

# Welcome to the Bethlehem Star newsletter!

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Friday, April 8

Saturday, April 9 9:00 am Easter Egg Hunt (gym) 5:30 pm Worship Jubilate Choir Sings

Sunday, April 10 Palm Sunday 8:00 am Worship 10:30 am Worship

Monday, April 11 MAP Testing 6:00 pm PTL Meeting

**Tuesday, April 12** MAP Testing 9:00 am Gr. 1 to Weill Center

Wednesday, April 13 3:15 pm Student Council 6:00 pm Worship

**Thursday, April 14** Maundy Thursday

Friday, April 15 Good Friday – No School 1:00 pm Worship 7:00 pm Worship

# Final Days to Apply for Free Tuition

Bethlehem is again participating in the Wisconsin Parental Choice Program (voucher program) for the 2022-23 school year. Families with students who will be in 4K, 5K or Grade 1 may apply online. Also, families with students who transfer from a public school at any grade level may apply. Applications can be submitted from February 1 – April 15, 2022 at https://sms.dpi.wi.gov/ChoiceParent/

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#### **Easter Break**

Reminder that there is no school Friday, April 15 and Monday, April 18 for Easter Break.

### Save the Dates

Friday, May 6 from 8 – noon round up your Grandparents or Special Guests for a Hoe Down at B-Town. Keep a lookout for more details to come, yee-haw pardners!

Also, PTL Fun Fair will be Friday, April 22 from 5 – 7 pm in the Parish Activity Center.

August 1-4 Bethlehem's VBS. Interested in helping plan and organize VBS this year contact Katie Schallock at <u>katie.schallock@ourbethlehem.com</u>. A planning committee meeting will be planned for after Easter. Watch for more details to come!

#### Pizza and Trivia Night

Bethlehem Lutheran Youth Group is hosting a night of food and fun on Saturday, April 23. Gather a team of 8 for a great diner and fun evening of trivia (or you can be placed on a team). Cost is \$20 per person. Your ticket includes a pizza dinner, salad, dessert, 1 drink ticket and snacks during trivia. There will be a cash bar open during trivia. To register your team, please contact the church office at 452-4331 or submit your reservation online

(<u>www.ourbethlehem.com</u>). Doors open at 5:45 pm, dinner begins at 6:00 pm, trivia begins at 7:00 pm. Reservations need to be made by Wednesday, April 20.





Monday, April 11 Spaghetti Bake Green Beans Carrots Apple Sauce Pears Garlic Bread

### Tuesday, April 12

Soft Shelled Chicken Taco Refried Beans Corn Fresh Pineapple Mandarin Oranges

# Wednesday, April 13

Grilled Cheese Tomato Soup Salad Mixed Fruit Apple

# Thursday, April 14

Pizza Dippers Carrots Salads Oranges Peaches

Friday, April 15 No School

# Sandwich of the Week:

Cold Turkey & Cheese

USDA is an equal opportunity provider.

### School Bus Service for 2022-23 School Year

To receive yellow school bus transportation for the 2022-23 school year please review the eligibility policy attached to last week's newsletter and if eligible complete the application. **Please note that the eligibility "attendance area" for Bethlehem has changed.** Applications are due no later than May 15 and should be returned directly to: Sheboygan Area School District Student Transportation, 3330 Stahl Road, Sheboygan, WI 53081

If you do not qualify for yellow bus service but wish to use city bus or their tripper routes, please contact Shoreline Metro at 920-459-3281 or <a href="http://www.shorelinemetro.com">www.shorelinemetro.com</a>

# MAP Testing

Students in grades 5K - 8 will take the MAP (Measure of Academic Progress) tests for Math and Reading between April 4 and April 22. Tests like these are among the most important tools we have for evaluating individual student academic progress and our curriculum as a whole. These tests can identify strengths and weaknesses and determine which areas, if any, a student may need help in and in which areas he or she excels. Encourage your child to do their bet, take the test seriously, but not to worry about the results. For each testing day, please ensure that your child gets plenty of sleep, easts a good breakfast and wears comfortable school appropriate attire.

# Lutheran Schools Night with the Brewers

Join the South WI District of The Lutheran Church Missouri Synod for a night of family fun and fellowship. Saturday, May 21 6:10 pm the Milwaukee Brewers vs. Washington Nationals. To order your special pricing tickets complete the attached <u>order form</u> and return to the school office along with your check payable to Bethlehem School by Friday, April 29. Late orders will not be accepted. Tickets will be mailed to the school and you will be notified when they arrive.

The following will observe their birthday during the coming week:

Audrey Gartman Amelia Hasler Grayson Lee Luke Milatz Isaiah Niles Lincoln TenDolle Linden TenDolle Mrs. Wallner

The following member of our Bethlehem family will observe their baptism anniversary during the coming week:

Emery Markevitch Cylee Wegner Anthony Xiong

# 3 Yr., 4 Yr., and 5 Yr. Kindergarten

Do you have a child or know someone who has a child that will be at least three years old as of September 10, 2022? If you do, we have a program. If you know of a family who has a child who you think will benefit from what Bethlehem has to offer, please give the school office their name and address.

#### **Context is Important**

From the entire Bible, why were this week's Scripture readings selected to be read at worship services? Sometime we need to hear what came before or what comes after. On Saturdays, from 4:15 – 5:15 pm in the Century Room, one of our pastors will provide the full story. Why not make it a point to attend?

### Pastor Niles Welcomes Your Questions

For the next several weeks, Pastor Niles will answer your questions during Bible class in the Century Room, from 9:15 – 10:15 am, Sunday mornings. No subject is off-limits. Email your question to partrick.niles@ourbethlehem.com or ask it in person during class. This is a not-to-be-missed opportunity. What's on

partrick.niles@ourbethlehem.com or ask it in person during class. This is a not-to-be-missed opportunity. What's on your mind?

### Pastor Moon Sheds Light on the Writing of St. Augustine

Augustine was a deep thinker and he wrote significantly about spiritual matters. On Sunday, April 10<sup>th</sup>, Pastor Moon will delve into the two main divisions of the 22 books of the City of God writing. What do these long-ago writings have to say to us today? To find out, be in the library from 9:15 – 10:15 am.

### Bethlehem Needs to Hear from You "Techies" Out There

In order to keep our Online Bible Class Ministry alive, we need facilitators. For those of you who are comfortable "living online", doing this would not be a big deal. There are many ready-to-go studies just waiting to be used. Let's talk it over. Contact Audrey Braatz at 920-452-7706 or email <u>dobraatz@yahoo.com</u>

### Vivacious Speaker to Visit Bethlehem

Tim Unsinn, of the Dakota Boys and Girls Ranch will give a special presentation in the Century Room on Tuesday, May 3<sup>rd</sup> at 7:00 pm. He will share with us how working with animals, a good dose of fresh air and a loving Christian environment helps high-risk boys and girls get their lives back "on track". Although hosted by the Bethlehem LWML, both men and women are invited. How about putting this event on your calendar?

#### LHS Musical

The Sheboygan Lutheran High School Drama Department is proud to present their Spring Musical, "A Tale of Two Cities: The Musical."

Performances are 7 pm Friday, April 29; 7 pm Saturday, April 30; and 2 pm Sunday, May 1 in the Sheboygan Lutheran High School Worship & Fine Art Center.

Charles Dickens' classic novel comes to life in this epic musical adaption, set against the gritty backdrop of the French Revolution. Young Lucie Manette finds herself caught in an unlikely love triangle with two remarkably different men: Charles Darnay, a French aristocrat; and Sydney Carton, a drunken English cynic.

As fate would have it, Darnay becomes the target of vengeance-obsessed Therese Defarge. Carton must confront the most difficult choice of is life: Watch his rival die an unjust death or pay the ultimate sacrifice for love. "A Tale of Two Cities: The Musical" reminds us that no man is beyond redemption.

For more information, visit <u>www.lutheanhigh.com</u> or contact the LHS Office at 920-452-3323.

#### **Announcement from Neat Repeats**

You Neat Repeats Thrift Shop. All proceeds from Neat Repeats go to Sheboygan Lutheran High School. You can support Neat Repeats by donating, shopping and volunteering! Neat Repeats is open for shopping and donation: Tuesday can help! W through Friday 9:30 am to 5:00 pm and Saturdays 9:30 am to 4:00 pm. Neat Repeats is located at 2627 Eastern Avenue in Plymouth. For more information When you are doing your Spring cleaning, bring your extra items to you can go to www. Netrepeatsthriftshop.com or call 920-892-9100.