



# St. James Lutheran School Newsletter

March 14, 2025

## ***EQUIPPING AND EMPOWERING FAMILIES AND STUDENTS THROUGH CHRIST.***

### **Registration reminder:**

You can very simply register your child(ren) for next year by clicking the Yes button at the bottom of your Fast Direct home page. Registration fees are the same as last year. Kindergarten through eighth grade is \$125 per student. For preschool it is \$75.00. Doing this now greatly helps us plan for next year's textbook needs. You may set up payment for those fees on Fast Direct, or you may bring payment to the school office.

### **Tuition rates for 2025-26.**

They are \$1800.00 per student in grades K-8 for members of St. James and \$2500.00 per student in grades K-8 for those who are not members of St. James.

### **If you or someone you know has children eligible for preschool in the fall of 2025,**

registration is open and there is still room in both the three year old and four year old preschool classes. Simply contact the school office to get the paperwork in place. Tuition rates for 2025-26 are: \$1600.00 per year for the 5 mornings a week 4 year old sessions. \$1300.00 per year for 4 mornings a week for 4 year olds and \$1000.00 per year for the 3 year olds 3 days a week sessions. Children must be 3 years of age by September 1, 2025 to enroll in the three year old sessions and must be 4 years of age by September 1, 2025 to enroll in the four year old sessions.



**Thank you to the PTL** for hosting another successful gala. You put in countless hours of

planning, decorating, serving, and cleaning up to make this event happen. We are grateful for your dedication. Thanks also to the students who helped set up, serve, and clean up!

***Thank you, also to all those who attended and showed their support for Christian education.***

**March 21:**

***We have school that day. HLWW does not, so no busses. Be sure you have transportation plans in place for that day.***

### **Sunday, March 16**

8:00 and 10:30 a.m.

Worship services

### **Choir:**

10:30 a.m.

Grades 5-8 Choir

### **Wednesday, March 19**

8:20 a.m.

Lenten Chapel

7:00 p.m.

Lenten service

### **Sunday, March 23**

8:00 and 10:30 a.m.

Worship services

**In Our Prayers:** This upcoming week please add these prayer requests to your daily prayer time:

- Thank you for the salvation won for us by Jesus' suffering, death, and resurrection.
- Thanks for the opportunities to worship you freely.
- Thanks for food, clothing and all the blessings of everyday life.
- For the leaders of countries around the world to find peaceful and just resolutions to the issues they face.
- For all who are dealing with health concerns, especially Mrs. Olsen's father, Mrs. Chabot's mother, Mrs. Kotila's niece, Amanda, and Pastor Loeslie.
- For hearts that are open to God's Word and ready to share that Word with others.
- For those living under persecution for being followers of Christ.
- For patience as we go through our days and encounter frustrations and challenges.
- For the work that Love Inc. does in our community.
- For missionaries and their families serving around the world

**Thank you PTL for providing Oatmeal Cream Pies for the upper grades today.** It's a

yummy way to celebrate March 14, (3.14), Pi Day



### Upcoming at St. James School:

Sun., March 16

10:30 a.m. Grades 5-8 Choir

Mon., March 17

7:00 p.m. Board of Education meeting

Wed., March 19

8:20 a.m. Chapel service

7:00 p.m. Lenten service

Thurs., March 20

Library

Fri., March 21

NO BUSSING

Sun., March 23

8:00 and 10:30 a.m. Worship services

Mon. March 24- Sun., March 30

Spring Break



**School Website:** [www.stjameshl.org/school](http://www.stjameshl.org/school)

### At the reception desk:

- \* Scrip order forms
- \* Lunch menus
- \* Newsletters



### **Student of the Week:**

Nathaniel Love is part of the Kindergarten class this year. He was born on February 15 in Minneapolis. His parents are Justyn and Jamie and he has an older sister, Amiyah and younger sisters, Naomi and Ruby. His favorite person in the Bible is Jesus and playtime is his favorite

part of the school day. Nathaniel likes to eat Macaroni and cheese the most and watch Berenstain Bears on TV or the Mario Movie. Wrestling, playing with friends, making bat houses, and reading Magic Tree House books are his favorite things to do in his leisure time. If he could improve something in the world, he would have the world be happy, and the roof of the school be made of jello and bricks. When he grows up, he plans to be a wrestler, a pastor, or a zookeeper.



### **The preschool classes had a special visitor this week.**

Dr. Gina Young, mom to Addy and Mia Young, is a dentist. Students learned about what dentists do, and how to take great care of our teeth. They even got to practice brushing with a giant toothbrush on a large set of plastic teeth!

### **Reminder**

You may still order yearbooks. Cost is \$14.00 per book. There are order forms at the reception desk.



**Chapel Update:** There's one more chapel for third quarter. Our total so far is \$97.63. This year all the chapel offerings will go to Love Inc. right here in Howard Lake.



**You should have received** the note about the upcoming field trip for grades K-8 to Orchestra Hall on April 10. Please remember to return the slip about sack lunches for that day if you wish to use the school lunch program's option. We must have the number of lunches by 8:30 a.m. on Monday March 31 to order the correct amount. Payment for the concert tickets is due by April 7<sup>th</sup>.

