

**ST. PETER LUTHERAN SCHOOL**  
**MONDAY UPDATE**  
**JANUARY 11, 2010**



1. **NO Utica Busses NEXT MONDAY, January 18<sup>th</sup>.**
2. **Open House for St. Peter Lutheran School and Preschool will be held Sunday, January 31, from 11:30 AM - 1:30 PM.** This is great opportunity for you or any inquiring friends, family, or neighbors to learn about our school, tour our classrooms, and meet our teachers. Questions regarding the Elementary grades can be directed to Principal Terry Davis at 781-9296. Questions regarding the Preschool can be directed to Char Hohnstadt.
3. **The School Spelling Bee will be held this Thursday, January 14<sup>th</sup> at 12:30 PM in Kaiser Hall** for students in grades 5 - 8 who qualified. Parents of those students are welcome to attend the Spelling Bee.
4. **Chapel this week will be led by Mr. Dean Kratz. Chapel offerings for January** will go to Compassion Pregnancy, Lutherans for Life, and Abigayle Ministries.
5. **January Tuition payments are now due.**
6. **Wednesday Hot Lunch** this week is Chicken Soup/Chili, Crackers, and Ice Cream. Cost is \$2.50.
7. **Thursday Lunch** is Tubby's Subs. **ATTACHED ORDER FORM** is due by Wednesday morning.
8. **Friday Deli Lunch** is up and running this week.
9. **Bagel Friday is January 15<sup>th</sup>.** To purchase a tasty bagel, please fill out the **ATTACHED ORDER FORM** and return the slip, along with payment to your teacher by Wednesday, January 13<sup>th</sup>. Cost is \$1.
10. **Saving Stamps Program Reminder:** Kids can learn about saving money, investing, and furthering the Lord's work – all at the same time. Our Stamp representative, Cindy Mack, is available in the Crossroads on Friday mornings, 8 – 8:15 am. With information and stamps for purchase. Please encourage your children to learn about this great savings opportunity.
11. **Accelerated Reader Jeans and Sweatshirt Day** is tomorrow, January 12<sup>th</sup>. All students who have earned the required number of points may wear jeans and a sweatshirt! Enjoy!
12. **St. Peter's first Pep Rally: Friday, January 22 at 2:05 pm in the gym!** Come and fire up our St. Peter teams. Show your spirit by wearing St. Peter wear or red/ white/blue with jeans. 7th and 8th grade girls and boys basketball players should wear their jerseys. 7th and 8th grade cheerleaders should wear their uniforms. Let's have fun and show our school spirit!
13. **Spaghetti Dinner Needs 30 Volunteers!** So far we have 8 volunteers. We would appreciate the gift of 2 hours of your time **on January 29, 2010** to make this a successful fundraiser for the upgrade of playground equipment. **A meeting will be held on Thursday, January 14<sup>th</sup> @ 8:30 am in Room 6.** Please contact Julie Swierczynski (586)948-0650 or [julski70@comcast.net](mailto:julski70@comcast.net) with any questions.
14. **Mom to Mom Sale – Saturday, February 20<sup>th</sup>.** See **ATTACHED FORM** for information and table rental.
15. **Market Day – Pick up is this Thursday, January 14<sup>th</sup>, 2:30-3:30 pm.**
16. **8<sup>th</sup> Grade Euchre/Card Party Fundraiser:** Please mark you calendar for the Euchre Party Fundraiser to be held on Saturday, January 16, 2010 at 7 pm. in the school gym. Tickets will be available at the door. All proceeds will go toward the 8<sup>th</sup> grade Washington D.C. trip. Plan to join us for an evening of fellowship, cards, food, a few prizes, and lots of fun. Please feel free to invite your family and friends. Any questions can be directed to: Terry and Rhonda Fiebelkorn @ 586-949-5857. Thank you for your time, and we hope to see you there!!
17. **Box Tops – check your weekly Meijer add from this weekend's paper.** Meijer is running a Box Top promotion, buy 10 Box Top products and earn a **70 point Bonus** Box Top. Our next contest will start next week. If you hae any questions please contact Kristin Zielinski at 586-228-6901.

18. **Science Olympiad informational and team meeting, Jan 21, 2010.** There are still coaching and team positions open! This meeting is for new members and current team members. Students grades 3-6 who love science and competition should be there! Time is 3:30 pm.
19. **Math Club and Math HELP!** will resume this week. Parental help is a must, and this does count toward volunteer hours. The games are easily learned, but having a grown up person at each game makes it more fun and more orderly. You do not need to sign up, and you do not need to attend every week. Just come when you can and have fun while you're learning something! Math Club: Second and Third graders will be every Monday (starting 1/11) from 3:00 until 3:30 in Room 9. First grade Math Club will be on Wednesdays from 3:00 until 3:30 in room 9. **Math HELP! is designed for students earning below a B in Math 7 or in Pre-algebra.** Seventh graders can gather on Tuesdays and eighth graders on Thursdays. We will work from 3:00 until 3:45. We'll work on homework, upcoming tests, anything that's giving you grief. Junior high kids, feel free to bring a snack or a drink; this is not like detention! Questions about Math Club or math HELP! can be directed to Mrs. Dunklau.
20. **Scrip News: Scrip will resume this week (Jan 11<sup>th</sup>)** – statements will go home on Friday (Jan 15<sup>th</sup>). I am working on Kroger and Scrip statements and I still have names and numbers that are “unattached”. To help you (and me) match some of these names/numbers, I will be available Wednesday 8–8:30am in the school lobby with a list from the current statement. I do have around 20–25 numbers with no names attached if you want to check numbers. I will also have Scrip available for sale – I will also be available Sunday morning between services. Questions? Call Robin @ (248) 693-3051 or email: [rboeling@yahoo.com](mailto:rboeling@yahoo.com).
21. **American Heritage Girls: Meeting Tonight!** January 11<sup>th</sup>. Kindergartners meet at 5:30-7 pm in Kaiser Hall. 1<sup>st</sup>-4<sup>th</sup> grades will meet at 5:30 SHARP at the North Branch of the Macomb Public Library on 24 Mile (across from St. Peter). We will be working on Library badges! Please bring 2 of your favorite books in a book bag. Parents are welcome to stay or drop off. Please remind your girls about proper library etiquette. Thanks and see you then!
22. **Attention Cub Scouts:** The long anticipated Lock In is this Friday, January 15. Boys, please bring your Dad, sleeping bags, snacks, and an air mattress (if you have one). It makes sleeping a little more comfortable. Plan to arrive at 8:00 p.m. If you have questions, contact your Den Leader.
23. **Wolf and Tiger Cubs:** there is a den meeting tonight at 7 pm in room #6. Please remember to bring your books. Any questions call Anita at 313-350-0932 or your den leader.
24. **Hoop It Up: Evaluations are complete.** We will be compiling them within the next couple of days and your coach will be contacting you to inform you of your practice time next week. Jerseys will be handed out during practice before your first game on Feb. 6<sup>th</sup>. Referee, coaches, and concession meeting will be this Sat. Jan. 16<sup>th</sup> @ 12. High School students that are interested in helping, please attend this meeting as well. If you have any questions please do not hesitate to contact me Darlene Piette @ 586-677-3205
25. **3<sup>rd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> Grade – Boys – Free Baseball Clinic** - running for 4 weeks here at St. Peter. This will start on Wednesday, January 27<sup>th</sup> from 7:00-7:45p.m and run through February 17<sup>th</sup>. This is to teach baseball fundamentals and skills. Bring your own baseball mitt. If you have any questions contact Gino Petitta. [gino.petitta@lpl.com](mailto:gino.petitta@lpl.com).
26. **5<sup>th</sup> & 6<sup>th</sup> Grade Movie Night.** Our movie night is scheduled for Friday, February 5th from 7pm to 10pm. Proceeds from the event are used to support the 8th Grade trip to Washington, D.C. Volunteers are needed to make this a success. Contact Betty Brendle at [the.brendles@wowway.com](mailto:the.brendles@wowway.com) or 586.992.9943 to see how you can help.
27. **Basketball 7th & 8th graders:** Parents please fill in your volunteer hours by today. The sheets are located on the bulletin board. We will inform you of your volunteer hours each week in the Monday update. We are in need of all concession items at this time. Pop/water/Gatorade/ and any kind of candy. Your donation is greatly appreciated. Your donations can be put in Bob Hoch's office marked with your name and Boosters. Order forms for warm up shirts are due today.
28. **7th Grade Parents:** Now is the time to begin planning the Washington D.C. trip for your 7th grader. You have to be ready to begin fundraising when school resumes after Easter. We are looking for two people to coordinate the trip. If you are interested, or would just like more information, please contact Pauline Kennedy @586-677-3739 or Lynne Endlich @ 586-716-8301.

## 29. 8th Grade Parents:

- ▶ **There is a mandatory Washington DC meeting** Tuesday, January 12th at 7pm in the Music Room. Please bring a copy (front and back) of your health insurance card. We will also need your child's social security number as well as the SSN of the chaperones. Hopefully, this will be our final meeting before we leave in April.
- ▶ **Euchre/Card Party Fundraiser:** We have very limited time and much is needed. Any and all help will be greatly appreciated---many hands make light work. Thank-you for your time, Terry and Rhonda Fiebelkorn.
- ▶ **St. Peter Confirmands:** Sign up for individual pictures in the Church Office (Info Packages available).
- ▶ **8th Grade Parents:** We need a few people to help with the Market Day delivery on Thursday 1/14. If you can help, be in the Crossroads area by 1 pm.

## 30. INFORMATION from previous updates:

**Nursery is available for parents volunteering in the building** or going to Bible Study at St. Peter. Hours are as follows: Mon. 8-12PM – Tues. 8AM-12PM – Wed. 8AM-3PM – Thurs. 8AM-12PM - Fri. 8AM-12PM.

**Tutoring available: any Grade, any subject. If interested, call Mandi Hohnstadt at 248-854-3564**

**Tutoring:** After school tutoring and homework help is available for students in grades 1-5. Contact Mrs. Dembeck at 954-9041 for more details. Before school tutoring and homework help is available for students in grades 6-8. Sessions will run from 7:30-8 am in Room 8. Contact Mr. Dembeck at 954-9041.

**New Extended Care Phone Number: 586-214-5801**

**The Update is available on our website [www.splcs.com](http://www.splcs.com).** Click School, the News.

**Articles for the update can be sent to the office through [ccorrell@splcs.com](mailto:ccorrell@splcs.com)**

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**Tuesday Night Bible Study** begins again starting this Tuesday (January 12<sup>th</sup>) from 7-8:30 at HIS Rock. Come and get reenergized with times of fellowship, activities, and study of God's Word.

**Miscellaneous.** For up to date information on what is happening in the student ministry here at St. Peter, check us out on Facebook (St. Peter Lutheran Student Ministry).

**Balloon send off in December letter** – Dear Folks, Just to let you know that we found a balloon from your church in our wheat field on December 26, 2009 at 10am at Branchton, Ontario, Canada. Thanks for the hopeful wish! Dorothy Donkers.

## PATRIOT SPORT SCHEDULE

Mon 1/11	B Boys	Practice	3:00-5:00
	A Girls	Practice	5:00-7:00
Tue 1/12	A Boys	Practice	3:00-5:00
	B Girls	Practice	5:00-7:00
	Cheer Team	Practice (Shortened) Kaiser Hall	3:00-5:00
Wed 1/13	A Girls	Practice	3:00-5:00
	B Boys	Practice	5:00-7:00
Thu 1/14	A Boys	Practice	3:00-5:00
	B Girls	Practice	5:00-7:00
	Cheer Team	Practice in Kaiser Hall	3:00-5:00
Fri 1/15	A Boys	Practice	3:00-5:00
	B Boys	Practice	5:00-7:00
Fri-Sun 1/15-17	A Girls	LHN Tournament	Fri. 5:45 vs Trinity Utica B
	B Girls	LHN Tournament	Fri. 7:00 vs Trinity Utica A

Athletes must have an up to date Physical Form Filed in the office, and a Sports Emergency Card for your coach. Ask your coach if he/she has a card for you already.

