

Mission Statement

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FROM THE PRINCIPAL

The other day I had the opportunity to stop by one of the 3K/4K rooms for a little bit. While there, I had the pleasure of watching my little 4K friend use a long piece of cardboard to launch a car in the air. He had figured out that if you use a bigger truck as a fulcrum, you could launch the car higher. And, he had taken the time to barricade the area to make sure that spectators were a safe distance away as he experimented with different lengths for the cardboard (lever) and different objects of different heights (fulcrum) to put his cardboard on. I was reminded of how truly and wondrous it is to watch the mind of a child as they unlock the mysteries of the natural world our Lord has placed us in. What a blessing to be able to see on a daily basis the natural curiosity and visible learning of the children he has placed in our care. I am reminded every day of how truly wonderfully we are made by our Creator.

Wooden stackable toys can lead to some interesting “conversations” on how best to stack them



Even a few extra boxes saved from the dumpster can unlock children’s natural creativity and curiosity



Short Week, No Eagle and Early Release

As a reminder, next week will be a short week. We will not publish an edition of The Eagle next week. Additionally, we will have an early release on Tuesday, October 25. All students will be dismissed at 2:00 PM. Any students not picked up by 2:10 PM will be brought to after school care.

Trunk or Treat

One last reminder of our Trunk or Treat event this Saturday, October 22. Please join us (if only to get a little candy) from 1-3 PM.

Parent/Teacher Consultations

Information regarding Parent/Teacher Consultations went home with students. Consultations will be conducted on November 1st and 3rd and are required for all students. You can access an electronic version of the letter [here](#) if you find out that the one given to your student did not make it home.

Call/Teacher Updates for Next Year

Mrs. Parson’s departure from our school and the continued growth of our student population has resulted in some anticipated shuffling and calling of new teachers for the 2023-2024 school year. Mrs. Rachel Blum will be moving into our open Extended Learning position at the end of the current school year. Mrs. Hope Loescher is currently on a one year call for 3rd grade and our 5th and 6th grade will need to be separated next year. At the call meeting on Monday, October 17, the following individuals were called to serve at St. Paul:

Mr. Joshua Lepke - 5th Grade and Associate AD

- Currently serving at St. Paul, Muskego, WI

Miss Elizabeth Broring - 3rd Grade

- Currently serving at Trinity, Marinette, WI

Miss Melissa N Koenig - 1st Grade

- Currently serves at St. Mark in Bemidji, MN.

Please keep these individuals and all our current staff members in your prayers.

Built on the Rock Update

We were notified on October 19 that we are moving rapidly into the next phase of our building project. This will involve relocation of the Clay Street entrance, relocation of the playground and the addition of an emergency exit door. Beginning on Thursday, October 20 the Clay Street entrance and the parking lot south of school will be closed. The only entrance to the remaining parking lot will be from Webster Avenue until further notice. Drop off and pick up locations will remain the same at this time, but will need to change as construction moves forward.

Enter on Webster and park southwest of the building for student pickup immediately after school



SCHOOL NEWS

Athletics-Mr. Jammer

A big THANK YOU to our A-VB coach, Mrs. Kelly Dedow, for coaching this season! Also, THANK YOU volunteers who helped this volleyball and soccer season. VB and soccer players should return their uniforms cleaned and neat if that hasn’t already been done. Basketball/Cheer practices begin next week!

Technology- Mr. Brennan

Any technology concerns please contact me at jared.brennan@stpaulgreenbay.com.

Junior Choir - We sing for the area Reformation service on Sunday, October 30th, which is being held at First Lutheran Church here in Green Bay. The service begins at 4:00. We will meet there at 3:30 to warm up and find our places, because Praise Chimes also need to prepare.

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Praise Chimes - We will ring our chimes for the first time this year at the area Reformation service, which is being held at First Lutheran Church here in Green Bay. The service begins at 4:00; we will meet there at 3:30 to warm up and find our ringing area in the church.

Extended Learning- Mrs. Plitzuweit

Quarterly progress reports will be coming home with the report cards next week. Please take a look at them and if you have questions or would like to discuss next steps please feel free to check in with me during consultations. I will be at school during the entirety of those times slots.

PTO

Our athletic program heavily relies on volunteers. As we head into winter sports, please remember: If you have children in our athletic program, we ask that you volunteer at least 5 times during the year per child. The sign-up to volunteer for our winter sports can be found [here!](#) **Seroogy's money/candy is due tomorrow.** Thanks to everyone who participated. LESS THAN TWO WEEKS left in our Spirit Wear sale! Order now online or send in this [order form](#) with your payment to the office.

CLASSROOM NEWS

7 & 8-Mr. Brennan

1st quarter is done, 2nd quarter is here. While 7-8th grade should be familiar with school and the rules, it is a good time to stop and think about whether or not we are setting a good Christian example for the younger students as we move into the 2nd quarter. We have projects a plenty as the Bible History Fair is on Nov. 11th and the 7-8 Geography class will have a 12/1 project due on South America. Basketball and Cheer start next week as well, so planning and focusing on homework before sports is an important responsibility.

5 & 6-Mr. Jammer

Thank you to our families and friends who purchased and donated books from the Book Fair last week for our classroom library. We continue our study of the Apostles' Creed with the 2nd Article in catechism. Shortly, we will be switching to a new unit in science, Mixtures and Solutions. Thank you to our chaperones yesterday for our visit to FVL to see the play, "Clue". As mentioned last week, be looking for 1st Quarter reports on Tuesday with Parent/Teacher Consultations the following week.

4-Mrs. Hepner

As the 2nd quarter begins, a new set of projects are beginning. This is a chance for a fresh start on grades and homework. We are stressing the importance of checking our work before turning it in, so please encourage bringing home assignments even if they complete them at school to take a second look at problems and answers. Book Report books need to be chosen by the 26th of October. Important information about our OT History Fair projects went home this week. Looking ahead, 3rd and 4th graders are singing at St. Paul on November 6th at the 10:30am service.

3-Mrs. Loescher

This week, we started a new novel - Stuart Little, which is by the same author as Charlotte's Web (E.B. White.) We have also started studying the environment in Social Studies. If you haven't seen the new Memory Treasure calendar that was sent home last Monday, you can find it on our class website. Keep in mind that longer items (such as the Second Article) should be practiced several days in a row.

2-Mrs. Bakeberg

We sing this Sunday (23rd) in the 10:30 service. We will meet in our classroom at **10:15** for a warmup; then we will bring the students down

to the church to sit with you until it's time to sing. After singing, they can return to sit with your family. We are working on near doubles for math facts, and breaking apart numbers to find the sums. For science, we were outside looking for objects/buildings made with earth materials. It should be fun to notice these things when the building begins!

1-Mrs. Blum

We sing this Sunday (23rd) in the 10:30 service. We will meet in the 2nd grade classroom at **10:15** for a warmup; then we will bring the students down to the church to sit with you until it's time to sing. After singing, they can return to sit with your family. We are learning about weather in science, using open number lines to add and subtract in math, and have just begun studying nonfiction texts in reading. We are also learning about Jesus calling his first disciples.

K-Mrs. Jammer

Report cards come home on Tuesday, Oct. 25, the same day as early release. Our newest Superkid is Sal who likes sports. You received a green paper with words to practice at home. It is important to practice the words until your child can blend and read them easily. Our new math topic is comparing numbers 0-10. Our science unit is on observing the weather. Remember there is no school Oct. 27-28 due to Teachers Conference.

3K & 4K-Mrs. Zabell & Mrs. Nelson

Second grade got new desks, so WE got BOXES! (See photo above.) We used spatial awareness to match lids with containers, we mixed colors on coffee filters, and drew lines and circles to help with pre-writing skills. We learned that Joseph forgave his brothers. We remember that God forgives all of our sins, and that's why we can forgive too!

FROM THE OFFICE

Lost and Found items from the 1st quarter are on a table in the Activity Center. Next Tuesday (10/25) all items left will be donated.

Our library staff want to **thank our grandparents and parents** for our success at the **Book Fair**. We earned about \$4,000 and 228 books! 168 books went to our library and 60 books went to classrooms.

UPCOMING DATES

- October 22** - Trunk R' Treat (1pm-3pm)
- October 25** - Early Release/Report Cards go home
- October 27 & 28** - NO SCHOOL - Teacher Conference
- November 1 & 3** - Parent/Teacher Consultations

You can find a link to the full school calendar [here](#).
You can find our Google Calendar [here](#).



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