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Chapel

Everyone is welcome to join us on Wednesday, January 5 at 8:20 A.M. as Pastor Hinz will lead our weekly chapel service.

Fill the Ark

Chapel donations continue to help "Fill the Ark" in our support of Heifer International. Check out the ark on the wall across from the school office to see the progress made to date!

Calendar Markers

- **Fri.** Dec. 17 – Grade 1 Field Trip; Twin Spirit Day; Basketball game (4:45 P.M.) Holiday Hoops Night
- **Mon.** Dec. 20 – Grade 4 Field Trip to the Manors
- **Wed.** Dec. 22 – Christmas Recess begins – **Early dismissal at 11:15 A.M. – NO LATCHKEY AFTER DISMISSAL**
- **Mon. Jan. 3** – Classes resume (8:10 A.M.)

IMPORTANT!!!

Parents, it is **IMPERATIVE** that you fill out the white attendance cards in the pew racks, or on the tables at the Saturday evening services, when you attend worship services. (Please list first and last names of those attending, if you have multiple last names in your family.) Sadly, a number of school families (Valley Lutheran and Peace Lutheran School) have not done this and **are in danger of being ineligible for member-tuition rates**. The Church is keeping track of these cards, but they must be filled out every service you attend. If you neglect to do this, records then indicate non-attendance and this could jeopardize your Church member discount for tuition. Please be faithful in doing this as we "remember the Sabbath to keep it holy."

Tuition Payment Discount

The Peace Lutheran School Board, at a recent meeting, approved the offering of a \$100 discount incentive per child in a family (up to 3 children), if 2011/2012 tuition is **paid in full by June 1, 2011**. This, however, does not apply to families on tuition assistance. Tuition rates will be released in future Panther Prints after the first of the year.

Last Panther Prints for 2010

This is the last edition of Panther Prints for 2010. The next issue will be published on Thursday, January 6, 2011!

Merry Christmas

The Peace Lutheran School and Church staff wishes everyone a very blessed Christmas and a Happy New Year as we celebrate the greatest gift of all. . . our Lord, Jesus Christ.

Athletic News

“B” Basketball: The final “B” home basketball games are tomorrow evening as the boys and girls host St. Paul, Flint. The girls’ game begins at 4:45 followed by the boys’ game. We will be celebrating Holiday Hoops Night with Christmas music throughout the evening. The teams’ final games of the season are on Tuesday when they travel to St. Lorenz.

Coach Needed: The athletic department is still in need of a coach for our girls’ 4th and 5th grade Saturday morning basketball team. The season runs from mid-February through March and typically involves one practice and one game per week. If you are interested in this volunteer position or would like more information, please contact the athletic director, Mr. Neumeyer.

Boys’ “A” Basketball: The boys’ “A” basketball team will prepare for its upcoming season by participating in the St. Helen Tournament over Christmas break. Good luck, boys!

Merry Christmas!: As we take time to celebrate our Savior’s birth, the Peace Lutheran Athletic Department would like to wish you and your family a Merry CHRISTmas and safe travel over the holidays. See you next year!

Weather-related School Closings

Peace Lutheran School will follow the decision of the Saginaw Township Community School district when closing or delaying the opening of a school day due to inclement weather (snow, hail, fog, etc). For closings necessitated by reasons other than weather, Peace will make an independent decision and announce it separately.

Hopefully, this will help parents who are awaiting a decision because of weather conditions. If, by chance, there is a delay because of fog, grades K – 8 will begin at 10:15 A.M., (there is usually a 2 hour delay) and the 3 yr. old or 4 yr. old pre-school class scheduled for that morning would be cancelled.

In case of DELAYS, the latchkey program will be open in the morning. Latchkey is NOT OPEN in the case of cancellations. T.V. and radio listings are available in the P.T.L. Family Directory on page VIII.

Reindeer Grams

Due to Monday’s snow day, the 8th grade class will be taking orders for Reindeer grams through tomorrow, Friday, December 17. You can send your friends a message and a treat for only 50¢. Delivery will take place on Wednesday, December 22nd. Thank you for your support!

Thank you, P.T.L.

A big thank you and round of applause to Mrs. Lozano, Mrs. Kern and their committee, who did an incredible job with this year’s Children’s Christmas Bazaar. We have had many compliments on how well run this event was. Thank you, again, to everyone who donated their time and talents to this exciting event.

Advent and Christmas Services

In addition to our Children’s Christmas service on Wednesday, December 15th our Christmas worship schedule is:

Christmas Eve –

3:00 and 5:00 P.M.

(Service of Lessons and Carols)

7:00 P.M. (Contemporary Worship)

11:00 P.M. (Candlelight Worship)

Christmas Day

9:30 A.M. – Traditional Worship

New Year’s Eve

6:30 P.M. – Traditional Worship

There are **NO** worship services on these dates:

Sundays, Dec. 26 or Jan. 2: Youth Services

Saturdays, Dec. 25 or Jan. 1 – Lawndale Campus

Monday, Dec. 27 – Adams Worship

Saturday, Jan. 1 - New Year’s Day