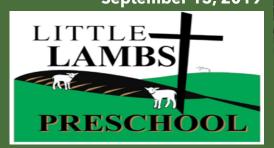


# SAINT PETER LUTHERAN SCHOOL





## **Upcoming School Events**

## Sunday, September 15

Worship Services 8:00, 10:30 AM Sunday School 9:10 AM

## Monday, September 16

Hearing and Vision Screening Children's Choir 3:15-4:15 PM

## Tuesday, September 17

Home Soccer Games

## Wednesday, September 18

Individual Band Lessons
Band Practice 3:00-3:45 PM

## Thursday, September 19

Home Soccer Games

## Friday, September 20

Chapel & Mission Offering 8:05 AM Parent Pick-Up Day - No PM Bus

## **Long Term Calendar:**

## Friday, September 26

Washington D.C. Meeting 7-8th Grade Families

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## **Upcoming Weekly Family Devotions (September 8-14):**

Story	Beginner's Bible	The Jesus Storybook	Bible
Tower of Babel	P. 34-38	P. 48-55	Genesis 11
Abraham and Lot	P. 39-45		Genesis 12-17

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# **General School Updates**

#### Parent Pick-Up Day (No PM Bus Service) - Friday, September 20

Since the public schools have an early release day on Friday, September 20th, there will be no afternoon bus service on that date. Please make arrangements to have your children picked up after school if they normally ride the bus home. This parent pick-up day was accidentally left off the master school calendar. We apologize for that mistake!

### Hearing and Vision Screening - Monday, September 16

This coming Monday our K-8 students will have their hearing and vision checked as part of our annual student screening. Our school nurse, Sue Wear, will be contacting families if any issues are discovered. Parent volunteers who signed up to help should arrive by 12:30 to receive training. Screening of students will begin at 1:00 P.M.

### **Weekly Mission Offerings**

Each week at our weekly chapel services, students are encouraged to consider contributing to our mission offering collection. All funds collected during the first semester of the school year will be sent to the Apache Mission in Arizona to help spread the great news about Jesus at some WELS churches and schools on the Apache reservation. Our student teacher from last year, Sydney Cody, currently teaches at Peridot Lutheran School located on the Apache reservation!

# **Little Lambs Preschool Updates**

We had a fun week in preschool learning about apples and Johnny Appleseed. Next week we will be doing apple tasting. In our sensory table we are exploring and having fun with magnets.

## Week of September 16th -20th:

Theme: Apples

**Letter**:"Cc"

Color: Yellow

**Shape**: Square

Bible Story: Noah's Ark

## **Memory Treasure:**

The Lord will keep you from all harm. Psalm 121:7

# **K-2 Classroom Updates**

The K-2 classroom has had a great week as we got into our full schedules with all of our different classes. This week, we have been spending time thinking about how our classroom needs to work. We are learning that we need to be ready to learn, respectful, responsible and really safe. Most of all, we are learning that we need to be joyful as we put Jesus first in our lives.

# 3-5 Classroom Updates

Third graders started to learn strokes for cursive writing this week. Our sentence-writing is getting better and better, and we are more aware of accuracy when copying information. It's still a challenge to put our thoughts into words and images, but that is what communication is, so we keep on practicing! Grades 3-4 are still learning about the earth's crust in science. Grade 5 has moved on to a social studies unit. Grades 3-4 are enjoying a chapter book about a school trip to Australia. We are learning lots of new Aussie words and are finding out amazing facts about animals down under. The fifth graders are still reading Green as in Springtime, New Life, and God's Will. Next week we will present our first projects. We all wish we could be outdoors more, and we hope the wet weather will change soon.

# 6-8 Classroom Updates

We have been enjoying getting to know our student teacher, Mrs. Routhieaux. She has slowly been starting to take over teaching more classes. This week she taught 6th grade math and 7-8th grade Social Studies. She has also been a great help in providing us with another teacher in the room to answer questions during study times for students!

We completed our novel, <u>Number the Stars</u>, this past week. Many students in the room said the book would rank among the top ten of books they have read all time. We enjoyed the fact that, as a historical fiction book, we learned a lot of real World War II history.

With the rain this week, we ended up in the Community Center gym for P.E. classes. Students were reminded to get a pair of gym shoes to use for when we make use of that gym.