## On Eagle's Wings

January 5, 2024

## Upcoming Events

January 8-12 Spirit Week

January 9-12 - Art Attack Week

January 9 - Foodshed Dine and Donate to benefit 5th Grade Outdoor ED

January 11-14 - Hauch Invitational Basketball Tournament~H.I.T.

January 15 - Martin Luther King Day No School or PALS

January 25- Open House
Prospective Families- 5-6 pm
Dance Team 6 pm
Current Families-6-7 pm

## News from the Principal's desk

Dear Parents,

Happy New Year! As 2024 begins, I reflect on our school's bible verse "but those who hope in the LORD will renew their strength. They will soar on wings like eagles; they will run and not grow weary, they will walk and not be faint." Isaiah 40:31 for encouragement.

As we are in this cold, wet winter weather, I feel it is important to review the SJL student dress code. Please see the next page of this newsletter for reminders on Outerwear, Tights, Shoes and Socks.

Blessings to you and your family!

In Christ, Christy Wood

Principal

Birthdays December 21, 2023 - January 2, 2024
Brynn Giovannoni Easton Giovannoni Lydia Holcomb Noelle Holdsworth Valentina Luna Lola Morris Maxwell Needleman

Baptismal Birthdays December 21, 2023 - January 2, 2024
Stella Squibb Natalie Mathison


## Dress Code Reminders

## Outerwear

Sweatshirts need to be navy or gray with no striping, brand names, or logos of any kind, with the exception of a St. John's logo. No other sweatshirts may be worn to school (even as a coat). Sweaters or cardigans may be worn as long as they are navy or gray in color.

Gray is considered a school approved color for outerwear and shoes. There is no restriction on coats, however unless a coat is a solid school color with no striping, brand names or logos (except a St. John's logo), it may not be worn in the classroom. A "coat" is defined as outerwear that can be completely unzipped or unbuttoned in the front.

## Tights

Girls may wear tights or leggings under skirts, skorts, or shifts and must be solid navy, black, or white. Leggings must reach the ankle.

## Shoes and Socks

Only athletic shoes may be worn to school. An athletic shoe is defined as a sports shoe with a rubber bottom and a top made of leather, leather-type material, or canvas that can
be tied or fastened by shoelaces or Velcro on top (e.g. tennis shoes, running shoes, sneakers). Shoes must be closed toe for safety reasons. Shoes need to be black, brown, gray, or predominantly a solid school approved color. No light-up shoes, "Heelies", or other shoes that are distracting or unsafe may be worn. Shoes must be properly fitting, and laced shoes must be tied. Socks must be in school approved colors.


An Overview of the Christian Faith

What are we teaching your children? Specifically, what are we teaching them about Jesus, the Bible, and the Christian faith?

Pastor Mike will be leading a nine-session overview of the basic teachings of the Christian Faith beginning on Sundays at 11:00 AM in Room 10, beginning on January 28. This study in basic Christianity will cover all the essential teachings, how they fit together into one compelling story, as well as the major challenges to faith today. This class is open to all; questions and doubts are welcome.

If you are interested or would like more information, please contact Pastor Mike.

When: Sundays, from January 28 through March 24.
Time: 11:00 AM
Place: Room 10

## Chapel Offerings

One of our goals at St. John's Lutheran is to help students grow in a Biblical view of the stewardship of the gifts God gives us. Each week, we collect an offering as part of our Chapel worship service. The Offering is an opportunity to share a part of the financial gifts God gives us for His ministry on earth and the benefit of other worthy organizations that we support. Each month, we donate our chapel offerings to a selected organization.

## CHAPEL OFFERINGS MONTH OF JANUARY

Mission India
This month our chapel offerings we be going to support Mission India. This is a ministry that St. John's has partnered with for over 15 years. Mission India works to bless people in need in India by raising up local leaders to serve in the name of Christ. They do this in three ways:

1) Literacy Training: Through year-long daily literacy classes, participants achieve a fifth grade reading level and learn basic life skills to help them improve their lives
2) Children's Bible Clubs: These are after school clubs in under-privileged areas that provide homework assistance, organized sports, and teaching about the Christian faith.
3) Church Planters: Equipping and support local leaders as they plant new Christian churches, often through starting Literacy Classes and Children's Bible Clubs.
This year, St. John's is sponsoring 10 literacy classes, 10 Children's Bible Clubs and 8 church planters. Pastor Mike has twice been a guest of Mission India and had the chance to witness first-hand the great impact this ministry is having in India. For more information about Mission India, go to www.missionindia.org.



5th grade hosts hot lunch in January

## Tuesday, January 9th

## Hot Dog/Chips/Garrots/Dessert $\$ 5.00$

Two Hot Dogs

$\$ 7.00$

## Pizza Lunch Thursday January 11th

One slice of Cheese Pizza/Salad/Ice Gream \$5.00
Two slices of Cheese Pizza/Salad/Ice Gream $\mathbf{\$ 7 . 0 0}$

Do you need more lunch Coupons?
Did you know that lunch coupons can be used on both Tuesday and Thursday hot lunch?

New coupon books are available for purchase in the school office



Tuesday, JANUARY 9, 2024 10:00 AM-8:00 PM Dine In, Takeout and Delivery

PLEASE MENTION FLYER ON PHONE ORDERS
OR
PRESENT THIS FLYER ON TAKEOUT AND DINE IN
$20 \%$ of the proceeds will be donated to

## ST. JOHN'S LUTHERAN SCHOOL 5TH Grade, Redwood Alliance

Jake clway
https://www.foodshedpizza.org/
3385 Old California Way

# H.I.T Spirit Week January 8th-12th 

## Monday ~FAVORITE SPORTS TEAM

# TUesday CRAZY HAIR DAYINUNIFORM 

WEDNESDAY~CRAZY
SOCK DAY IN UNIFORM

## THURSDAY~SPIRTT SHIRT-LIVE/LOVED

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- FRIDAY UEAGLE WEAR
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# Hauch Invitational 7/8 Grade Basketball Tournament 

 H.I.T.January 11-14, 2024
Join the excitement!!
Brackets on following page.
Be sure to check out the menu on page 9 for the Eagle Cafe-you won't want to leave

Boy's Teams
St. John's Lutheran
Redwood Middle School
St. Apollinaris
St. Peter's Lutheran-EIk Grove
St. John's Bakersfield
Unidos
Blue Oak
American Canyon Middle School
Girl's Teams
St. John's Lutheran

## St. Apollinaris

St. Francis, Sonoma
American Canyon Middle School
GO EAGLES!!


## H.I.T. 2024 Girls Round Robin

1. St. Apollinaris
2. St. Francis
3. American Canyon
4. St. John's Lutheran

St. John's Lutheran v St. A's: Thursday, 6:15 pm
American Canyon v St. Francis: Friday, 5:00 pm
St. Francis v St. A's: Saturday, 1:30 pm
St. John's Lutheran v American Canyon: Saturday, 4:00 pm
St. John's Lutheran v St. Francis: Sunday, 2:30 pm
St. A's v American Canyon: Sunday, 5:00 pm

The final placing for each team in the Round Robin will be based on overall record. Tie Breaker is Head to Head matchup first, then (if necessary) will be separated by least amount of points allowed, followed by most points scored. *Home Team is listed first.

## Eagle Rock Café

HOT ITEMS
Tri Tip Sandwich
Caesar Salad
(Add tri-tip or chicken)
Bowl of Homemade Chili
Hot Dog
Chili Dog
Walking Taco
Nachos
Dirty Nachos (w/chili)
Cup of Noodles
SNACKS
Corn Nuts
Popcorn
Candy
Chips
Red Vines

## BEVERAGES

Water
Gatorade
Soda
Coffee/Tea/Hot Chocolate
$\$ 8.00$
\$7.00
Add'l \$1.00
\$5.00
$\$ 4.00$
\$5.00
$\$ 4.00$
\$4.00
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10¢ / each
$\$ 1.00$
$\$ 3.00$
$\$ 1.00$
\$1.00

## Specials:

Thursday Night
Teriyaki Chicken Bowls
Friday Night
Pulled Pork Sliders (2)
Saturday Morning
Breakfast Burritos
Saturday Day/Night
Teriyaki Chicken Bowls
Pulled Pork Sliders (2)
Sunday Night
Brownie Sundaes
$\$ 8.00$
$\$ 6.00$
$\$ 3.00$

MAKE ANY HOT MEAL A
"MEAL DEAL" -- GET YOUR
MEAL, CHIPS, \& A DRINK
(WATER OR SODA) FOR \$2
EXTRA
WANT A GATORADE INSTEAD? ADD \$3


