

St. James Lutheran School Newsletter

October 30, 2026

Christ at the Center

Truth in All Things

NO SCHOOL MONDAY NOVEMBER 2

THURSDAY EVENING, November 5th,
The book fair will be open for in- person shopping starting at 6:00 p.m. on Nov. 5. Students will have had an opportunity to look at the books earlier that day and may give you suggestions as to which books they would like.



The book fair will also be open for a short time, Friday morning, the 6th, during and right after breakfast for any last minute purchases.



At 6:30, the crafting activities begin in the cafeteria. There will be several crafts to make and take home. Come join the fun!

Chapel offerings for the Lutheran Heritage Foundation have now reached: **$290.00.**



PTL REMINDERS
6:00 p.m. Wednesday, Nov. 4 PTL meeting.

Thank you to those who have already turned in orders for Kwik Trip Car Wash cards. The due date for orders (along with the payment) is November 11. St. James receives $15.00 for each card sold.

HLWW Fall Musical, The Addams Family on November 20 and 21 at 7 PM and November 22 at 3 PM. A couple of our students are in the cast for this performance.

Celebrate St. James Drive
The total for our annual drive is $10,148.00. Thank you to everyone for your generosity. We still have a way to go to reach the goal of $40,000.00. Donations can be brought to either the church or school office

Sunday, November 1
8:00 and 10:30 a.m. Worship Services
Choir
10:30 a.m. Grades 5-8 Choir

Wednesday, November 4
Chapel Service:
8:20 a.m. Pastor Loder

In Our Prayers: This upcoming week please include these in your prayers:



- Thank you, Jesus, for taking the punishment we deserved and giving us forgiveness instead.
- Thank you for the freedoms we enjoy in this nation.
- For the family of Mrs. Angi Chabot on the death of her husband.
- For wise, caring, and capable leaders at all levels of government.
- For protection for our service men and women who serve in our military.
- Thank you for the gift of family and friends.
- For those cleaning up after massive storms.
- For all who are healing after surgeries, especially Pastor Loder, Eddie Erickson, and Raylan Pink.
- For those who are looking for employment to find jobs.
- For hearts and minds that show the love of Jesus to everyone we encounter day by day.
- For continued good weather for farmers to complete the fall fieldwork.



Report cards
You will be able to view the report card(s) of your child(ren) through Sycamore next week. If you wish to have a printed copy of the report card, simply contact the office and one will be made available.

Funeral arrangements for Ed Chabot

Visitation on Friday, Nov. 6 from 11:00-12:55 at Trinity Lutheran Church in Waconia. Funeral at 1:00 p.m. Gathering at Dave's Town Club-Upstairs Room at 138 River St. N. #9311 in Delano.

Next Week at St. James

Sun., Nov. 1
Set your clocks back one hour
8:00 and 10:30 a.m. Worship services
10:30 a.m. Grades 5-8 Choir

Mon., Nov. 2

No School

Tues., Nov. 3
Election Day
3:15-4:45 p.m. 5-6 Boys BB practice

Wed., Nov. 4
8:20 a.m. Chapel
6:00 p.m. PTL meeting
3:15-4:45 p.m. 5-6 Boys BB practice

Thurs., Nov. 5
Library
6:00- Book Fair
6:30 -7:30 Craft Night

Fri., Nov. 6
Spirit Wear Day

Sun., Nov. 8
8:00 a.m. Grades 3-4 Choir

At the reception desk:

- Lunch menus
- Yearbook forms
- Newsletters

Family Handbook Highlights

SCHOOL CLOSING/DELAYED START The HLWW Superintendent determines school closings/delayed starts. Upon notification of such happening, messages will go out to teachers/staff, followed by School Messenger (Phone), Sycamore (email/text), and Facebook. Local media channels will also have updates available. Parents/Guardians do well to ensure the school office has updated contact information.

Basketball season has begun for our 5th and 6th grade boys. The first home game will be at 3:45 p.m. on Thursday, November 12. If you are able, come and cheer them on.

Mayer Lutheran High's drama dept. is performing Shakespeare's The Twelfth Night. Nov. 20 and 21 at 7 pm and Nov. 22 at 2 pm. Online tickets for reserved seats are available now.

Tuesday, Nov. 10 at 6 PM is the evening you could visit Mayer Lutheran High School to gather information about possibly sending your student there.

As part of the library program, students were asked to make a pumpkin look like a favorite book character. They each filled out a sheet, not only naming the character, but also sharing something about the character. Pumpkins were displayed in the cafeteria. Do you know these characters? Have you read about them?





Picture Retakes are scheduled for Friday, Nov. 13. Go to www.strawbridge.net and use the code PX505482 to order retakes.

Lots of families had fun at the Bingo Night sponsored by the Lions. Thank you, Howard Lake Lions for hosting this event.

