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## Excellence in Education to Grow in Christ and to Share Christ Through the Power of God's Holy Word

*"We Walk by Faith, Not by Sight!"*

St. Peter's Lutheran School Weekly Newsletter

October 12, 2020

Dear Parents and Students,

**Parent/Teacher Conference:** We have an early release (11:30-no busing) on Tuesday, October 13, in order to have our Parent/Teacher Conferences. Tuesday's conferences will run from 1:00-7:00 and Wednesday's are from 3:00-7:00. Your exact time was sent home with the midterm report last Monday. Teachers will send you a link if you are scheduled for a virtual meeting. Call your child's teacher if you cannot make it for whatever reason.

**School Survey:** Last Tuesday I sent out an email requesting your help. We need to conduct a school self-study to work on the next step for re-accreditation and a five-year school improvement plan. Please fill out and submit this survey (<https://forms.gle/TvxJxV6uu1BenJDC9>). The survey itself is very brief. Work on a subcommittee should not take more than 2-3 short meetings. I think we can aim for Thanksgiving as a target date for being done. Please help us out!

**School Pictures:** School pictures (4P-8) are next Monday, Oct. 19. Lifetouch order forms were distributed last week. We do have extras if you need them. Ordering may be done online. The 3P class pictures will be taken on Nov. 24 during retakes.

**Devotions:** I'm curious if any of you have used these devotions and if you found them beneficial or not. Let me know if you have! The devotions are around four minutes in length. You can subscribe to get the devotions emailed to you every Monday, Wednesday, and Friday...all free of charge! [WELS Family Devotions](#)

**Covid-19 Update:** You are probably aware there is increased concern over the rising number of cases of Covid-19 in Wisconsin and Door County in particular. As of 10/8/20, there were a total of 493 positive cases in Door County of which there were 4 deaths and 408 recovered. Only 19 were ever hospitalized. There are currently 82 active cases. State and county Public Health Departments are encouraging all to continue following the previous laid out steps (masks, distancing, etc.). They also encourage new strategies of no indoor gatherings (other than immediate households), limit outdoor gatherings to ten people or less, avoid any gatherings where masking and distancing are not being practiced, and postpone or cancel all non-essential events. My advice includes continue to pray that the good Lord spare our families, students, and staff and that He eliminates any threat or fear of Covid-19. He is in control!

### October Lunch Menu

10/12 Mon. Baked ham, mac and cheese, peas, green beans, mandarin oranges, pears  
10/13 Tues. **11:30 Dismissal No Lunch**  
10/14 Wed. Pancakes, sausage links, hash browns, fresh fruit, banana bread  
10/15 Thur. Tomato soup, grilled cheese sandwich, fresh veggies and fruit fluff  
10/16 Fri. Spaghetti and meatballs, garlic bread, salad, applesauce  
10/19 Mon. Pizza, broccoli, cauliflower, peaches, pineapple

## Calendar of Events

10/12	Mon.	PALS Testing window through Nov. 6	10/21	Wed.	Chapel-Pastor Schroeder, grades 1-4
10/13	Tues.	11:30 dismissal; P/T Conf. 1:00-7:00	10/21	Wed.	Box Tops for Education deadline
10/14	Wed.	Chapel-Pastor Sauer, grades Pre.-Kin.	10/28	Wed.	Chapel-Pastor Vertz, grades 5-8
10/14	Wed.	P/T Conf. 3:15-7:00	10/28	Wed.	end 1 <sup>st</sup> Quarter
10/16	Fri.	Natl. Theater for Children, 1:00. 2:00	10/29	Thur.	no school; in-service
10/17	Sat.	grades P-K recorded singing	10/30	Fri.	no school; in-service
10/19	Mon.	Lifetouch School Pictures, 4P-8			

**Halloween Beanstack Challenge**

We are celebrating all things Halloween this month with a Beanstack Challenge where you can share in the spirit with us, join in with fun activities and receive collectible reading badges inside the app.

Post pictures of your costume, favorite fall recipes, and watch Miss Beth read spooky stories from "Haunted Door County" by Gayle Soucek and "Ghosts of Door County Wisconsin" by Geri Rider. Plus track your reading minutes and share reviews about your favorite titles.

**Friday, October 16 & 30**  
Virtual from Forestville

Learn how to make a Pumpkin Man (Oct 16) and a Monster Man (Oct 30) with items like paper plates and construction paper from home by watching the videos from the Forestville Library (to be posted on the dates mentioned on Facebook and our website).

Facebook.com/DoorCountyLibrary  
DoorCountyLibrary.org

**All week, Oct 26-31**  
Sister Bay/Liberty Grove (open hours)

Show up in costume or Fall-themed outfit, and it doesn't matter how old you are—baby, teen, adult, and we'll have a prize to choose to show our appreciation.

**Friday, October 30, pick-up craft bag kit:**

- Baileys Harbor (10:00 am - 4:00 pm)
- Egg Harbor (10:00 am - 2:00 pm)
- Forestville (3:00 pm - 5:00 pm)
- Sister Bay/Liberty Grove (11:00 am - 4:00 pm)
- Sturgeon Bay (9:00 am - 5:00 pm)
- Washington Island (1:00 pm - 5:00 pm)

**Saturday, October 31, pick-up craft bag kit:**

- Baileys Harbor (10:00 am - 1:00 pm)
- Egg Harbor (10:00 am - 1:00 pm)
- Ephraim (10:00 am - 2:00 pm)
- Fish Creek (10:00 am - 1:00 pm)
- Sister Bay/Liberty Grove (11:00 am - 2:00 pm)
- Sturgeon Bay (9:00 am - 1:00 pm)