CALENDAR

Friday, January 15 End of Second Quarter Spirit Day!

<u>Sunday, January 17</u> 8:15 a. m. - Worship 11:00 a. m. - Worship



<u>Monday, January 18</u> No School - Martin Luther King, Jr. Day

Tuesday, January 19 Classes Resume New Quarter Schedule Changes

Wednesday, January 20 8:30 a.m. - Chapel

Thursday, January 21 7:00 p.m. - Kindergarten Round Up (In the Kindergarten Room & Virtual)

> Friday, January 22 Spirit Day!

Saturday, January 23 9:00 a.m. - Member Classes

VIRTUAL CHURCH SERVICES: If you would like to join us virtually for church services you will find us at:

www.stpaulroyaloak.org/live .

Viking - January 15, 2021

Equipping Children for LIFE

FROM THE BOARD OF ED: First semester is officially over. The third and fourth quarters loom ahead. Lutheran Schools Week & Open House, the celebration of Easter, and the end of the year activities are some of the events to look forward to. Our hope and prayer is that all of the students and families will finish out this year strong in God's strength and peace (Psalm 29:11). We are also praying that each student will put forth their best effort to achieve in their academics according to their abilities and to focus fully each day that they are in class, either in-person or virtually. To assist in closing the gap of the \$9,000 educational cost per student, the Board of Education has approved a very modest tuition increase for the well-rounded curriculum that each child at St. Paul Lutheran School receives. For the next school year of 2021-2022, tuition is an additional \$300.00 per student. The fees sheet will be sent out soon. Registration fees remain the same. A discount is applied for early registration as well as tuition payment in full at the beginning of the school year. May God be with each and every one of you in supplying all of your needs according to His riches in glory in Christ Jesus (Philippians 4:19).

MONDAY, JANUARY 21, is Martin Luther King Jr. Day. School will be closed in observance.

SCHEDULE CHANGES: As we begin a new semester there are some schedule changes that will be effective on January 19. The changes are primarily in Grades 5-8. Teachers will inform students and parents of any changes especially as it pertains to virtual classes.

KINDERGARTEN ROUND UP: Kindergarten Round Up will be held at 7:00 p.m. on January 21 for all parents who may be interested in sending their children to our kindergarten for the 2021-2022 school year. If you have a friend or relative that may be interested, please let them know. The number of attendees will be limited, however, the program will also be on St. Paul's Facebook LIVE. **Please RSVP** at 248.546.6555 or strepanier@stpaulroyaloak.org.

ST. PAUL LUTHERAN SCHOOL



Mrs. Lorence and Dr. Baldwin will share details of our program, tuition costs, and the curriculum materials used in our school. Health requirements will also be discussed. St. Paul offers a full day kindergarten program, Monday through Friday from 8:15 a.m. to 3:20 p.m.



This picture is from our Children's Christmas Service Friday, January 8. If you missed it, you can still see it and the other two Children's Services on our website at the link: www.stpaulroyaloak.org/live. Thank you to our Pastor, teachers, and students who worked so hard to make this happen. **SCHOOL CLOSINGS**: Please watch your local TV broadcast for school closing notices. We follow the Royal Oak School District. If they are closed for weather conditions, we will be closed also. St. Paul will be listed under School Closings on your local stations. Also, please make sure that you are signed up for our text messages. Texts are sent when we are closing, and also for any other information that you might need. If you are not on our text list, please sign up and join our group. Text @stpaulro to 81010 to join. If you have any questions, please talk to your child's teacher, or the school office. You could miss important information if you do not sign up.

<u>KROGER COMMUNITY REWARDS</u>: Go online to Kroger.com/community rewards to create an account. Kroger Community Rewards makes fundraising easy...all you have to do is shop at Kroger and swipe your Plus Card! Another convenient way to support St. Paul. Our Organization # is HG674

LITTLE CAESARS PIZZA: We are collecting proofs of purchase from the pizza boxes. Please bring them in to the office. These are collected by our PTL to receive free a Pizza Lunch for our students. **We need your help!** We are looking for a person to coordinate this program. No experience needed and it really takes very little time. Please contact Carrie Smith at smithcarrie5@yahoo.com if

you can help. THANK YOU!

BOX TOPS FOR EDUCATION: Box Tops for Education has changed the way that Box Tops are submitted. You will need to download the Box Tops App to your phone. To register St. Paul, please use the zip code to locate our school. It is 48067. Once the app is on your phone, you will simply scan any receipt that has the Box Tops logo on items that you have purchased. St. Paul will then be credited. Our school receives 10 cents for each box top collected. Thank you for supporting our school.

<u>SCHOOL FAMILIES WHO ARE ALSO CHURCH MEMBERS</u>: Please record your attendance at church services. 50% church attendance is the minimum to receive member tuition. <u>IN-PERSON</u> services: Please make it a point to fill out the regular attendance card at church. With <u>ONLINE SERVICES</u>: Just listen, record the date, and fill out the form at <u>http://www.stpaulroyaloak.org/attendance</u>. Questions can be emailed to <u>boe@stpaulroyaloak.org</u>.

<u>HIGH SCHOOL OPTION</u>: Looking for an outstanding Christian high school option for your son or daughter or know someone who is? **LUTHERAN NORTHWEST in Rochester Hills is now accepting applications for new students for Fall 2021!** Learn more about the school and apply online at <u>www.lutherannorthwest.com</u>. Their application fee will increase by \$50 on 2/1 so now is an ideal time to complete this step and join the Crusader family. Questions? Call our Admissions Office at 248-852-6677 if you are interest



Extended Care Sign-up Form Week of 1-18-21

Please select (circle) the days and times that you plan to use extended care:

Monday I-18	Tuesday I-19	Wednesday I-20	Thursday I-21	Friday I-22
NO	AM	AM	AM	AM
SCHOOL	PM	PM	PM	PM

Family Name: _____

Number of Children Attending: _____