really good at? packing/organizing If you could choose a unique super power, what would it be? Ultimate strength What is your favorite movie? Hoosiers What is your favorite game to play? Sheepshead What is the grossest food you have ever tried? Shark

## Choices:

Alyssa Scharrer - 3K/4K teacher Marie Laich - Kindergarten teacher Emily Everhart - 1st grade teacher Tracy Rank - 2nd grade teacher Jenni Berg - 3rd grade teacher Beth Schmiege - 4th grade teacher Rachel Kass - 5th grade teacher Anne Heller - 6th grade teacher Kip Wilson - 7th/8th grade teacher Ben Rank - principal Nathan Berg - pastor Peter Schlicht - pastor Amanda Peterseen - church secretary Trina Paske - school secretary Laurie Kamin - childcare Becky Dretske - childcare Mercedes Frank - childcare Elise Saidler - childcare