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Chapel

There will be no regular Wednesday Chapel service next week. Valley Lutheran High School will lead us in a special Chapel service, Friday, May 13th for Grandparent's Day.

Chapel Offerings

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.** May 6 – Music Festival at St. Paul, Saginaw; NO TOWNSHIP BUS SERVICE; Gr. 6-8 Spring Retreat (Fri. & Sat.)
- **Sun.** May 8 – Mother's Day
- **Fri.** May 13 – Grandparents' Day and Spring Concert (6:30 P.M.) @ Lawndale
- **Sun.** May 15 – Confirmation (11:15 A.M.) @ Adams

Quote

Do what you can, with what you have, where you are. (Theodore Roosevelt)

Grandparent's Day

Our annual Grandparent's Day celebration is scheduled for Friday, May 13 from 8:00 A.M. – 12:30 P.M. **Hot lunches for grandparents need to be ordered and prepaid by Wednesday, May 11.** Hot lunch order forms have been sent home. Orders will not be taken on Grandparent's Day, however grandparents are welcome to bring a sack lunch and sit with their grandchildren during the lunch period. Goodies will be provided for grandparents after Chapel. The Spring Concert will be held that evening at 6:30 P.M.

Achievement Tests

Achievement tests have arrived and are available to be picked up by parents from your child's classroom teacher.

Congregation Meeting

An important congregation meeting will be held Wednesday, May 11th at 6:30 P.M. at the Adams campus. New church governance plans, the Financial Ministry Plan, and the calling of a new music director for Peace Lutheran School will be some of the agenda items that will be addressed. We hope many will come to this meeting. Support your Church and School!

Summer Math Skills

Order forms for the Summer Math Skills Sharpener books are available in the school office. The cost is \$ 19 per book (including shipping). The books will be sent directly to your home. Language Arts books are also available.

Athletic News

Summer Sports Camps: Information about the S.K.I.L.L.S. Basketball Camp that will be held at Peace this summer as well as links to information about other sports camps that are being offered in our area this summer can be found on the athletic website.

Track: The track team will be competing at the VLHS Track Meet on Saturday. Good luck, Panthers!

Funding Factory: Please be reminded that the school athletic department continues to collect used ink/toner cartridges and cell phones to recycle through the Funding Factory program. Money that is raised is used to purchase athletic and physical education equipment for the school. Items for recycling can be dropped off in the school office or behind the shelf in front of the gym doors at church. More information about the program can be found on the athletic website.

Attention: Parents of Students Grade 1-7

Our final music performance of the year will take place on Friday, May 13th at 6:30 P.M. All students grades 1-7 will be participating and should be in their classroom by 6:15 P.M. Band students will meet at 5:45 in the 7th grade classroom. Mr. Stauffer will rehearse with them. Our theme this year is "Painting the Sky with Summer Sounds." Admission is free. A door offering will be taken to benefit the music department. Bring a friend or relative and enjoy the evening.

Tuition and Fees

Please be reminded that all tuition, fees (including band, hot lunch, library fines, etc.) must be paid prior to the last week of school. No diplomas or progress reports will be issued to students with outstanding fees and their names will be removed from class lists for the 2011/2012 school year.

Additionally, students are not included in class lists until the re-enrollment fee has been paid. We have several classes that are nearing capacity. Openings are filled on a first come – first served basis. If you have not already paid your re-enrollment fee, it is very important that you get that to us right away to assure that your child(ren) have a place.

Facebook Presentation

Watch for more information to come concerning a presentation to be made at Peace Lutheran School. Mark your calendars for Tuesday, May 10th. Students in 4th through 8th grade and all parents are encouraged to attend this 6:30 P.M. presentation concerning Facebook.

Summer Care

We are now accepting applications for summer care for Peace Lutheran students entering kindergarten through fifth grade. If you are interested, please call the school office at 792-2581.

Library News

The last week for library checkouts will be May 9 – 13. All books and fines are due Friday, May 20. All 8th grade books and fines are due Monday, May 9th.

Hot Lunch Charges

Parents: There will be no charges allowed after Friday, May 20th. Students having a negative balance should pack a lunch or they will be given a peanut butter sandwich lunch. Please be sure that all IOU's are paid by May 20th. **8th grade students must have their balances paid by no later than Monday, May 9. No charges will be allowed after that date.**