

THE STAR CONNECTION

One way to connect with your school and all that goes on in it.

School Year Theme: Built on the Rock!

Friday, February 3rd, 2017

Grades 3-5 sing in church on Sunday, Feb. 5. Please arrive 15 minutes early.

No School on Monday, Feb. 6 for Winter Break. Enjoy the long weekend!

Mrs. Anthony has decided to accept the call to serve at Siloah beginning next school year. Although we will miss her dearly, we are confident that the Lord will bless all involved with this decision.

Midterms will be going home next Friday, Feb. 10, for students in grades 4-8.

School Tuition Tax Deduction ~ State law allows Wisconsin parents to deduct private school tuition on their taxes regardless of income. [CLICK HERE](#) or go to our website to download the Department of Revenue Schedule PS. Our school FEIN number is 39-1281544. Please know that your school administration is not expert in income taxes. For specific questions, please direct them to a tax professional.

Silent Auction Classroom Baskets ~ Each class will be putting together a basket of items to be auctioned off at the Star Bowling Event on Mar. 19. [CLICK HERE](#) to see a list of the classroom baskets. Items can be brought to your child's classroom now through Friday, Mar. 3. Please consider donating to help raise money for the Star Student Fund!

Spirit Week 2017 is almost here! Get ready to show your school spirit!

- Tuesday, Feb. 7: Pajama Day (Activity: Create a fort; bring old sheets that are labeled with name)
- Wednesday, Feb. 8: Sports Day – Wear your favorite sports team apparel (Activity: “Let’s get moving!”)
- Thursday, Feb. 9: Crazy/Mismatch Day (Activity: Bottle cap project step 2)
- Friday, Feb. 10: School Spirit Day – Wear your blue and white to support Star! (Activity: Pep rally)

Confirmation Parent Meeting ~ A reminder for all parents of this year's confirmation class that there will be a meeting on Wednesday, Feb. 8 at 6:30pm in the 8th grade classroom. Your child is welcome to attend, but not required to. If you are unable to attend, please contact Pastor Nitz at jnitz@starofbethlehem.org.

4K and 3/4K Preschool Field Trip to Sunset Playhouse on Friday, Feb. 10. Leave Star at 9:45am and return by 12:00pm. Travel by car.

8th Grade to Christ Lutheran Food Pantry on Saturday, Feb. 11. [CLICK HERE](#) or see the note in today's family folders for more information. Please return the permission slip as soon as possible.

A-Team Puppet Show on Sunday, Feb.12 at 9:30am in the gym.

Teen Group ~ How many Johns do you know from church? How many Johns are in the Bible? There is one John who was part of the 12 disciples. We will be taking a closer look at the books of the Bible that he wrote. Join us for Teen Bible Study at 9:15am on Sundays.

On Thurs, Feb. 16, the group is planning on going to Helium Trampoline Park. The cost is \$22 for two hours, from 3:30pm to 5:30pm. *Volunteers are needed to drive from Star to Helium.* Any questions please call or text Vicar Schwartz at 507-217-0288.

HSA Meeting ~ Wednesday, Feb. 22 from 5:45-8:00pm. HSA invites you to attend “Raising a Christ-Centered Child in a Me-Centered Culture” presented by Dr. Rhoda Wolle from Wisconsin Lutheran College. Dinner and childcare will be available. [CLICK HERE](#) for more information. Please RSVP at <http://bit.ly/2kxcWfA>.

6th Annual HSA Rummage and Bake Sale will be held on Saturday, Feb. 25 from 8:00am to 1:00pm. Volunteers are needed donate items and to assist with the set up on that day. [CLICK HERE](#) or contact Suzanne Walter at 262-797-8379 for more information.

Bake sale sign up: <http://www.signupgenius.com/go/10c084eadaa2daafb6-bake1>

Rummage sale sign up: <http://www.signupgenius.com/go/30e0a4caaad28a02-6thannual>

10th Annual Star Bowling and Silent Auction will take place Sunday, Mar. 19 at 2:00pm. Sign-up sheets for the bowling event are located on the credenza. The silent auction will take place in the church narthex and conclude at the bowling event. If you would like to donate an item to the auction, please contact Dan Knoll at 414-526-3038 or daniel.knoll@graybar.com. [CLICK HERE](#) for more information.

Basketball Schedules for the Week of February 6

	Mon 2/6	Tues 2/7	Wed 2/8	Thurs 2/9	Fri 2/10	Sat 2/11
A1-Boys		7:00-8:30		2:30-4:00	Tournament @ WISCO	
A2-Boys		7:00-8:30		2:30-4:00		
A-Girls	5:00-6:30			7:00-8:30		
B1-Boys		Tournament @ St. Charles Borromeo School, Milwaukee 7:15 4:45 6:25 and 8:05				5:00 or 7:00
A-Cheer	1:00-4:00					

B1-Boys Conference Tournament at Trinity Waukesha on Friday, Feb. 3 and Saturday, Feb. 4. Star's first game is Saturday at 9:30am. Please arrive by 9:00am. [CLICK HERE](#) for the bracket and playing times.

B1-Girls Conference Tournament at Zion South Milwaukee on Saturday, Feb. 4. Star's first game is at 9:00am. Please arrive by 8:30am. [CLICK HERE](#) for the bracket and playing times.

B1-Boys Tournament at St. Charles Borromeo School on Tuesday, Feb. 7 through Saturday, Feb. 11. Star plays Tuesday at 7:15pm, Wednesday at 4:45pm, and Thursday at 6:25pm and 8:05pm. Consolation and championship games are on Saturday at 5:00pm or 7:00pm.

A-Boys Tournament at WISCO on Friday, Feb. 10 and Saturday, Feb. 11.

Student Council ~ Tuesday, Feb. 7 from 2:30-3:30pm. Meet in Mrs. Biesterfeld's room.

Jubilation Choir Rehearsal ~ Wednesday, Feb. 8 from 2:30-3:00pm.

Puppet Practice ~ A-team practice on Wednesday, Feb. 8 from 3:00-4:00pm.

Chess Club ~ Thursday, Feb. 9 from 2:30-3:30pm.

SCRIP ~ Ready for pick-up. Next order is on Monday, Feb. 13. [CLICK HERE](#) for an order form.

WISCO Kid's Carnival ~ Children age 3 through grade 4 are invited to WISCO's Kid's Carnival on Sunday, Feb. 19 from 1:00-3:30pm. Cost is \$3 for 20 game tokens and activities. Parents and grandparents get in free! [CLICK HERE](#) or see the flyer in today's family folders for more information.

2017 WLHS Dance Camp will be held on Saturday, Mar. 18 from 12:30-4:30pm. The deadline to register is Wednesday, Mar. 1. [CLICK HERE](#) or see the flyer in today's family folders for more information and a registration form.

Visit our Community Page for events and activities in our area. [CLICK HERE](#) for details.

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