

ST. PETER'S KEYS

Stop, Look and Listen

December 17, 2018

Principal's Prayer

Ephesians 3:14-21

For this reason I bow my knees before the Father, from whom every family in heaven and on earth is named, that according to the riches of his glory he may grant you to be strengthened with power through his Spirit in your inner being, so that Christ may dwell in your hearts through faith- that you, being rooted and grounded in love, may have strength to comprehend with all the saints what is the breadth and length and height and depth, and to know the love of Christ that surpasses knowledge, that you may be filled with all the fullness of God. Now to him who is able to do far more abundantly than all that we ask or think, according to the power at work within us, to him be glory in the church and in Christ Jesus throughout all generations, forever and ever. Amen

Heavenly Father,

Thank you, thank you, thank you! What you have done for me this past week is beyond my comprehension. Once again you have poured out your love in ways that I can't comprehend. Forgive me for the doubts I have had and the struggles to be confident in the tasks you've placed before me. I see your loving hand and know that you are there to guide me.

I am thankful for the time I had this past weekend that enable me to be energized. I am so thankful for the opportunity to worship in another state with people I don't know. Only through your guidance am I able to do this. It is obvious that your light shines for all to see. I pray that those who don't know you can recognize this light.

As we celebrate Christmas, may we each remember the importance of Christ's birth. Thank you for loving us so much that you sent your son to be our Savior. Only through His life, death, and resurrection can we be saved and be able to live eternally with you in Heaven. I know that day will be joyous! I love you, Lord. Amen

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THIS WEEK AND NEXT WEEK

12/17	Cheerleading Practice 3—4:15 pm V Boys BB Practice 6—7:30 pm
12/18	JV Boys BB Practice—CANCELLED V Girls BB Practice—CANCELLED
12/19	Fun Christmas Clothing Day- Pay \$1 5 Week Reports Home Advent 3 7:30 pm Grades K, 1 & 2 Faculty Meeting—3:15 pm
12/20	JV Girls BB Practice—CANCELLED
12/21	Chapel—8:45 am Advent 3 Pre-K Dismissal at 11:30 am Christmas Musicfest for all Families 12:30 pm
12/23	Sunday Worship Services at 8:30 am and 11 am, Sunday School Program at 11 am Service
12/24—1/1/19	Christmas Break NO SCHOOL
12/24	Christmas Eve Worship 5:30 pm & 7:30 pm
12/25	Christmas Day Worship 10 am MERRY CHRISTMAS
12/30	Sunday Worship Services at 8:30 am and 11 am No Sunday School
1/1/19	New Year's Day Service 10 am See Attached flyer for a listing of all Christmas and New Year Services.
1/2/19	School Resumes NO WILSON BUSES

LOOKING AHEAD

**SEE ATTACHED
JANUARY CALENDAR**



MUSICFEST

Our Music Fest will be held on Friday, December 21st from 12:30—2:30 pm. If you signed up and have any questions, please contact Mrs. Scibetta.

All students in Grades K-8 will be participating with their music classes and our school band will be performing. Family members are invited to join us for this wonderful afternoon.

LUNCH ON DECEMBER 21ST

The school (in conjunction with Thrivent) is providing pizza for all students on our last day before Christmas Break for K through 8th Grade. Teachers will take a count of what each student would like. Please send in additional items and a drink to complete your child's lunch. Milk will be available in limited supply.

REMINDER: PRE-K IS BEING DISMISSED AT 11:30 AM

Family members are invited to attend the K—8th Grade Musicfest beginning at 12:30 pm.

BISON'S CHILDREN'S SCHOLARSHIP FUND

The Bison's Children Scholarship Fund is accepting Pre-Application for funding for the 2019-2020 school year. The Scholarship Pre-Application will only be available electronically at www.bisonfund.com beginning January 1, 2019. The **Pre-Application is only for families NEW to Bison's**. Deadline to apply is February 28, 2019. Current families will receive an e-mail with a link to complete the requalification process in February 2019.

The highest scholarship amount for 2019/2020 will be \$2,100 per child. Families will be expected to contribute partial tuition towards their child's education. If you are interested in an Income Eligibility Scale for 2019, please contact the office.

For more information, visit www.bisonfund.com or call 1-888-216-8380.

CLASSROOM CORNER

Tis the Season for Excitement!

Looking at Christmas through the eyes of a child is a time that is always filled with excitement and wonder. That excitement should be something we carry through the whole year. The Creator of the universe sent His only Son to earth for one reason, to save us. It's hard to keep that excitement up day after day, especially when life's circumstances get us down. What helps me is to keep my eyes on what the Lord has done and continues to do for me instead of all my problems. Most of those "problems" can be petty. So I pray you will be able to have an exciting Christmas and an even more exciting year as you travel through it with your eyes on our Savior.

In second grade the excitement is climbing, but we are learning to work hard even though much of the discussion is, "Do you know how many days there are until Christmas?"

In math we are using double digit addition and are learning to estimate. We wrapped up our Native American study with making a poster that shares about each region. In science we are finishing up our chapter on natural resources. We have learned the best ways to take good care of our planet. The students have been working very hard on their cursive handwriting. Many are doing a wonderful job! I am so proud of their patient care in making sure their papers are neatly done. We continue to work at each reading lesson to build our vocabulary skills and fluency. We have a lot of fun reading in our jungle. Last but not least the students have been working extremely hard on their Advent parts. This is something to get *excited* about, sharing about Christ's birth. We hope you can join us on Wednesday, December 19th at 7:00pm.

Have a very Merry Christmas!

Mrs. Delp

CHARLESTON WRAP WINNERS

The Olive Garden Christmas Lunch with Mrs. Scibetta was held today. Each child who sold \$250 or more was invited. Three winners were drawn from the remaining names, with each child given a chance for each \$50 in products sold. The winners of the lunch were:

Ella Sacher
Jennilee Carpenter
Toby Pineda
Jake Murawski
Sheldon Fischer
Heidi House

Thank you to everyone who sold!

FUN CHRISTMAS CLOTHING DAY

We will be having a fun, Christmas clothing day this Wednesday, December 19th. Students pay \$1 and they can wear fun Christmas hats, ugly sweaters, sill hair, etc. Mrs. Scibetta will be handing out special treats to those she thinks are best in a variety of categories.

Dollars can be sent in by Wednesday, December 19th. All proceeds are being donated to the Cerebral Palsy Foundation. Thank you for your participation.

GEOGRAPHY BEE

The Geography Bee will be held on Thursday, January 3rd for students in Grades 4—8 who qualified through our Preliminary Competition that was held in each classroom.

Students who will be participating will be notified this week. Parents and other family members are invited to attend.

We will begin the competition at 12:45 pm.

**AFTER SCHOOL SIGN UP
for the Week of January 2, 2019
has already been completed. For any changes,
please contact Mrs. Scibetta.**

**TOPS SHOPPING CARDS ARE NOW
AVAILABLE AT SCHOOL BETWEEN
THE SCHOOL HOURS OF 9 AM—2 PM**

ORDER FORM

Buyer Name _____

Student Name _____

Telephone Number _____

Number of Cards _____

Denomination (\$25/\$50/\$100)

Please fill out this form and send into the office with payment. If you want to arrange a different pickup/drop off, please contact Brenda Walck at 695-4374.

Thank you to all who continue to purchase these cards for their own use or for gifts. Since 2008 we have earned over \$6,000 for St. Peter's School.

**THURSDAY (1/3/19)
FOR LUNCH
4 FRENCH TOAST STICKS, 2 SAUSAGES
AND FRUIT
(Order due on Tuesday, 12/18)**

Name _____ Gr. _____

_____ 1 Lunch @ \$3.00

_____ 2 Additional French Toast
Sticks and 1 Additional
Sausage @ \$1.00

Total Enclosed _____

Proceeds to Benefit 7th and 8th Grade
Class Trip and
Heidi House's Account

**THIS WEDNESDAY (12/19) FOR
LUNCH
BROCCOLI CHEDDAR CHEESE
SOUP AND CRACKERS
(Order due on Tuesday, 12/18)**

Name _____ Gr. _____

_____ 1 Lunch at \$3.00

Total Enclosed _____

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**THIS THURSDAY (12/20) FOR
LUNCH
SALAD BAR
(Order due on Tuesday, 12/18)**

Name _____ Gr. _____

**Please circle items you would like on
your salad:**

Grilled Chicken	Tomatoes
Cucumbers	Bell Peppers
Shredded Cheese	Croutons

Choice of Dressing:

Ranch	Italian
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_____ 1 Small Salad Lunch at \$4.00

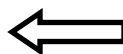
_____ 1 Large Salad Lunch at \$6.00

Total Enclosed _____

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No need to complete a pizza order slip this week. St. Peter's (in conjunction with Thrivent) will be providing pizza for all K through 8 students on Friday, December 21st. Please send in additional items and a drink to complete your child's lunch. Milk will be available in limited supply.

Any questions, please contact your student's teacher.



Please note that this is a lunch for Thursday, January 3, 2019. All orders are due on Tuesday, December 18 in order to get this lunch. Thank You!



January 2019

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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	Chapel Offerings 11/12–1/31 Warm Up WNY	1 Happy New Year No School New Year's Worship 10 am	2 School Resumes NO WILSON BUSES	3 Geography Bee 12:45 pm JV Girls BB 3–4:15 Practice	4 Chapel—8:45 am Mrs. Scibetta JV Boys Game—4 pm V Boys Game—5 pm JV Girls Game—6 pm At St. Peter's Catholic	5
6 Worship 8:30 & 11 am SS 9:45	7 Cheerleading 3–4:15 V Boys BB 5–6:30 Practice Parish Board 7 pm	8 V Girls Game—4 pm V Boys Game—5 pm At St. James	9	10 JV Girls BB 3–4:15 Practice	11 Chapel—8:45 am Pastor Tom V Girls Game—4 pm V Boys Game—5 pm At Catholic Academy	12 JV Girls Game—1 pm JV Boys Game—2 pm At St. James
13 Worship 8:30 & 11 am SS 9:45 am	14 Cheerleading 3–4:15 V Boys BB 5–6:30 Practice	15 JV Boys Game—4 pm V Girls Game—5 pm V Boys Game—6 pm At Trinity	16 PTL Meeting 7:00 pm	17 JV Girls BB 3–4:15 Practice	18 Chapel—8:45 am Mrs. Delp 2nd Marking Period Ends V Girls Game—4 pm V Boys Game—5 pm at St. John's	19 JV Girls Game—1 pm JV Boys Game—2 pm At Catholic Academy
20 Worship 8:30 & 11 am SS 9:45 am	21 NO SCHOOL MARTIN LUTHER KING JR DAY	22 JV Boys BB 4–5 V Girls BB 5–6 Practice	23 Report Cards Go Home JV Boys Game—4 pm V Boys Game—5 pm JV Girls game—6 pm At St. Peter Catholic	24 JV Girls BB 3–4:15 Practice	25 Chapel—8:45 am Mrs. Ferguson V Girls—4 pm V Boys—5 pm At St. James	26
27 Worship 8:30 & 11am SS 9:45 am	28	29 V Girls Game—4 pm V Boys Game—5 pm **At St. Peter's Lutheran**	30	31 JV Girls BB 3–4:15 Practice	** Note change of location for January 29th Basketball Games	