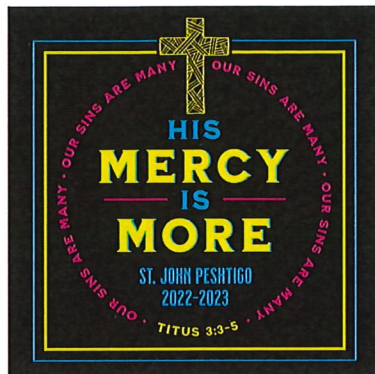


St. John Lutheran School

The Cardinal Chronicle

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Grownups, Goodies and God

On January 20, we will be hosting an event entitled Grownups, Goodies, and God. Each student is invited to bring an important grownup (or two or three!) to enjoy some breakfast goodies at school before joining us for chapel. This event will start at 7:45 am. At 8:15 we will head over to church for chapel, and all grownups are invited to join us for our devotion.

Upcoming Events

- Jan. 12 - LPS visit for Gr. 3 - 8 from Pastor Chartrand
- Jan. 12 - Boys' Basketball vs Bay City at Trinity, Marinette - 5:30 pm
- Jan. 13 - Chapel devotion - 8:15 am
- Jan. 13 - Hot Lunch
- Jan. 13 - End of 2nd Quarter
- Jan. 14 - Boys' Basketball Tournament - St. Paul's Algoma
- Jan. 17 - Boys' Basketball vs Twin City at Trinity, Marinette - 5:30 pm
- Jan. 18 - Report Cards go home
- Jan. 18 - Lutheran Pioneers meeting at Zion, Peshtigo - 5:30 - 7:00 pm
- Jan. 20 - Grownups, Goodies and GOD! - 7:45 am
- Jan. 22 - CEA meeting - 11:00 am at school following church service
- Jan. 27 - Record children singing for church on Jan. 29
- Feb. 3 - Social Studies Fair - 2:15 - 2:45 pm

Hot Lunch

This week's hot lunch will be grilled cheese sandwiches provided by the Schwittay family in honor of Adalyn and Colton's birthdays this month. The cost is \$2 per person. We still have two spots open for someone to serve hot lunch, on April 14 and 21. Please go to our Sign Up Genius on our school website if you could help us on those dates.

Social Studies Fair

We will be having a Social Studies fair this year on February 3. The students will continue to work with their teachers to create a social studies fair project over the next few weeks to display on that day. Friends and family of the students are invited to come to view the projects from 2:15 - 2:45 pm on Feb. 3, and then students will be dismissed from school as normal. Hope to see you there!

Report Cards

This Friday, January 13, marks the end of our second quarter. Report cards will be sent home next week Wednesday, January 18.

School Choice Update

The open enrollment to apply for the Wisconsin Parental Choice Program begins Wednesday, February 1. Please find attached a note with more information about this program as well as an Income Eligibility Chart. You can address any questions you may have about the program to Hannah Langebartels, our School Choice Administrator.

Recording Song for Church

On Friday, January 27, we will be recording the children in Grades K - 8 singing the song **Blest Are They**, which will be shown in church on Sunday, January 29. We ask that all the children please wear their **black** school themed T-shirts to school that day for the recording, which will be shared with our area Lutheran churches.

Mission Offering



Our first semester mission offering will be going to the Thai Village, Inc, a nonprofit organization that works with artisans in Thailand (Southeast Asia) to support economic self-sufficiency and Christian education. To learn more about this exciting organization and their history and connection to our WELS mission work in Thailand, please visit their website at thai-village.org Mission offerings will be collected during our chapel service on Fridays. **This Friday, January 13 will be our last offering for this mission field.** Last week we collected \$38.71 bringing our total semester offering to \$372.60. Thank you for your heartfelt gifts.

2 Corinthians 9:11 – You will be made rich in every way so that you can be generous on every occasion, and through us your generosity will result in thanksgiving to God.

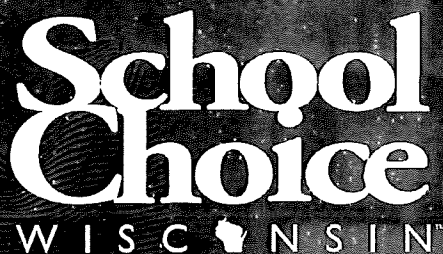
School Choice Update

The open enrollment period to apply for the Wisconsin Parental Choice Program (WPCP) begins Wednesday, February 1 and goes through Thursday, April 20. Parents intending to apply for the 2023-24 school year need to go to the WI Department of Public Instruction (DPI) web page in order to complete an application.

Students who are currently enrolled in the program or are on the waitlist do need to reapply for the 2023-24 school year. Students at St. John who are currently **NOT** enrolled in school choice **can apply** for the 2023-24 school year **if they are currently in K4 or Kindergarten** (entering K or 1 st grade for the 23-24 school year). Please see the Income Eligibility Chart for the program on the back side of this page.

If you go to:

<https://dpi.wi.gov/parental-education-options/choice-programs/student-applications> you will find information that will assist you, such as allowed residency documents, application guidelines, and frequently asked questions. Feel free to contact Hannah Langebartels, the School Choice Administrator, at choiceadmin@stjohnpeshtigo.org or (414) 758-8607 with other questions you may have.



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Wisconsin Parental Choice Program

2023-2024 Adjusted Gross Income Eligibility Chart (AGI)

FAMILY SIZE	SINGLE PARENT	MARRIED PARENTS
2	\$40,282	\$47,282
3	\$50,666	\$57,666
4	\$61,050	\$68,050
5	\$71,434	\$78,434
6	\$81,818	\$88,818

**For each additional member, add \$10,384*