

The Cardinal Chronicle

August 30, 2023



Upcoming Events

Sept. 1 - NO SCHOOL

Sept. 4 - NO SCHOOL - Labor Day

Sept. 8 - Chapel devotion - 8:15 am at church

Hot Lunch

There is no hot lunch this week.

Mission Offering

Progress:

Chapel offerings will be collected next Friday.

God has truly blessed our first few days of school, which have been full of excitement for the teachers and students. It has been so good to see all of the students return after a well-earned summer break. This year our school theme is "Let Your Light Shine." Our Savior tells us in Matthew 5:14-16 to "let your light shine before others, that they may see your good deeds and glorify your Father in heaven." When we are in God's Word and listen to his teachings, we can reflect the light of our Savior by our words and actions. We not only glorify God through our words and actions, but we also attract those who are in darkness to the light of the Gospel. Throughout the school year, the teachers and students will focus on studying the Scriptures and having our lives reflect what God tells us so that others can't help but notice that Jesus is the light that they need too. Thank you for sending your children to St. John, and we look forward to a school year filled with our lights shining brightly.

Serving Christ,
Mr. Aguilar

Cross Country

If any 3-8 grade student is interested in running cross country, please reach out to Hannah Langebartels at (414) 758-8607 or hlangebartels@stjohnpeshtigo.org. St. John has the potential to run in four meets in September and October, but it does depend on the interest level of students.

Mission Offering

Our first semester mission offering will be going to support a new WELS church being formed in Marquette, MI. The WELS is in the process of starting 100 new missions over the next 10 years, and this site was chosen as a place where there is great potential for ministry. You can read more about the work being planned there at: <https://wels.net/sometimes-its-just-clear/>. Mission offerings will be collected during our chapel service on Fridays.

Hot Lunch

On Fridays, we like to offer a hot lunch to our students that is provided by parent volunteers. Our first hot lunch **starts next week** Friday, September 8, but the following three weeks, **we do not have any volunteers**. Please, if you can help us out for the next few weeks or at any other time during the school year, go to our **Signup Genius on our school website**. If you have any questions regarding hot lunch, please contact Mrs. Sargent either by email at school@stjohnpeshtigo.org or by phone at 920-228-1563. If we do not have any volunteers for a given Friday, it will be noted in the Wednesday school newsletter. Please make sure to send a packed lunch with your child(ren) that Friday.

Thank You

Thank you to our CEA (Christian Education Association) and to Cody and Johanna Maedke for hosting a Back to School get together at their pond last Sunday. The children had an awesome time swimming and it was a great way to meet some of our new school families. Parents, please watch for more information regarding our CEA meetings and activities in the following newsletters.



September Birthdays

Sept. 7 - Josie Ruiz
Sept. 15 - Frankie Seewald
Sept. 16 - Harlyn McDonald
Sept. 19 - Brady Charapata
Sept. 22 - Noah Hartwig
Sept. 25 - Fletcher Nielson
Sept. 29 - Oliver Mech
Sept. 30 - Sawyer Kamps

Tuition Payments

For those making monthly tuition payments, please look for an email reminder by the end of next week. Payments can be given to Mrs. Sargent in the school office or mailed to the school. Checks should be made payable to **St. John Lutheran Church** or just **St. John**. Monthly payments are **due by the 20th of each month**.

Registration Forms and T-Shirt Payments

Parents, if you have not yet returned the Student Profiles, Contacts, Immunization and Medication forms for your child(ren) or have yet to pay for your school themed T-shirts, please do so as soon as possible. You can send them with your child or drop them off at the School Office. Thank you!

Remind

St. John uses the website/app *Remind* for mass communication with our families, most importantly for letting everyone know about school cancellations and delays. If you are not signed up yet to receive messages from *Remind* please do so soon. Text @43c6a3 to the number 81010 to sign up.