



Eagle Weekly

Immanuel Lutheran School, Wentzville

February 5, 2010

Note from the Interim Principal

Greetings Dear Saints of Immanuel!

What a blessed month and a half it has been. The Lord continues to teach me why our Lutheran grade schools are so important and worth every penny a church spends on them.

From a parent's point of view, there is no greater return on our investment of tuition and donations than our Lutheran school. It keeps reminding me that I became a pastor because of Lutheran school teachers.

What is so great at Immanuel is how hard our members work to keep the church and school unified. We truly believe that church and school are one. What we do for one, we do for each other because we are in the family of Christ.

Thanks to faculty, staff, and especially Cee Cee and Donna for being so patient and gracious with me. Thanks to all the parents who showed the same mercy. I thank God for Mrs. Dolak and the work she has done and continues to do. It is because of such a professional staff that a pastor was able to step in as an interim principal.

Mrs. Dolak (aka mom) returns next Monday! Yeah!

However, I will continue with my pastoral role with our school and will see our students on Wednesdays. We are here because we educate through the Light of Christ.

Epiphany blessings,
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Important Dates

Feb 10 th	4:45/5:45PM	B- Team	Basketball Game Away @ River Roads
Feb 11 th	4:30/5:30PM	B- Team	Basketball Game Away @ Olivette
Feb 12 th	NO SCHOOL		LESA – In-Service
Feb 13 th	10:00AM/Boys-11:00AM/Girls		5 th Grade Saturday League - @ Messiah
Feb 15 th	NO SCHOOL		Presidents' Day
Feb 16 th	4:30/5:30PM	B- Team	Basketball Game Away @ Grace Chapel
Feb 20 th	1:00PM/Boys	HOST TEAM	5 th Grade Saturday League – Immanuel/Wentzville
Feb 21 st	10:45AM		Grades 4, 5, & 6 Grades Sing in Church – Hwy N
Feb 22 nd	5:00PM		Monday, Concert Band Clinic at LHS, Concert

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PTL News and Notes

**President: Libby Oswald, Vice-President: Jenn Peterson , Secretary: Carrie Rigdon
Treasurer: Annette Wilson**

The trivia night and silent auction was a HUGE success!!! It was a FUN, FUN, FUN evening had by all!!!! We have gotten nothing but compliments on the evening, including all the wonderful items we had to auction. Thanks to everyone who worked to make this a FUNtastic evening of fellowship. PTL appreciates all the items donated and all the hard work our parents put into this event, we could not have done it without you! Thanks also for bringing your friends and family members to help support our school. We had 22 participating tables. A special thanks to all the teachers in donating their time, helping us get information out and collecting items to put your class baskets together. You guys did a superb job!!! And now for the good part, after some preliminary counting, though we do still have some invoices coming in, we are projecting a profit of \$10,000 to \$11,000 for the evening (I hope to have an exact amount by the end of next week). This will go a long way in helping purchase the new reading curriculum for the fourth through eighth grade classes and we should all be proud of ourselves!!! So everyone pat yourself on the back for a job well done and from the PTL staff many THANKS over and over!

Libby Oswald -PTL President

TWB Update

Have you thought about a gift for your Valentine? TWB/Scrip cards can help you out! We have cards for all your favorite restaurants, movie gift cards and specialty shops for your sweetie! To make sure you receive them in time, please order by February 8th or check out our stock. Cards are available all year long in the school office and twice a month after the 8:00 a.m. service on Sundays. All profits benefit the school and YOUR tuition account. Contact Cee Cee Liefer in the school office if you have any questions.....thanks for your support!

Immanuel Athletics

All A team basketball players need to turn in their uniforms to Mrs. Brown this week.

February is heart awareness month. During the week of Feb. 8-12th we will be participating in the American Heart Association's Jump Rope for Heart (K-4th grade) and Hoops for Heart (5th-8th grade). If your child would like to collect donations for the AHA they can bring in music CDs to play during their PE class. All donations are due back to Mrs. Brown before Feb. 11th. Thank you!

Other News

5TH-8TH GRADERS!!! -Rolling with Immanuel will take place at Brunswick Zone on Sunday, February 21st from 4:30-6:30 pm. Come hang out with your friends and challenge them to a game of bowling or air hockey. For \$20 you'll get 1 game of bowling, shoe rental and a \$10 game card! Additional \$10 game cards will be available for purchase. Permission slips can be printed from www.ilcsw.net or may be picked up in the school office and should be turned in to Mr. Stec, along with your money, by Sunday, February 14th. Parents: Event will be supervised and is sponsored by Immanuel Lutheran National Youth Gathering 2010.

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"A Night for Kids" – The seventh annual Lutheran Elementary School Association (LESA)/Building Blocks Scholarship Fund Dinner – Auction will be held Friday, April 16, 2010, from 5-10 PM at The Royale Orleans Banquet Center, 2801 Telegraph Rd. The evening's special events include the BBSF Glass Sale, an old fashioned Lollipop Pull, a "Wine and Dine," and an opportunity to help us "Light Up the Night." Tickets are \$50 each, with tables of 8 available. To make a donation to the auction, purchase tickets, or to volunteer, call Melissa Maxfield at 314-268-1525 or visit us at www.lesastl.org. Proceeds from the auction will be used to provide need-based tuition assistance scholarships to children attending LESA member elementary schools.

Lutheran High News

Lutheran High School of St. Charles County will host the bands of the Lutheran elementary schools for a clinic and concert on Monday, February 22. The concert begins at 5:00 in the school gym at 5100 Mexico Road, St. Peters. The guest clinician is Jon Wiegert from Martin Luther High School, Greendale Wisconsin. A freewill offering will be received. Selections include Proclamation by Bruce Pearson, Midnight Escape by Larry Neeck, and Rough Riders Galop by Karl King. Phone 928-5100 or see www.lhssc.org for more information.

Save the date of March 13, 2010 for the **21st Anniversary Auction of Lutheran High!** The theme is "Learning in the 21st Century". Do you have a Christmas gift that you don't plan to use? We are gathering new items, gift certificates, services, and any other donations for the March 13, 2010 LHS Auction. It might be a great sale item you see, a service you could donate, a present you want to re-gift, or a gift certificate you know others would buy. Donation forms are available through your congregation coordinator, can be picked up in the school office, or can be downloaded from the LHS website.

Are you interested in making a major purchase and helping LHS in the process? Call the school office at 636-928-5100 and let us know what is on your list. We will make every effort to have you desired item available at the **LHS Auction on March 13th** so you can support Lutheran High while fulfilling your needs. Do you have the ability to provide something which others might want? Gift certificates, tickets, unique dinners, theme baskets, electronic games and equipment are all great ideas. Make your donation today! Check out some early items up for bid on the LHS website at www.lhssc.org.