



On Eagle's Wings

*Those who hope in the Lord will renew their strength. They will
soar on wings like eagles;*

September 11, 2009– Bethany School Notes

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Lunch Servers Next Week

The following people have volunteered to serve lunch next week. *Thank you!!!!*

- Sept. 14: K. Harrison & A. McKenna
- Sept. 15: B. Kjergaard & R. DeGarmo
- Sept. 16: C. Walton & L. Brumley
- Sept. 17: K. Kern & L. Ruble
- Sept. 18: J. Cole & B. Crowe

Next Week's Chapel Theme Will Be Christ be my Leader as I Receive and Give Forgiveness

Our focus verse will be **Colossians 3: 13** "...bear with one another and forgive one another if you have a complaint against anyone. Forgive as the Lord forgave you."

Our song for the week will be from All God's People Sing 96 and Lutheran Service Book 843

"Forgive Our Sins as We Forgive"

*Forgive our sins as we forgive, You taught us
Lord to pray. But You alone can grant us grace
to live the words we say.*

*How can Your pardon reach and bless the
unforgiving heart, that broods on wrongs, and
will not let old bitterness depart?*

*In blazing light Your cross reveals the truth
we dimly knew. How trifling others' debts to us,
how great our debt to You.*

*Lord, cleanse the depths within our souls and bid
resentment cease. Then, by Your mercy reconciled,
our lives will spread Your peace.*

Chapel Update and Invitation

We were blessed to be led in worship by DCE Bill Prann. With a backpack and hand weights, he taught us about the problems we have as both students and adults. The two reasons that God allows problems are **to make us stronger and to cause us to solely depend on Him**. When we are weak and weary, Jesus wants us to give our load to Him so "He" can carry it. He promises peace as we do.

If you are able, please, join us for chapel next Wednesday morning at **9:30 a.m.** led by Pastor Drebes. The Preschoolers will be coming to chapel for their first time this year.

Brain Integration

Every Wednesday and Friday morning from 7:50 - 8:10 a.m. in the Gathering Space students in grades 3-8 are eligible to participate in brain integration. This is an innovative program to assist children and adults in developing better focus and concentration. If you have any questions please talk to Mrs. Darby.

***This Sunday
1st & 2nd Grade Choir gets to sing!***

This Sunday, **September 13**, our **1st and 2nd Choir** gets to sing at the **8:00 a.m. worship service here at Bethany**. Students will meet in the 2nd grade classroom at 7:50 a.m. to warm up their voices. We are excited about this opportunity and hope all of you are able to participate.



Need groceries?

What if you could shop for all of your grocery needs and support Bethany Lutheran School at the same time? Well, now you can!

The gift cards are available now either of two ways: Stop by the Hy-Vee table at the church entrance to purchase your cards after the 9:30 Sunday service OR Email Sonja at srobles1@kc.rr.com or call (913)530-1455 to get your cards!

Cookies...Cookies...Cookies!

The cookie dough fundraiser has started. Our goal is 1,000 tubs this year. Sales end on Monday, September 28.

Eagles Volleyball

- 5/6 practices on Mondays and Wednesdays until 5:15 p.m.
- 7/8 practices on Tuesdays and Thursdays until 5:30 p.m.

Friday, Sept. 11 at Calvary (played at LHS)
6:30 p.m. Bethany 5/6 v Calvary 6
7:15 p.m. Bethany 7/8 v Calvary 7/8

Saturday, Sept. 12 7/8 Topeka Tournament

Friday, Sept. 18 at Bethany
5:30 p.m. Bethany 5/6 v Hope 6
6:15 p.m. Bethany 7/8 v Hope 8
8:30 p.m. Bethany 5/6 v MLA 5/6
9:15 p.m. Bethany 7/8 v MLA 7/8

Attention All 5th-8th Grade Volleyball Girls

Volleyball Team pictures will be taken on Tuesday, October 20. Following the pictures will be our parent vs student games and then our end-of-the-season party. All girls will stay after school that day for the pictures. Parents are invited to be there at 5:00 p.m. to play volleyball and then stay for the party afterward. We will be done at 6:30 p.m.

Please be sure all forms are turned in (physical form and roster form) and that you have paid your athletic fee.

Cheerleading Clinic Here at Bethany

Attention all 5th-8th grade girls! Please mark your calendars for Saturday October 24 and Sunday October 25 for a cheerleading clinic here at Bethany. It will be led by the St. Thomas Aquinas cheerleaders (the same girls who did a clinic here for us last summer - 2008) More details and sign up forms will come out later in September. Clinic will be held in our Family Life Center on Saturday October 24 from 3:00-5:00 and Sunday, October 25 from 1:00-4:00 p.m. Parents will be invited for a performance at the end of the Sunday session. All 5th-8th grade girls are welcome!

All School Hayride

September 25 • 5:30 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.
at Sharp's Farm

\$6.00 per person (under 3 years old free)
Serving hot dogs, baked potatoes, apple cider, smores and much more. Please RSVP by Monday, September 14 by returning with lower portion of the form that went home in last weeks Friday Folder.



Bethany Lutheran School Golf Tournament Sunday, September 20

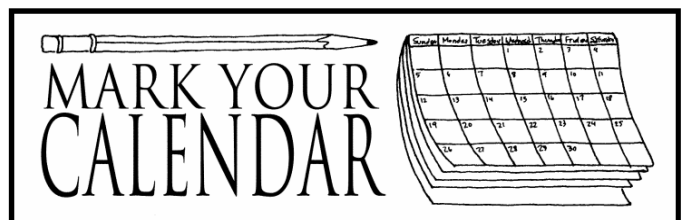
Prairie Highland Golf Course

We need golfers!!! It is a lot of fun and you don't have to be good! Registration begins at 12:30 p.m. with a 1:30 p.m. shotgun scramble start. Entry fee of \$125.00 per person includes greens fees with GPS system, cart rental, beverage tickets, as well as a dinner at the club afterwards. Contact Chad Kern at 913-220-7328 with questions.



Cone Helpers Needed

Volunteers are needed to place cones and curbs in the parking lot each morning. Monday - Friday, the cones and curbs are stacked on the curbs and need to be placed on the lot. You place three cones across each driveway and six cones across the parking lot. It takes about 5 - 7 minutes. Signing up for a day means you will do it that day every week. In case of inclement weather, it's your call. Students will not go outside in rain or extreme cold. Please contact Laura Grossman to sign up.



Coming Up:

- Sept. 13: 1st & 2nd Grade Choir Sing at OP Mission
- Sept. 20: Golf Tournament @ Prairie Highlands
- Sept. 25: Hayride @ Sharp's 5:30 p.m.
- Sept. 28: Cookie Dough Sales End
- Oct. 7: Cookie Dough Delivered/Book Fair
- Oct. 8: Book Fair
- Oct. 9: End of 1st Qtr/Grandparents Day/Noon Dismissal