

## THE WEEK OF OCTOBER 21 – OCTOBER 27, 2020

*“Believe Jesus is the Way. Have Peace.”*



WORSHIP – Thursday, October 22 @ 6:30pm and Sunday, October 25 @ 8:00 am and 10:30 am. Please make worship a part of your life.

PRINCIPAL’S PERSPECTIVE – One of the many highlights of the school year is the children’s Christmas service. This has always been an amazing opportunity to hear the children express their faith and share the Christmas story through word and song. This year it will be different, but it will happen. Each classroom has been assigned a recitation and song. These will be recorded individually by classroom following safety guidelines and requirements. These recordings will be put together to provide a service that will be shared in the same fashion we have shared our chapel services. While this won’t be the same in the sense of gathering together to hear God’s Word in recitation and song, we will all be able to hear God’s Word from the children. What a blessing this will be!



NO SCHOOL – There will be **NO SCHOOL** Thursday, October 29<sup>th</sup> and Friday, October 30<sup>th</sup>. Childcare will not be offered on those days. Please make other arrangements.

WEATHER CHANGE-APPROPRIATE APPERAL- The weather is about to take a turn to the cooler/colder side starting tomorrow and moving forward. Please make sure your child has the appropriate apparel items to be comfortable outside. This would include, but not limited to coats, hats or headbands, gloves or mittens. **Our goal continues to get the students as much fresh air time as we possibly can.** Thank you in advance for your cooperation and assistance.

EAGLE SPIRIT GEAR – The deadline to order Eagle gear is quickly approaching. A few new items have been added to the site and you can check them out at this link [EAGLE GEAR](#). All orders need to be placed online by **Tuesday, October 27th**. These orders will arrive prior to the Thanksgiving break. Please speak with Mr. Rank if you have any questions. Go Eagles!



NOVEMBER CHILDCARE – Please turn in your November childcare calendar if you plan on using childcare this next month. Check out the LINKS tab in Fast Direct for a calendar, email Mrs. Paske at [schooloffice@eastsidelutheran.org](mailto:schooloffice@eastsidelutheran.org) or ask for one when you pick up your kiddo from childcare. Also childcare can be reached (especially after 3:00pm) at the childcare cell phone 608-219-8488.

CARSIDE MEALS TO GO! Mr. Heller, our school chef, will be making heat and eat dinners available for purchase on Wednesdays, beginning October 28th, until Thanksgiving. Proceeds will go to the “First Loved” Fund to benefit those with food and



housing insecurities. An Action Team Grant from Thrivent is assisting with this project. The first meal is available on Wednesday, October 28th. Chicken Noodle Soup, Salad, dinner roll and dessert are offered. Please place your order before Tuesday, October 27th. The cost is \$7.00 per meal/portion. A soup to go container that serves 4 is \$12.00. Wednesday, November 4th the meal is Cream of Potato Soup with a Turkey Deluxe Sandwich and a dessert. Be sure to place your order by November 3rd. The cost is \$7.00 per meal/portion. A soup to go container that serves 4 is \$12.00. You can order your meal(s) by calling Amanda in the church office. Reserve your pick up time on the 28th from 3:15-5:00pm. Pick up will be in the church narthex. Questions, call or email Laurie Kamin at 608-244-3045 or [lkamin@eastsidelutheran.org](mailto:lkamin@eastsidelutheran.org).



NOVEMBER 3 – ALL SCHOOL VIRTUAL/REMOTE LEARNING DAY- On Tuesday November 3 Eastside’s gym will be used as a polling place for the fall elections. As a result we will shift to an all school virtual/remote learning day. Each teacher will be providing instructions on what is going to occur and how it is going to occur. On Wednesday November 4, the gym will not be used so that additional cleaning and ventilation can take place. Thank you in advance for your cooperation in this effort!

CHRISTMAS SERVICE - As mentioned in the principal’s perspective we will be putting together a children’s Christmas service that will be able to be viewed and shared by friends and family of our students.

When the time comes for recording, we will want the children to dress up for this. More communication will be coming in regards to this and the work that has begun by our students to make this event of sharing the birth of Jesus happen.

FUN FRIDAY SCHOOL SPIRIT DAYS- This Friday we will continue with our themed Fun Fridays. This week our theme is fall costume. Students are welcome to dress in a costume. Please note that costume masks will not be permitted as we will need to continue wearing our masks/face coverings per COVID-19 requirements. We are looking forward to seeing the costumes!

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| Oct. 23 | Fall Costume                           |
| Oct. 30 | NO SCHOOL                              |
| Nov. 6  | Red, White, Blue / Patriotic           |
| Nov. 13 | Ugly Tie                               |
| Nov. 20 | Disney / Star Wars / Marvel Characters |
| Nov. 27 | NO SCHOOL                              |
| Dec. 4  | Favorite Sports Team                   |
| Dec. 11 | Pajamas                                |
| Dec. 18 | Christmas                              |



The dress code must still be maintained and masks / face coverings must be worn. Students must be prepared for recess and phy ed outside. Please ask Mr. Rank if you have any questions.

2nd QUARTER MISSION PROJECT - We are in the second week of our second quarter. This means we are on to our second quarter mission project which is Wisconsin Lutheran Chapel in Madison. This is a unique ministry as the church has a small core

membership, but its main goal is to serve students at UW Madison. We look forward to hearing more about this ministry from Pastor Jon Bilitz in the next week or two.

COVID-19 PROTOCOL REMINDERS - Here are some reminders to assist you as you are determining how to handle a health situation that may arise. As always, if you have any questions, please contact Mr. Rank and/or your child's teacher.

1. If your child is not feeling well, please keep them home.
2. Please let the Mr. Rank, the school office, and/or your child's teacher know your child is staying home and what symptoms he/she may be exhibiting.
2. If your child has symptoms that are in line with COVID-19, please contact your health provider about getting tested.
3. Please inform Mr. Rank if someone in your household is being tested.
4. Please inform Mr. Rank of the results of any COVID-19 tests.
5. Please inform Mr. Rank if someone in your household is considered a close contact.
6. If you have questions about COVID-19 symptoms, testing, quarantining, or any other aspect of dealing with COVID-19, please contact Mr. Rank.



At school we continue to emphasize washing of the hands/using hand sanitizer, wearing the face coverings, being socially distant to the greatest extent possible. Thank you for continuing to do your part for us to have a healthy school environment.

SCRIP BONUSFEST— Celebrate the rest of October with 2-day bonuses every Friday and Saturday. Whether you're updating your home, shopping for fall clothes, or stocking up on holiday gifts, earn up to 20% on your shopping list. All card types are included. Brands and bonuses change every weekend. Check the Scrip website [www.shopscrip.com](http://www.shopscrip.com) on Friday so you don't miss out!

BONUS \* FEST

NO SCRIP- There will be NO Scrip online order placed the week of October 26<sup>th</sup> due to the shortened school week. On hand sales will still be available.

BOARD OF CHILD DISCIPLESHIP (BOCD) OPEN FORUM MEETING - On Monday November 16, the BoCD will have their monthly meeting. From 6:00-6:45 will be an open forum for families to participate. At 6:45 the meeting will be closed for the board to conduct the remainder of their meeting. Please watch for more information and details in upcoming newsletters.

LLHS NEWS— Did you know LLHS is in the top 1%? Consistently ranked in the top 1% of state ACT scores, Lakeside educates, encourages and equips students for life and eternity—and provides a wide range of classes, sports and extracurricular activities. The Lakeside difference is why over 400 students from Janesville, Madison, Middleton, Sun Prairie, Beaver Dam, and Oconomowoc travel to Lake Mills—and it's not just the free busing.

\*\*Also Lakeside is hosting an Open House for all current 8<sup>th</sup> graders and their parents on Tuesday, Oct. 27<sup>th</sup> from 5:30-7:30pm. There is no better time to check out this fantastic school! Please RSVP by October 19<sup>th</sup> to Mr. Lauber at [slauber@llhs.org](mailto:slauber@llhs.org) with names and number attending.

