



Good Shepherd Charger News

“In His Time”

Ecclesiastes 3:1-8

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Something to Consider:

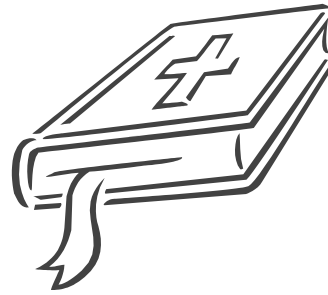
That which we have seen and heard we declare to you, that you also may have fellowship with us; and truly our fellowship is with the Father and with His Son Jesus Christ.

1 John 1:3

It's acceptable to refer to any gathering as “fellowship,” but the Bible uses the term to denote a depth of sharing and communion that is far more rare than it should be.

True fellowship is essential, because there are things that God can do for you through the ministry of a body of believers that He seems to choose to do in no other way. Fellowship also provides the opportunity for you to exercise your spiritual gifts, something that cannot often be done outside an assembly of Christians.

Seek out the deep sharing and community that makes for true



fellowship. It will draw you closer to your brothers and sisters—and to God.

Charger Headlines:

Lunch Bills

Please be aware that the lunch bills are posted to your account the first week of each month and may be on an invoice separate from your tuition invoice. Please log into your TADS account or call 1-800-477-8237 if you have any questions. Your prompt payment of these invoices is appreciated.

Toys for Tots

GSLs are collecting new, unwrapped toys for the Marine Corps Reserves to distribute to economically disadvantaged children in our local area. A designated box will be in the school lobby from Monday, Nov. 10th—Friday, Dec. 5th. Thank you for the contributions you are able to make!

SOS Food Pantry

The food pantry for SOS - “Spirit of Sharing” is low on fruit cups and granola bars. If you would like to donate to this cause, please drop off your donation in the collection box in the school lobby during the month of November....Through our blessings we can be a blessing to others! Any donation would be truly appreciated.

NLCS Parent Survey

Parents, next week you will receive an email providing you with a link to the Good Shepherd Parent Survey on surveymonkey.com. This survey is a great tool in our effort for continuing improvement at Good Shepherd School. Please take a few mo-

ments in the next week to complete this survey. Your participation is greatly beneficial and highly appreciated!

Young Authors

Authors pick up your pencil and begin your masterpiece. This is a great opportunity for students to learn and show their writing skills and a way to express themselves through this art. Guideline fliers are available in the school office. Begin to brainstorm your thoughts!

Gingerbread House

We are requesting donations of scotch tape, tissue paper and small bows. NO Santa tissue paper please. You may take the donations to the school office.

A Look Ahead

Saturday, November 8

-LSA Volleyball Through Sunday

Sunday, November 9

-Singing for the Savior Choir 8:00am

-Seraphim Choir 10:30am

Monday, November 10

-Scrip Orders Due by 9:00am

-Veterans Day Assembly 2:00pm

-Board of Christian Day School Meeting 7:00pm

Tuesday, November 11

-NO SCHOOL—Veterans' Day

-School's Out Club at ECC

Thursday, November 13

-Chapel 8:35am

-Boys AB Basketball at Dupo 6:00pm

-Boys CD Basketball Home vs St. Paul Highland 6:00pm



Charger Headlines Continues...

Charger Bucks – Scrip

We have five weekly order dates left before Christmas - November 10th, 17th, December 1st, 8th, & 15th.

Plan ahead and order each week for gifts and entertaining. Please have your order in the school office by 9:00a.m

Walk-up sales will resume on Fridays from 2:45 - 3:30 p.m. and will continue on Sunday mornings between services. If you have any questions please contact the school office 618-344-3153.

Tell your family & friends about this program - anyone may participate!

Market Day

This month, Market Day offers us a chance to earn profit with December Cookie Dough Bonus Days on twelve premium varieties. The next Market Day pick-up day will be Monday, December 8 from 3:00 -4:30 p.m. in the school cafeteria. Look for the monthly order guide in your student's Friday folder. Additional copies are available in the school office. Order forms may be returned to the office or online no later than Monday, December 1st.

Receive a FREE 1 pound bag of broccoli florets with a \$40 order; or a FREE 1 lb. pork tenderloin this month with a \$90 online purchase using promo code: DECBONUS.

Box Tops and Labels

The next turn in date for the Box Tops and Labels is Wed., Nov. 19th. Please send the trimmed box tops and labels to your child's homeroom.

Congratulations

Congratulations to Colleen L., Jared W., Justin W., Hannah R., and Zach H. They did a fantastic job in the orchestra, choir, and band at the ILMEA All District festival.

MELHS Open House

MELHS open house is Sunday, November 9th from 1:00-3:00 p.m. This is a good opportunity to find out more about Lutheran High School Education.

Give Warmth

Donate coats, hats, gloves for men, women, & children at one of the "Give Warmth" boxes located at the church and school. These will be distributed to people in need through Good Shepherd's His-

panic Ministry, led by Mr. Vanderhyde.

RenWeb Update

We are ready to use another feature of RenWeb. This new feature will notify you if your child receives a grade lower than a C- (below a 75%). The intent is to keep you informed so that your child can work hard to improve. As with anything new, we may have a few glitches. If you receive an email you do not understand, email your child's homeroom teacher so we are able to answer your question and/or fix any glitches. Thank you for your partnership.

Theater Performance

GSLs students, Millie C. and Courtney B., and other dancers of all ages will be performing in the time honored classic, The Nutcracker ballet on December 5, 6, & 7 at the Wildey Theatre in Edwardsville. There are evening performances, as well as matinees. Information and tickets are available through the box office or at wildeytheatre.com. Tickets were expected to go on sale October 20. Last year all shows sold out.

In Our Prayers this Week:

Each week this school year, the faculty will be praying for the school families. Please remember these and others in your prayers. The families of: Cade B., Sophie B., Noah C., Sam C., Jared C., Millie C.

Auction Up-dates

Auction Meeting

Our next Auction Meeting is scheduled for Wednesday, November 12th at 7:00 pm. We are in need of volunteers to help with the Auction 2015. Please consider the opportunity to help in any way. This is our largest fundraiser for the school, and any help would be appreciated.

Please contact the school office if you are able to contact businesses for donations.

Auction Reservations

This is a fun way to help support the school. Don't miss out on this fun evening out and wonderful way to support a great cause! Call your friends and get a table or come and make new friends.

The auction is Sat., March 21, 2015 with location TBD. Call 618-344-3153 or visit the school office for more information.

Reservations and donations can be made at the school office.

Auction Donations

Yes! YOU can get involved by donating an item or service or attending the Good Shepherd Lutheran School Auction. Everyone should be given the opportunity to contribute to this annual fundraiser. Your individual participation is needed for this event to succeed! Please participate for our students!

The purpose of Good Shepherd Lutheran School is to provide each student with a quality Christian Education. We recognize that this begins with the premise that Jesus Christ is our Lord and Savior and in Him we have eternal life. The curriculum and all activities are developed around this premise.

1st Quarter Honor Roll

High Honor Roll with Distinction

8th Grade: Olivia B., Julia F., Alyssa G., Zach H., Alyssa H., Amy M., Haley R., Kristina R., Sophie S., Jared W.

7th Grade: Lauren F., Reagan G., Elise H., Scott H., Lizzy S., Macie S.

High Honor Roll

8th Grade: Anica B., David B., Myah C., Charlie K., Parker K., Brian L., Caleigh M., Mackenzie O., Maycen O., Brendan S., James W.

7th Grade: Thomas B., Daniel B., Alex C., Nick H., Gabrielle J., Morgan J., Henry L., Coleen L., Hunter L., Mark M., Will O., Jeremy O., Elke S., Brady S., Hannah S., Caleb T.

6th Grade: Evan B., Sophie B., Erik B., Jared C., Millie C., Riley D., Kyla E., Olivia G., Christopher H., Will M., Faith M., Ryan P., Sydney P., London R., Hannah R., Molly S., Gabe S., Justin W., Connor Z.

5th Grade: Emma B., Carson C., Autumn D., Matthew H., Megan H., Grahm J., Khushi J., Alice K., Eli L., Claire L., Trevor P., MaryAnn R., Anna R., Trinity S., Garrett S., Maggie S., Sydney S., Jenae W.

Honor Roll

8th Grade: Luke C., Raina J., Jazlyn K., Haylee M., Jacob P., Joshua R., Tony S., Patrick T.

7th Grade: Madeline B., Jacob B., Matthew F., Taylor H., Maximus L., Bryan O., Anna W.

6th Grade: Cade B., Noah C., Stephen C., Johnathan F., Tyler K., Martin L., Bryan R., Jakob S., Eli W., Joshua Y.

5th Grade: Kyle C., Sarah F., Madelyn G., Henry V., Logan W., Ella, W.

Retreads...

School's Out Club - Nov. 11th & 26th

Good Shepherd has a School's Out Club that will serve the students and their families by providing, on weekdays when school is not in session, quality child care at our Early Childhood Facility. The next scheduled dates are Tuesday, Nov. 11th and Wed., Nov. 26th.

Stop by the school office or TRACKS to pick-up the Attendance Reservation Form. Specify the days the student will be attending and deliver the form to the school office or to Mrs. Molitor.

Parent/Teacher Conferences

Conferences are now completed and I pray that you have established a partnership with the teachers, so each child can develop to his or her potential. Blessings to each of you as you assist the teacher in the educational development of your child.

Please remember you may have a conference anytime to discuss ways to enhance your child's education.

Chapel

Chapel offering for the month of November and December is for the CAMA (Collinsville Area Ministerial Association) Food Pantry in our community. The mission of CAMA is to put our faith into action by doing what we are called to do: to reach out and serve one another as friends and neighbors of a united faith community. This association involves all churches in the Collinsville area. Area Pastors gather to meet, share concerns and fellowship. All money raised will be donated to this important cause.

Pie/Dessert Bonus Sale Days

Thank you for your support by ordering pies through the 8th grade class. Proceeds will go toward their 2015 class trip to Washington DC.

Book Fair

We thank all of our parent volunteers who helped make this year's Book Fair a success. A thank you to Ms. Combs and Mrs. Kegley for heading this event!

Box Tops and Labels

The winning class for the Box Tops and Labels Program contest for the month of October is K-2. Mrs. Sengele's class collected a total of 212 box tops and labels with an average of 27 box tops and labels per student.

We ended the month of September with a total of 12,114 box tops and labels and added 1,687 box tops and labels for the month of October totaling 13,801 box tops and labels for this school year.

Christmas Sales Thank You!

A big "Thank You" to all who participated in the Christmas Sales Fundraiser! Congratulations to our top sellers who earned a Limo Lunch at Edison's: Camden A., Emma B., B., Riley D., Joey F., Emma H. and Madyson L.

Remember you can still support Good Shepherd School and take care of your Christmas shopping online at www.GASchoolStore.com!

Our school's online code is 2521714.
