

God at Work

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THE SCHOOL BULLETIN

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Thank you Pastor Smith!

The students and faculty said a formal good-bye to Rev. Dr. David S. Smith during last Friday's chapel service. Pastor Smith is officially retiring this Sunday, September 30th. Pastor Smith will be preaching at all services this weekend as well as being honored at a banquet held on Sunday evening. The involvement and support of our school from Pastor Smith is immeasurable. He often would assist the teachers with a religion lesson, taught confirmation to 8th graders over the years, was a mystery reader at the South Campus, interacted with students in the lunchroom, at drop-off or pick-up, and led at least four chapel services a year (sometimes many more) for the past twenty years. Pastor would often publicly support St. Paul's School in the community and from the pulpit. We will certainly miss Pastor Smith walking our hallways and gracing our buildings. He has faithfully served St. Paul's Church and School since 1998. Pastor and his wife Joanne, deserve the time and joys of retirement. God bless you Pastor Smith. You will be missed!

8th Grade Play

"Who's Dying to be a Millionaire?"

This Friday, September 28 at 7:00 p.m.; Dress Rehearsal - 1:00 PM

All are invited. Admission—\$2.00, ages 5 and up (both performances).

'Answer this next question and win a million dollars!' bellows Reginald Smarmy, the oily host of the hottest game show in town. But what can anyone do when a confident and poised contestant responds correctly to a challenging question... and immediately falls down dead?! The next night, the same thing happens to another contestant. You have to wonder who would even want to be the next contestant! With horror happening before everyone's eyes, director Clovis Darnell has her hands full dealing with a police chief who is trying to cancel this popular show while the studio vice president is aggressively skirmishing to keep it on the air. After all, ratings have never been better! And what about all of the other questions that continue to pop up? Clever roles galore include the boisterous Mayor Ben Hoggen, a group of her hilarious star-struck city council members and eccentric Sofie Mondello, who seems to confess to everything! All of these wild characters combine to make one oddball thriller! Contestants are dropping as fast as the wisecracks in a wild, riotous lampoon of quiz shows, politics and basic human nature. After all, what would you answer if someone asked you, 'Are you dying to be a millionaire?'



Announcer.....	Evan P	Sam's Father.....	Jacob H	Sofie Mondello.....	Riley P
Reginald Smarmy.....	Jack A	Ben Hoggen.....	Aidan M	Joyce Mansfield.....	Mara Y
Barney Lutz.....	Andrew L	Myrtle Clumph.....	Catera L	Dave McCoy.....	Nikolas M
Clovis Darnell.....	Ali O	Nola Bartel.....	Ashley D	Frieda Soames.....	Catera L
Meg Rooney.....	Beth S	Sue Bandergill.....	Anna S	Harvey Paul.....	Nikolas M
Phoebe Kendall.....	Emma P	Effie Gompers.....	Emily C	Parker Jones.....	Joe A
Cleo Carruthers.....	Bella V	Henry Pomeroy.....	Tommy D	Ken Williams.....	Seth P
Denny Perkins.....	Hope D	Sally Dean Riviera.....	Dani D	Florence Hood.....	Elora R
Sam Dithers.....	Jay S	Jess Marlowe.....	Mitchell H	Mary Lou Lynch.....	Anna S
Sam's Mother.....	Elora R	Barbara Philpot.....	Lucy D	Stage Hand.....	Jacob H

St. Paul's Smoke Off

THIS Saturday, September 29, 6:00 PM



Kick off fall with delicious BBQ and fun for the entire family on September 29! Fifteen St. Paul's grillers and smokers will compete for your vote for the best meat. Admission is \$10 at the door (5 and under are free), which includes samples of the meat entries, side dishes, desserts and drinks. A new Rec Tec RT-700 bull smoker will be raffled off (\$1,800 value) and activities will be available for the kids. All proceeds will go toward wish list items for St Paul's ministries: a new grill for the church and school, new iPads/Chromebooks for the Early Childhood Center classrooms and music/special events for Parents' Day Out. Food, fun and fellowship await you - see you there! Contact co-chairs Matt Claus (matthew.claus@thrivent.com) or Morgan Dugan (morgan.dugan@gmail.com) with any questions or to volunteer.



School Pictures

Last week all St. Paul's students present were individually photographed for the yearbook and school portraits. In approximately 2 weeks, personalized flyers with your child's image will be sent home with each child that had their picture taken. You will be able to customize your order by selecting unique styles and enhancements that fit with your child's personality. Parents will have approximately 7 days after the flyers arrive at school to order online or via the payment envelope that will be attached to the flyer. Once all orders have been collected it takes approximately 3-4 weeks for the picture packages to arrive at school.

Permission to Use Photographs

From time to time, we like to promote St. Paul's with pictures of the fun and educational activities and events that happen here on social media (Facebook, Instagram, our website, school bulletins, The Messenger (church publication), news publications, etc.). We never name individual students when we post pictures online. At this time, we would like to remind you that you can let us know if you would not like your child's picture to be published online entirely or just on certain sites (no Facebook, no website, etc.). **If you would NOT like us to use your child's pictures, please see the form linked with the e-version of this bulletin or on the Forms page of our website, print it, complete it, and return it to the school office.** You can also pick up the form in either school office. Please contact the school office with any questions.

School Calendar Change Due to Important Staff Training No School—Thursday, October 18

Parents, please mark your calendars now for a slight change on the school calendar and slight changes with student led parent/teacher conferences. The school staff had an Intruder Tactical Training session planned for Aug. 7th; however, that was altered with the extra security needed at the PGA Golf Tournament in St. Louis Country. The training company, Tier One, is now able to reschedule and train our staff during the morning hours of Friday, October 19th, which was already a scheduled day off for conferences. Mrs. Profflet, along with School Board support, is switching student/parent/teacher conferences to Wednesday evening, Oct. 17th and all day on Thursday, Oct. 18th. What does this mean for your family? **We will NOT be holding a half day on October 18 but instead this will be a "no school" day. The teachers will be taking the full day on the 18th for morning, afternoon, and evening conferences and using the 19th for this critical and timely professional training.** Mrs. Gruenwald has been informed and will be offering care that day, if there is need.

1st Quarter Student-Led Conferences

As you read above, the student led parent/teacher conferences will be the evening of Oct. 17th (beginning at 3:40 PM) and the day, afternoon, and evening of October 18th. Teachers will be collaborating to schedule conferences at their Oct. 10th faculty meeting. Your notice of time and date will go home on Thursday, Oct. 11th. If you need a specific time or day, please inform your child's homeroom teacher prior to Oct. 10th.

Concession Stand



We need you! We are in need of one or two (or more) parents to chair our concession stand. Having a concession stand is a great way to not only raise money for St. Paul's but also as a nice convenience for our families and other school families when we host games after school. Responsibilities include stocking the concession stand (you can shop with the school's credit card!), keeping it stocked and helping to staff it. We are open to one or more grades or groups, (8th grade class, school choir, summer trips, by grade levels, etc.) running the concession stand and then receiving the profits to assist your group or grade in fundraising for your 8th grade class trip, summer trip, school choir trip, etc. We are open to your suggestions on the best way to staff the concession stand. If you think you or your group may be interested in helping in this way or have suggestions for running our concession

stand, please contact Mrs. Carrie Beary in the NC School office at cbeary@stpaulsdesperes.org or our Athletic Director, Mr. Dan Sterling at dsterling@stpaulsdesperes.org.

Cross Country Meets

Wednesday, Sept. 26

Hosted by Messiah Lutheran School, Weldon Springs

Meet Location: Laurel Park, St. Peters

Meet Details:

- The meet will begin and end on the baseball field, diamond 16.
- The first race will begin at 4:30 PM. Start times will be approximately 15 minutes apart.
- Please arrive 30 minutes before your race.
- Depending on entries, it is possible that the boys and girls races could be combined in their grade division.
- K - 2 Girls (3/4 mile); K - 2 Boys (3/4 mile); 3 - 4 Girls (3/4 mile); 3 - 4 Boys (3/4 mile); 5 - 6 Girls (1 mile); 5 - 6 Boys (1 mile); 7 - 8 Girls (1 mile); 7 - 8 Boys (1 mile).



Monday, October 1

Hosted by St. John Lutheran School, Ellisville

Meet Location: Bluebird Park, 225 Kiefer Creek Road, Ellisville, MO 63021

Meet Details:

- The meet will be in the back of the park by the ball field.
- Parking in the back of the park is limited and you may need to park by the Aquatic Center and walk back to the running area.
- There will be 8 races with the first race beginning at 4:20 PM
- 4:20 PM—7/8 Girls; 4:35 PM—7/8 Boys; 4:50 PM—5/6 Girls; 5:05 PM—5/6 Boys; 5:20 PM—3/4 Girls; 5:35 PM—3/4 Boys; 5:50 PM—1/2 Girls; 6:05 PM—1/2 Boys. **Please be prepared to begin early if the races are running ahead of schedule.**

If you have questions about Cross Country, please contact our Athletic Director and Cross Country Coach, Mr. Dan Sterling at 314-822-2771, ext. 306 or at dsterling@stpaulsdesperes.org.

Parents of 5th—8th Graders

Look for a note about changes to our North Campus Homework Club procedures coming home later this week. This note will also be attached to Thursday's E-Letter.

Shop-n-Save Gift Cards



If you shop for groceries or use the pharmacy at Shop-n-Save stores, please consider purchasing Shop-n-Save gift cards from the school's scrip program. You will receive 2.5% of your gift card purchase to be put toward your lunch account, tuition account, a future student trip, the building fund, etc. The school also benefits and receives 2.5% as well. Shop-n-Save gift cards are still good and can be used until Schnucks acquires Shop-n-Save sometime near the end of October. At that time, you will have 90 days to take your Shop-n-Save gift cards to Schnucks and they will exchange them for Schnucks gift cards. Please contact Carrie Beary in the NC school office if you would like to purchase or if you have questions.

Girl / Women's Clothing Collection

Sponsored by St. Paul's Cheer Team for the Girls of Mathews-Dickey Boys & Girls Club

The St. Paul's Saints Cheer Team is again hosting the Mathews-Dickey Boys and Girls Club Cheer Team for a cheer clinic on November 10th. Last year we were able to raise money to purchase new uniforms for the team, and ran a cheer shoe collection to supply the team with proper cheer shoes. The MD Cheer Team consists of girls from impoverished, inner-city homes, and often lack proper clothes to keep them warm in winter. This year, we'd like to collect gently used clothing, shoes, accessories, etc. for these girls to give to them at our clinic. **We will be collecting all sizes of girls and young women's clothing. Anything from size 2T to adult sizes are welcome, as these girls range in age from 3 to 18.** You may drop your donations in either office, or give them to Mrs. Cannon any time between now and November 9th. Thank you for helping us show Christ's love to these girls!!!



6th Annual LESA "Brew in the Lou"

Saturday, October 13, 2018

1:00 PM to 5:00 PM

Francis Park, the Lily Pond, 5399 Donovan, St. Louis, MO 63109



Hurry and purchase your wristbands for the 6th Annual "Brew in the Lou", a premier tasting festival on Saturday, October 13, 2018 from 1-5 pm at Francis Park. "Brew in the Lou" will showcase St. Louis' best beer, wine, spirits, coffee and good eats. Proceeds benefit the Lutheran Elementary School Association's 35 member schools serving 8,800 students. Festivities include live entertainment, arts and craft vendors, the "People's Choice" Home Brew Competition, Bratwurst and Chili Contest, and special food exhibits. Featuring new and returning vendors, timed releases from Goose Island's newest Bourbon County Stouts and live music. Vendors will be on-site conducting product sampling and selling their wares.

Wristbands are \$40 each and include unlimited samples of St. Louis' best in beer, wine, spirits, and good eats and a commemorative glass. Wristbands increase to \$50 the day of the event. Wristbands are held at the North and South registration tables and are all-inclusive of beer, home brew, spirits, wine and coffee tastings; and a commemorative glass. Pet and Kid Friendly. Rain or shine event. No refunds.

Please contact LESA if you have questions or need any assistance. Brew in the Lou helps to create a lasting benefit for children and families. On behalf of the 35 member schools serving 8,800 students, thank you for your support. We look forward to seeing you at the Brew in the Lou.

About LESA

More than 8,800 students attend LESA member Lutheran schools in the St. Louis Metro Area. A Recognized Service Organization of the Lutheran Church-Missouri Synod, LESA represents 35 elementary schools, four high schools and five related agencies. For more information and a list of member schools, visit www.metrolutheranschools.org. [Click here to register for Brew in the Lou!](#)



Thank You!

Thank you to **Mrs. Linda Beckemeier** for donating mums and other beautiful flowers and for taking the time with our Girl Scouts to plant them in the pots outside of our South Campus school building! You have made each day a little prettier!



Lutheran South Homecoming Carnival!

THIS WEEKEND!

Friday, Sept. 28

5:00—10:00 PM

Saturday, Sept. 29

11:00 AM—10:00 PM

Lutheran South is hosting a Homecoming Carnival on September 28 and 29, and you are invited to attend! **There will be carnival rides, game booths, and food vendors** the night of our homecoming football game on Friday, from 5:00 to 10:00 p.m. and all day Saturday from 11:00 a.m. to 10:00 p.m. St. Paul's will be hosting a game booth and will share in the profits from the event!

Free Coffee Wednesdays! South Campus

That's right, we said free! Every Wednesday, at the South Campus, we will be offering free coffee between 7:30 and 8:00 a.m. Stay and socialize with other Early Childhood and/or K-8 School parents or fill-up as you go on your way. Enjoy, a cup of coffee on us!



Save the Date!

TRUNK or TREAT

Friday, Oct. 26, 5:45—8:00 PM

More information and online registration coming soon!

Mothers of Preschoolers (MOPS) Come Play with Us!

Calling all who love to play with small children or hold babies! You can earn some extra money while sharing your time with little ones MOPS is in need of caregivers on the first and third Thursday of the month from 9-11 a.m. to assist our lead caregivers with the children of mothers attending MOPS (Mothers of Preschoolers) meetings. Even if you are only available once, or on a limited basis, we could still use your help! Contact Sharon Shearman, 314.822.0447, for more information.

Choir Concerts at Lutheran South

Two choir concerts are scheduled at Lutheran High School South in October. The high school fall concert is set for Sunday evening, October 14, at 7:00 pm in the Kuhlmann Center at the school. The Concert Choir and the Lancer Singers (including William R) will perform under the direction of Greg Gastler. The annual Lutheran Youth Choral Festival hosted by LHSS will combine area middle school singers for a 7:00 pm concert directed by Dr. Charles Brown from Concordia Chicago on Tuesday, October 16.

LHSS Lancerette Mini Pom Camp

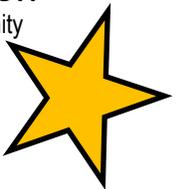
Grab your dance shoes! Lancerette Mini Pom Camp will be Saturday, October 13 from 9:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m. at Lutheran South. This event is open to all girls in grades 1-8. The Mini Pom performance will be at the Varsity Boys Soccer game, Thursday, October 18. Please contact the Lancerette coach, Mrs. Reis, for information and to register at dljaareis@att.net. Mini Pom Camp costs \$25 and includes a t-shirt to wear at the performance.

Lutheran South Band Trivia Night Friday, October 5

Join us at Lutheran South on Friday, October 5 for a Trivia Night to support our band tour to Florida in March 2019! Doors open at 6:15 p.m., with trivia beginning at 7:00 p.m. Cost is \$20 per person or \$120 for a table of six. Winning table receives \$250 cash. There will be 50/50 drawings and a 2019 Cardinals field box seats raffle. Complimentary soda and popcorn provided. Bring your own snacks and beverages. For any questions please contact Laurie Senkbeil at 314-308-9271.

Sunday School Outreach Collection

Please help our Sunday School students do their first community outreach project for the year! They hope to provide 75 baby care kits for a local shelter.



What you can do to help: Donate one or more of the listed items; pray for the new moms and babies; or provide a cash donation.

When: Please have donations in the collection tubs available in the church or school lobbies by Sunday, October 7.

Items Needed:

- Pacifiers
- Formula packets
- Christian board books
- Diapers
- Onesies

Weekly Chapel

Fri 9/28	Vicar Wade, Hope D
Fri 10/5	Rev. Mark Femmel, Lucy D
Fri 10/12	4th Grade Leads Chapel
Week of October 15th	TBA—Faith Families

Chapel Details for September 7—28

Hymn of the Month	“Lord Jesus Christ, the Church’s Head”, LSB 647
Song of the Month	“Only King Forever”
Monthly Offering	Erin Mackenzie

Lunch Helpers

9/26	Francine V
9/27	Amy E
9/28	Emily H
10/1	Kim D
10/2	Karen L
10/3	CAN YOU HELP US?
10/4	CAN YOU HELP US?
10/5	Linda D

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