

ST. PETER'S KEYS

BE KIND!!!

December 13, 2021

CLASSROOM CORNER

Merry Christmas!!

Then the angel said to them, "Do not be afraid, for behold, I bring you good tidings of great joy which will be to all people. For there is born to you this day in the city of David a Savior, who is Christ the Lord.

Luke 2:10-11

What an awesome blessing it is to be able to call Jesus Christ our very own Lord and Savior! I am so thankful that He sent His son so that we can have a personal relationship with Him. Jesus is truly the reason for the season, and we are all excited to celebrate His birth this Christmas.

Our students continue to be hard at work in both ELA and math. The 5th graders have just finished up a chapter on long division in math class and are excited to move on to adding and subtracting decimals next. In 7th grade math, we are learning all about equations and inequalities, and the steps needed to solve them. Algebra 1 is currently studying the linear family, mastering the skill of recognizing and analyzing functions. "Bud, Not Buddy" is the book in which the ELA 6th grade class has begun to read. It is a compelling story about an orphaned 10-year-old boy's experiences during the Great Depression. Our ELA 7/8 class have also just started a new unit, learning what it means to take a stand against injustice and prejudice. We will read many different texts showing us examples of how to do this, including speeches given by women in Congress as well as a novel about racism in the 1960's. As our break nears us and our excitement for Christmas rises, it is difficult to stay focused, but we are all managing to do just that!

Mrs. Patricia Elias
Middle School Math and English

CHRISTMAS KINDNESS LAST WEEK

For the Upcoming Holiday Season, we are asking each family to prayerfully consider how they can participate as we look to provide items that will be distributed to families in need.

Please see the This Week and Looking Ahead Section on this page for items to send in each day.

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THIS WEEK

- 12/13 Christmas Kindness: Jar/Can of Sauce
Boy's Basketball Practice CANCELLED
Rescheduled For 12/17 3—4:30 pm
- 12/14 Christmas Kindness: Jar of Applesauce
Girl's Basketball Practice 3—4:30 pm
- 12/15 Christmas Kindness: Can of Yams
4 Week Reports Sent Home
NO AFTERSCHOOL
Staff Christmas Party
Mid-Week Advent Service—7 pm
- 12/16 Christmas Kindness: Can of Gravy
Chapel
- 12/17 Christmas Kindness: Gloves or Mittens
Boys Basketball Practice 3—4:30

LOOKING AHEAD

- 12/19 Join us for Worship Service at 8:30 am
and 11 am
Sunday School Program 11 am Service
- 12/20 Boy's Basketball Practice 3—4:30 pm
- 12/21 Crazy Christmas Wear Day—\$1
Christmas Pizza Lunch (See Back Side
Of This Sheet For More Information)
Girl's Basketball Practice CANCELLED
- 12/22 Chapel
1/2 Day Dismissal
11:15 am Dismissal for Pre-K
11: 30 am Dismissal for K-8
NO AFTERSCHOOL
Mid-Week Advent Service—7 pm
- 12/23—
1/2 **CHRISTMAS RECESS**

**SEE ATTACHED SHEET FOR
CHRISTMAS WORSHIP TIMES**

CHRISTMAS GIFT SHOP

Thank you to all the Christmas Shoppers and Helpers. Our Christmas Shop was very successful and loved by all. Our total profit was \$1,049. This Christmas Shop was sponsored by our PTL....thanks again.

CHRISTMAS PIZZA LUNCH

The School (in conjunction with Thrivent) will be providing pizza for ALL students (Pre-K—8) on Tuesday, December 21st. Please have your child bring in additional items and a drink to complete their lunch. Milk and water will be available for sale in limited supply. There will be NO snack box or ice cream available this day. We will provide a dessert treat for each student.

BISON'S CHILDREN'S SCHOLARSHIP FUND

The Bison's Children Scholarship Fund (for students entering K-8) will be accepting Pre-Application for funding for the 2022-2023 school year beginning January 1, 2022. The **Pre-Application is only for families NEW to Bison's**. The deadline to apply is February 28th. Current families enrolled in Bison's will receive an email with a link to complete the requalification process.

For more information, visit www.bisonfund.com or call 716-854-0869. The website will soon list an Income Eligibility Scale for 2021 and give you more information.

LIFEVAC

The LifeVac company has donated a LifeVac airway clearance device to St. Peter's Lutheran School. We are very thankful. If you are interested in purchasing a LifeVac for your family, they are offering a special giveback program for St. Peter's Families (10% discount on your order & LifeVac will donate a portion of each order to St. Peter's). Please use our special coupon code **RAIDERS** for all orders processed on their LifeVac website www.lifevac.net. If you have any questions, please feel free to text/call Brenda Walck at 716-695-4374.

CRAZY CHRISTMAS WEAR DAY

St. Peter's will be having a Crazy Christmas Day on Tuesday, December 21st. Send in \$1 and you can wear an ugly Christmas sweater, Christmas PJ's, put garland in your hair, cover your outfit with ornaments.....the possibilities are endless. Please send in \$1 in an envelope labeled with the event title and student's name. All money collected will be donated to The Lighthouse Women & Children Center.

AFTER SCHOOL SIGN UP
***Week of December 20th**
Due on Thursday, December 16th

Pre-Reg (per day) 1 hour@ \$5,
 2 hours@ \$10, 3 hours @ \$ 15

Family Reg for the year is \$35.00.

Emergency (family not registered)
 \$7.00 per hour

Late Enrollees add \$1.00 per child per
 day after Thursday.

Name _____

	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thurs	Fri
Hrs.	___	___	XX	XX	XX

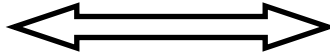
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TOTAL ENCLOSED _____

**NO AFTERSCHOOL PROGRAM ON
 DECEMBER 22nd
 1/2 DAY DISMISSAL**

Please complete Afterschool
 for Week of 12/20/21 and
 Week of 1/3/22.



AFTER SCHOOL SIGN UP
***Week of January 3rd**
Due on Thursday, December 16th

Pre-Reg (per day) 1 hour@ \$5,
 2 hours@ \$10, 3 hours @ \$ 15

Family Reg for the year is \$35.00.

Emergency (family not registered)
 \$7.00 per hour

Late Enrollees add \$1.00 per child per
 day after Thursday.

Name _____

	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thurs	Fri
Hrs.	___	___	___	___	___

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TOTAL ENCLOSED _____

NO PIZZA THIS WEEK

**See 2nd page of Keys Newsletter for infor-
 mation about pizza lunch on
 Tuesday, December 21st**