



ST. PAUL VIKING

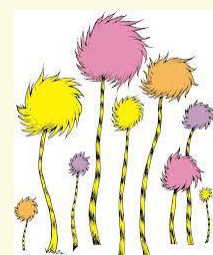


October 18th, 2024

Autumn Blessings



Book and Movie Night



We're thrilled to invite you to this year's first PTL Book and Movie Night on Friday, October 25th, from 6:00 PM to 8:00 PM! Gather your family for an evening of fun and laughter as we enjoy Dr. Seuss' beloved story, "The Lorax", on the big screen in the cozy church lounge. With snacks and drinks available for purchase, it's the perfect way to relax, bond, and create lasting memories with your loved ones and our school community. We can't wait to spend this special evening of family, fellowship, and fun with all of you!

See you there!

Trunk or Treat-Royal Oak Spooktacular

Get ready for this year's Trunk or Treat in our school parking lot, happening in conjunction with the Royal Oak Spooktacular event! Join us on Sunday October 20th from 1 PM to 3 PM for a delightful afternoon of fun. Children are encouraged to dress up in their favorite costumes and enjoy trick-or-treating at our school as well as at local businesses around town. Our parking lot will be filled with enthusiastic volunteers who will decorate their cars and hand out candy to all. If you're interested in volunteering to decorate a car and distribute treats, there's still time! Sign up at the church's welcome desk. If volunteering isn't in your plans, we invite you to bring your kids and enjoy trick-or-treating in our vibrant downtown area. Be sure to stop by our school's parking lot for this exciting experience!



Incentives From Our Color Fun Run:

Tuesday, October 22nd is Crazy Hat Day! All students are invited to wear their wildest hats to celebrate reaching our first school goal from the Color Run. Awesome job, everyone! We can't wait to see what everyone comes up with!!



Then get ready for some fun on Friday, October 25th – your teachers will be wearing silly wigs to celebrate your success in another Color Run incentive!



You've all been amazing! Stay tuned for even more fun incentives coming your way very soon!

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A "Tasty Way to Raise Some Dough"

We're thrilled to announce the return of food and fellowship at St. Paul! This year, we've partnered with Crispelli's of Berkley for an exciting fundraiser that's a win-win for everyone. On **Tuesday, November 5th, from 11 a.m. to 9 p.m.**, Crispelli's will generously donate **20% of all proceeds (dine-in or carry-out) to our school!** All you need to do is show them our flyer to ensure St. Paul receives the benefit.

We hope you can join us for a delicious meal that supports our students and school community!

If you have connections to other local restaurants that might be interested in partnering with us for future fundraisers, please reach out to Mrs. Hansen in the school office. We're always grateful for your help!



Middle School Trip to Lutheran High Northwest:

We are excited to announce that on Monday, October 21, our Middle School students will have a wonderful opportunity to attend Future Crusader Day at Lutheran High Northwest from 9:00 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. This visit offers our students a chance to experience high school life, from the academic expectations to the vibrant culture at Lutheran High Northwest.

Parents are warmly invited to join their students on this trip. You'll learn more about the many benefits of a Christ-centered, academically excellent education and how Lutheran High Northwest can be the next step in your child's faith and educational journey. We hope you can join us for this enriching experience!

Christmas Shop

The PTL is excited to begin preparations for this year's Holiday Shopping Experience for the children at Christmas. We are currently seeking donations and would greatly appreciate your contributions! If you have a hidden talent and would like to donate handcrafted items, we welcome your creativity.

This year, we are also accepting gently used or like-new toys, as well as regifted items, to help make this event special for the children. Stay tuned for more details as the event approaches! Please reach out to Meredith Sanislo at 248-766-9189 or Mrs. Hansen at jhansen@stpaulroyaloak.org or 248-778-7246 for more details if you would like to donate.



Thank you for your generosity and support.



Holiday Evergreen Fundraiser: We're thrilled to announce the return of our Greenhouse Holiday Collection—your go-to for stunning seasonal décor! Whether you're looking to add a festive touch to your home or gift something special, we have a variety of beautiful options to choose from. Be sure to check the fliers and order forms that were sent home with your student last week or look for them in your email. Share them with friends and family! Don't miss out on this perfect opportunity to bring warmth and holiday cheer into your home this season! Order forms and money due back to Mrs. Hansen on October 29th.



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6th – 8th Grade Student Acolytes: A Special Opportunity to Serve!



We're excited to offer our middle school students the chance to serve during church services! After being trained to acolyte at our chapel services, they now can expand this important role to Sunday and mid-week services as well.

As a reminder, all confirmation students are required to acolyte at least five times throughout the school year. If you have any questions, please reach out to Pastor for more information.



You can easily sign your child up by scanning the attached QR code and using the Signup Genius link. Thank you for supporting our students in this meaningful service!

Fall Field Trip to Blake's Apple Orchard!

We're thrilled to announce that our annual Fall field trip to Blake's Big Apple is just around the corner! Mark your calendars for Thursday, October 24th. Your child should have brought home their permission slip last Friday. Please take a moment to review the important details for the day.

Permission slips are due no later than Tuesday, October 22nd, they must be turned in for students to go, if we do not receive a permission slip, your child is not permitted to come on this trip! Additionally, we need parent volunteers to help with transportation to and from the orchard. If you're available and would like to join us for this fun-filled day, we would be so grateful for your help. It's always a wonderful opportunity to spend time with the kids and enjoy the beauty of the season together.



We look forward to a fantastic day at the orchard!



Help Us Capture Memories for the Yearbook!

Have you snapped some great photos of our students during school events or field trips? We'd love to include them in this year's yearbook! Your pictures are a wonderful way to help us showcase all the special moments from the school year.

To share your images, simply click the link below and use the provided password and code. Thank you for helping us make this year's yearbook one to remember!

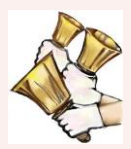
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Jr Bell Choir Handbell Workshop

On October 23, the Jr. Bell Choir will participate in a Handbell Workshop at St. Peter Lutheran Church and School in Macomb, MI. The workshop will run from 10:30 AM to 1:30 PM. We are in need of volunteer drivers to transport students and equipment. If you are available to help, please reach out to Mr. Paul at gpaul@stpaulroyaloak.org or Mr. Francik at cfrancik@stpaulroyaloak.org. Thank you for your support!



"Run with Endurance.... Looking to Jesus!" from Hebrews 12: 1-3

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