

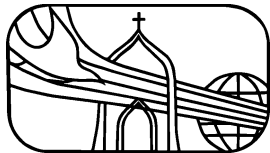
St. James Lutheran School Newsletter

March 3, 2023

Equipping and Empowering Families and Students Through Christ

Hearts for Jesus Final Report:

<u>Week 4:</u>	<u>MONTH'S TOTAL</u>
<u>Preschool:</u> \$3.00	\$28.47
<u>Kindergarten:</u> \$20.00	\$179.55
<u>Grade 1:</u> \$54.50	\$201.65
<u>Grade 2:</u> \$26.56	\$265.96
<u>Grade 3:</u> \$38.00	\$773.84
<u>Grade 4:</u> \$47.72	\$84.60
<u>Grades 5-6:</u> \$28.00	\$108.76
<u>Grades 7-8:</u> \$41.53	\$66.53
<u>Week 4 total:</u> \$259.31	<u>\$1709.36</u>



What a great response from our families to assist refugees from the war going on in Ukraine.

Registration for K-8 for the 2023-2024

Registration is open on the Fast Direct site. We ask that you mark your intentions for next year (at the bottom of your home page) by March 31 to help us plan for textbook needs for next year. The registration fee is \$125.00 per student (K-8) and \$75.00 per student for preschool.

Spread the word also to friends and neighbors about the educational opportunities here at St. James, preschool through grade eight.

Lunches:

Just a reminder that families may apply for free or reduced lunches at any time during the school year. Financial situations may change during the course of a school term. Copies of the form are available from the school office.

Community Meal

Thursday, March 9 from 5:30-7:00 p.m. come to enjoy a steak dinner here in our Fellowship Hall. A free will offering will be accepted.



Sunday, March 5
8:00 and 10:30 a.m.

Worship services

Special Music:

8:00 a.m. Kindergarten choir

Wednesday, March 8

8:15 a.m. Chapel Pastor Loder
7:00 p.m. Lenten service

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



- Thanks for the season of Lent as a time to ponder our need for a Savior.
- Thanks for food, clothing, and all that we need for our daily lives.
- For our church and school families.
- For those who are ill especially Mrs. Olsen's brother-in-law, Ms. Holz's father, Diane's cousin, Laina, Livia, Lettie and Brody's two grandpas, and Pastor Loeslie.
- Thanks for successful surgery for Kindergartener, Sawyer and prayers that the next surgery will be equally successful and his recovery be quick.
- For the homeless, unemployed and underemployed.
- For those in the areas of the world where fighting is going on, especially our fellow Christians in Ukraine.

Casey's rewards

We received a check last week from the Casey's rewards program for \$6.20. Thank you to those kind folks who use this program.



Memorials:

We have recently received donations from several families in remembrance of loved ones who have passed. We greatly appreciate their dedication to Christian education by supporting it in this way.

Upcoming at St. James School:

Sun., Mar. 5

8:00 a.m. Kindergarten choir

Wed., March 8

7:30 a.m. Prayer at the Pole

8:15 a.m. Chapel

7:00 p.m. Lenten service

Thurs., March 9

Library

5:30-7:00 p.m. Community Meal

Sat., March 11

4:30 p.m. St. James Gala Formal Flannel

Sun., March 12

10:30 a.m. Preschool Choir

School Website: www.stjameshl.org/school

In the office:

*Camp Omega information

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Student of the Week



Ian Davis was born on June 27, 2017 in Hutchinson. His parents are Brad and Jenna and he has an older brother, Owen. Ian’s favorite person in the Bible is Jesus, and his favorite part of the Kindergarten day is calendar math. He enjoys farming and coloring in his free time. The Lion King is Ian’s

favorite movie and Wild Kratts is his favorite TV show. Hamburgers and Mac and Cheese are the best foods according to Ian. To improve the world, Ian would have “more dairy farms to make more milk so we can drink more milk.” When he grows up, Ian plans to be- no surprise - a dairy farmer!

March Madness St. James Style

St. James students will be holding their own type of tournament starting next week. Last year was a hula hoop contest. This year the competition will be to see who is the best at “bottle flipping”



Grades 5-8 visited the Good Samaritan

Nursing Home here in Howard Lake on Thursday, the 2nd. Band members played duets, trios, and group pieces, and all the students in grades 5-8 sang several songs for the residents in attendance. Thanks to the parents who helped provide transportation so we could share our music with the residents, and to Mrs. Loder for making all the arrangements.



Heavenly Father, throughout these forty days of Lent, draw us ever closer to You. Help us lay aside the sins that cling so closely and run with endurance the race that is before us, looking to Jesus Christ, the author and perfecter of our faith. Empower us to share the good news of Your grace with others. Amen.