

March 24-28, 2025

Welcome back after Spring Break. Here are some notes for this week:

★ Reminders:

- We have chapel every Monday. The 4th quarter missions will help Martin Luther College.
- Field Trip to Lakeside Lutheran High school is this week Wednesday, March 26th. Please remember to pack your student a cold lunch on that day.
- We will be singing next as Children's Choir in both services on Palm Sunday, April 13.
- Wednesday, March 26, St. Stephen's will have worship services at 3:45 and 6:30. Please consider joining us for worship as we walk with Christ to the cross of forgiveness. There will be meals between services starting at 4:45. This week the Ladies' Aid will be serving the meal.
- The 2025 Spelling Bee will be held on Friday, March 28 starting at 2:00 in the afternoon. The top 11 spellers from grades 5-8 will participate in this bee.
- O This year St. Stephen's will once again host a book fair. We are working with a different group. Instead of Scholastic, we will be hosting an I 55 Book Fair. Here's a quote from their website..."Our vision at I55 Book Fairs is to partner with schools, churches, and organizations who are also passionate about raising up a generation of inspired readers. All products are screened, ensuring safety from unwanted knowledge, while still offering a wide selection of books. Our name comes from Isaiah 55. This chapter encompasses all we strive to do, knowing that nothing is impossible with God."

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- o In order to make the book fair run smoothly, we are looking for parent volunteers to help each day. The fair will run from April 7-13. Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, and Friday it will run from 3:30-4:30 pm with helpers beginning at 3:20 pm. On Wednesday, it will run from 4:45 to 6:15 pm. On Saturday, it will be open after the Fun Run from 11 to Noon. On Sunday, it will run after the second service until noon.
- If inclement weather occurs and school is closed or delayed, a text and email alert will be sent out between 5:45
 and 6:00 the morning of the event. Notices will also be posted on WKOW, DailyDodge.com, and the
 church/school Facebook page.
- Even though it seems like an ok thing to do, many students are not coming prepared to go outside. Please remind students that it is cold out and that having coats, gloves, hats, and possibly even boots is important. We do go outside as long as the weather permits. It is always easier to remove layers than to sit and wonder why they didn't bring an article that keeps them warm.
- ★ Students will be bringing home a red folder every day. Please take out the papers that say to keep them at home. If it is in return to school, please return. These things will be field trip slips, project notes, or uncompleted homework from school.

★ Here's what we will be learning this week:

- We will learn stories about taxes to Caesar and the widow's Offering.
- Memory Work for this week.
 - Matthew 6:33 Wednesday March 26
 - But seek first the kingdom of God and his righteousness, and all these things will be given to you as well.
 - 1st Commandment Friday March 28
 - You shall have no other gods. What does this mean? We should fear, love, and trust in God above all things.
- Math we will learn :
 - (Monday)-Subtracting 7 Facts
 - (Tuesday)- Estimating and Counting Large Collections
 - (Wednesday) No Math on Field Trip instead
 - (Thursday)-Finding One Half of a Set With an Even Number of Objects
 - (Friday)-Finding One Half of a Set With an Odd Number of Objects
- O Superkids, we will learn:
 - Phonics and Spelling: Decode and encode verbs with -ing and -ed endings
 - Spelling Words for 3/28: planning, swimming, sitting, making, writing, giggling, jogged, stopped, scrubbed, agreed, smiled, decided
 - Phonics and Spelling: Learn irregular verbs
- Science/ Social Studies will learn about the changes in materials.
- The music we will work on is the song we are singing for Palm Sunday services and Easter.

Please let me know if you have any questions this week.

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