



February 22nd, 2024

Mission Statement St. Peter Lutheran School exists to help parents bring up their children in the training and instruction of the Lord, to provide academic excellence using God’s Word, and to share the Gospel of Christ with the world.

Church Singing:

Sunday, February 25th

Grades 5-8 and Jr Bells

10:30am

Sunday, March 3rd

Grades 1-4

10:30am

How Should I Handle a Child’s Separation Anxiety?

Tommy holds to tight to Dad. He doesn’t want to let go. Tommy doesn’t want to have Dad leave his sight. There are various reasons Tommy is doing this. The suggested article at [FORWARD IN CHRIST](#) offers not only the why something like this may be taking place, but it also suggests ways for parents to deal with separation anxiety in their children.

Parking Lot/Construction Information

Please see the attachment and map that gives information regarding drop-off and pick-up during the next few months while construction takes place on campus.

Bullying

This does happen at St. Peter. It is addressed in devotions, Christ Light, and when we are made aware of it. Discussions and lessons actually take place at just about any time. We have been discussing ways to implement a regular program that works to help kids improve upon their social/interactive skills with each other. What we plan to offer in the near future are strategies and opportunities for students to learn ways to deal with each other in Christian love. Our motivation is taken from 1 Timothy 1:9, “He saved us and called us to a holy calling, not because of our works, but by His own purpose and by the grace He granted us in Christ Jesus before time began.” From time-to-time, we will share updates with you on how it is going.

Spelling Bee: This year’s Spelling Bee will be held on Friday, February 23rd at 10:00am Grades 3-5 and 1:00pm Grades 6-8. The Participants for the Spelling Bee have been chosen: **3rd Grade:** Isaac Brockman, Brighton Ebeltoft, Logan Heger, Skyleigh Schuelke. **4th Grade:** Owen Danke, Madelyn Haase, Sage Hoth, Jonah Morack. **5th Grade:** Syler Radtke. **6th Grade** Meredith Hartwig, Liam Johnson, Samuel Mireles, Jens Petersen. **7th Grade:** Skylar Boelter , CeCelia Nieves, Blake Rhone. **8th Grade:** Carson Zielke, Ariana Zabel, True Curtis. Good luck to all participants.

Classroom News:

Mr. Miller's Classes

Grades 5-6 Catechism Memory Work :

- Due Tuesday, February 27 – 3rd Article “I believe in the Holy Ghost ... life everlasting. Amen.”
- Due Thursday, February 29 – 3rd Article “I believe that I cannot ... or come to Him.”

4K News: This week we talked about Jesus in the Garden of Gethsemane. We see how he Prayed and asked God for strength to go through with his suffering. Our letter is R and we made a raccoon and a rooster. We colored a book about the Ocean, painted a picture of the ocean, and added animals to the painting. We are finishing our story of The Country Mouse and The City Mouse this week. Great job singing in church this past Sunday and sharing God's love through song with our congregation.

Kindergarten News: Kindergarten-Thank you to all of the class who were able to make it to sing last weekend! Please note--Pizza orders are due tomorrow (Friday)!

2nd Grade News: 2nd grade sure covered a lot this week! We worked with counting coins and telling time in math. We enjoyed rock collecting in science and took a test about what rocks are made of and how sand is made. In English class, we are writing descriptive paragraphs about a mystery animal. We are excited to guess the animals on Monday!

7th & 8th Grade News: This week seventh grade has begun a new math topic. They are working hard on algebraic expressions! In Christlight we are finishing up our study of the Gospel of John. Furthermore, we are learning more about kindness. For example, how to show kindness to others and ourselves through actions and words. We have been exploring different ways to work together and practicing these through social situations. Please continue to encourage your children to check Gradelink to be aware of their grades and to show God's love to one another.

Family Fun Night--Do you like trivia? Team challenges? Ice cream? Well March 8th from 5:00-7:00pm, we will be having Family Fun Night where we will host a quiz night for you and your family to attend. There will be teams of adults and kids and a Jeopardy board. Some points will be earned with questions being answered and some points will be earned through how far you get in a challenge. If this sounds like something fun to you and your family, please sign up through the google form here:

<https://forms.gle/ALTSBzi1G54saL889>

Important Dates:

Spelling Bee: Friday, February 23rd at 10:00am Grades 3-5 and 1:00pm Grades 6-8.

No Waupaca Bus on March 4th -8th, due to Waupaca's spring break. Transportation will need to be provided.

SPL Story Hour: February 24th 9:00-11:00 am (see attached information)

Quiz Night- March 8th 5:00pm-7:00pm in the school commons (see attached information)

No School- Spring Break: March 11th-15th

No School- March 29th and April 1st