



Pilgrim's Progress

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What's Next?

As you may know, this month I am graduating from Seminary, again. In the fall of 2013 I began a program to earn a Ph. D. in doctrinal theology, and having now completed all of the necessary steps to earn it, I will walk, receive another diploma (my last, I think), and receive a robe with velvet stripes and an 8-sided hat. I sometimes jokingly refer to the program as my “remedial training,” and to be fair, that’s only half a joke.

In reality, much of what I have learned through coursework, research, and writing has improved my pastoral ministry. I can point to specific books that have changed my appreciation for everything from styles of preaching to the purpose of the creeds to the way I think about culture and different cultures. Beyond pastoral growth, my personal growth has been tremendous.

But what’s next? One of my friends was just finishing his “dissertation forum,” the last part that we do where we present our findings, when he was asked, “What’s next?” That got me thinking about how to answer that question when it came up at my forum. Thinking about that spilled over into thinking about this newsletter. What’s next? Big moments, like graduation, make us ponder that question.

Covid is a big moment. When we’ve reached herd immunity, what’s next for you? What things professionally or personally have changed you over the last year-and-a-few-months? What bad patterns have you fallen in to that you need to repent of? Thinking bad thoughts about your neighbor because of his/her stance on masks or vaccines? Saying bad things about the authorities because you disagree with them? Skipping out on church even though we have safety measures built in and you are vaccinated? What’s next?

For us – being found in Christ – what’s next is both a now and then question. Now, we repent, return, and receive from him. What’s next is the dawning of eternal life. The question is, when Christ returns and it’s time for us to “walk” in the line in heaven, are you robed in his righteousness? Will you receive the crown of life?

See you soon, in church, where we grow together,

Pastor Hanson

What's Happening

Inquirer's Class

Saturday, May 1st
Session II
Rm #143
8 AM - 12 noon

Inquirer's Class introduces those interested in becoming new members to the basic beliefs of the Bible and our Church and provides an opportunity for all Pilgrim members to stay firm in their faith by participating in a regular review of the foundations of our faith. You are encouraged to attend with a friend or family member.

This class will be covering Session II material: The Apostles Creed.



Men's Ministry Breakfast & Bible Study
Sat., May 15th
7:30 am
Fellowship Hall

Breakfast begins at 7:30 am, followed by a Bible study on Mount Sinai, one of many of the mountains mentioned in the Bible. The cost for the breakfast is a Free Will Offering. **R.S.V.P.** to Larry Seyferth at 920-366-9170.

Serving One Another

by Nancy Kraszewski



"...Serve one another in love." Galatians 5:13

In the gospels, we see many examples of Jesus serving others; from healing illnesses to washing the disciples feet, He demonstrated His love through action. Likewise, He also instructs his followers to "...serve one another in love."

Pilgrim's Stephen Ministry motto is "Christ caring for people, through people." We provide one-on-one, Christian care to individuals who are going through a difficult time in their lives such as divorce, job loss, grief, illness, family relationship issues, etc. Our volunteers receive initial training and ongoing education as they provide this supportive care.

We will be offering a new training course this fall. If you are interested in serving our Lord through a caring ministry and growing in your faith, please consider joining our team! For additional information contact Nancy Kraszewski @ 920-869-1818 or Barbara Hein @ 920-362-5035.

Ministry Action Teams Need You!

Just as the Bible teaches that all Christians are an important part of the body of Christ, we as members of this congregation all have a part on the Pilgrim ministry team. To help you find your ministry niche' we've created a multitude of Ministry Action Teams. For the month of May we are highlighting these teams as a possibility for your involvement. We are especially looking for help with the following ministries:

- ✦ **Mulch Day** - Monday, May 3rd, at 4:00pm we will be spreading mulch at the Pilgrim Green Bay site. If you are able, please bring a shovel and/or rake to help spread mulch.
- ✦ **Bethesda Thrift Shop** - Volunteers of all ages are needed to help at the Bethesda Thrift Shop. Tasks include: cashier, sorting, general retail positions, light carpentry, building maintenance and general cleaning. Volunteers may select from daily, weekly, or monthly time commitments.
- ✦ **Sanctuary Cleaning** - Due to custodial team injuries, we need extra volunteers every week, after each church service to help wipe/spray down the sanctuary. If you are able to stay a few extra minutes, after the you attend, we could use your help.

A sign up sheet for the May Mulch Spreading may be found at the Welcome Center. If you have any questions - please feel free to contact Wendy Urfer at wendyurfer@pilgrimluth.org



What's Happening

Wendy Urfer and Duane and Kari Longmire to Retire



Saying more goodbyes at the end of this school year will not be easy, when being said to these three wonderful dedicated staff members. Not only are they loved and appreciated by so many, but again trying to obtain a formal opportunity during our COVID-19 social distancing will be a bit tricky. However, they will be recognized along with seven other staff members for years of service on the weekend of June 3rd at a service of their choice. Definitely stay tuned via the bulletin for future details as we put the formal celebration on hold along with the retirements from last year!

Wendy Urfer has been working as an aide with our school children for 21 years. For 8 of those years she has spent countless hours as the Discipleship Coordinator. She has made a lasting impact on hundreds of volunteers, students, and their families. Her plans are to spend time with her husband, Dan, and their family. It's bittersweet, but we'll say it anyway, "Toodles!"

Duane Longmire has been teaching for 41 years, with 19 of them at Pilgrim. He has served not only at Pilgrim Lutheran School in Green Bay, WI, but also at St. Paul's Lutheran School in Napoleon, OH. He looks forward in retirement to spending time with his wife, Kari, and the rest of his family. We are truly thankful for all that he has done in support of our school's ministry with the many lives he has touched with our families!

Kari Longmire has been teaching, directing children and adult choirs and handbells, and playing the organ for 34 years. Her wonderful gift of music has given glory to our Heavenly Father and has touched the lives of so many! Besides Pilgrim Lutheran in Green Bay she, too, served at St. Paul's Lutheran Church in Napoleon, OH. Along with her husband, Duane, she plans to spend time with her family and help out occasionally when needed on the organ.

MAY THE LORD BLESS YOUR
RETIREMENT

**God's blessings and prayers of
thanks to Wendy, Duane, and
Kari on their retirements!**

Pilgrim Church's Sports Updates



Men's Basketball ***Saturday mornings*** **6:45 - 9:00 am**

All men ages 18 years and up are invited! Players of all skills and abilities are encouraged to join with us in fellowship and exercise. Watch the bulletin for any changes that may happen in the schedule. Please send Mark Osterberg your email/cell # to get updates on the schedule gbosterberg@sbcglobal.net

Please remember to bring a clean pair of shoes to change into.

Co-ed Adult Volleyball ***Sunday evenings*** **5:30 - 7:15 pm**

Come join us on Sundays at 5:30 pm for fun, exercise and fellowship! Watch the bulletin for any changes that may happen in the schedule. Please contact Mark Osterberg at gbosterberg@sbcglobal.net to share your email and/or cell # for updates on the schedule.

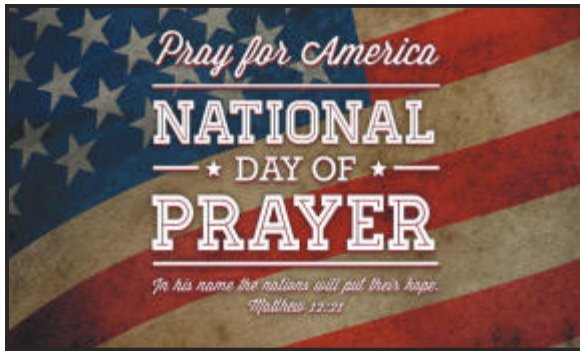
Please remember to bring a clean pair of shoes to change into.

Co-ed Adult Softball ***Sunday afternoon/evening*** ***per game schedule***

Are you interested in playing some Summer league softball? We're looking for a few more men/women to round out our second team of players. Please contact Lisa Schultz at spinner426@gmail.com if

Prayer and Veterans

By Dale Bartel, Parish Education



On May 6, 2020, our nation will be participating in the 70th annual observation of the National Day of Prayer. Congress established the day in 1952 and in 1988 set the first Thursday in May as the day that presidents issue proclamations asking Americans to pray.

The theme for 2020 is: **“Lord Pour Out Your Love, Life, and Liberty.”** The theme verse is 2 Corinthians 3:17: **“Now the Lord is the Spirit and where the Spirit of the Lord is, there is freedom.”**

Chapter 58 of Isaiah describes a people who needed to change their minds about God, themselves, and the wickedness that characterized their lives. The United States, like Israel, needs to repent and seek God and His ways. In 2 Chronicles 7:14 it states: *“If my people, who are called by my name, will humble themselves and pray and seek my face and turn from their wicked ways, then I will hear from heaven, and I will forgive their sin and will heal their land.”*

In 1 Timothy 2:1-2 it reads, *“I urge then, first of all, that requests, prayers, intercessions and thanksgiving be made for everyone—for kings and all those in authority, that we may live peaceful and quiet lives in all godliness and holiness.”*

On Saturday, May 15, we celebrate Armed Forces Day to honor current Americans serving to defend our nation and freedoms. Then on Monday, May 31, we observe Memorial Day to remember those Americans who gave their lives to defend our freedoms.

Remember to pray for and thank those Americans who are currently serving and for those that have served our country. Also, pray each day for our country and families.



Annual Blazer Open

11 am - Wednesday, June 16th
at Thornberry Creek
at Oneida

Proceeds benefit the N.E.W.
Lutheran High School

**COST: \$150/individual
\$600/foursome**
*includes golf, cart,
pizza buffet reception and
prizes after golf!*

**Register & pay by Fri.,
June 11th, at N.E.W. or online
www.NEWLHS.com**

Super Summer Care Program

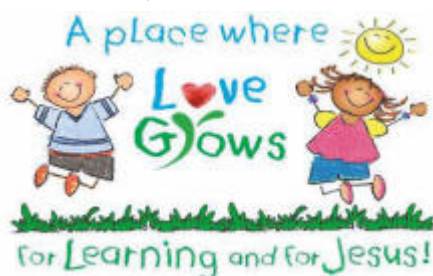


Summer is just around the corner! Pilgrim Childcare is seeking interest in their Daycare and Super Summer Care Programs. If you are looking for care this summer, please contact the School Office at 920-965-2244 or email jessicakloehn@pilgrimluth.org



Pilgrim Lutheran Preschool Openings Available

Still contemplating 3-year old Preschool for your child or grandchild for the 2021-22 school year? There are still spaces available in the Mon./Wed./Fri. class; as well as spaces available in the Tues./Thurs. class. For more information, an adorable video and



all the forms go to our website at www.pilgrimluth.org (School> Early Childhood Program> 3-year old preschool) or if you have questions call the office (920-965-2244) or teacher, Diana Stockfisch, (920-965-2277) to leave a message and they'll get back to you!

Pilgrim Lutheran School 2021-22

In the midst of a challenging year with COVID-19, Pilgrim gives thanks to God for abundant blessings He provided! Our 2020-21 school year was blessed with 224 students and the need for **two 1st grades**. Next year's enrollment is already exceeding those numbers with 268 students currently enrolled and has the need for not only **two second grades**, but also **two kindergartens**! Praise the LORD!

POBLO International Ministries

By Nannette Hoppe

Our "Coins for Christ" recipient this month will be **POBLO – People of the Book Outreach**. **POBLO International Ministries** offer refugee assistance, cultural and social assimilation, shelter, English classes, support to persecuted converts, hospitality and more. **POBLO** is committed to the Lutheran Church Missouri Synod's Confessions and Doctrine in every area of ministry.

POBLO Ministries is responding to a change in demographics and revolutionizing the way the Gospel is shared in cross cultural missions and grassroots community outreach here in the United States as it partners with local churches. **POBLO** is passionate about sharing the love of Jesus with Muslims and other immigrants and refugees living in the United States. We do not need to go overseas to do mission work; the mission field is in our own front yard.

Through **POBLO**, you have the wonderful opportunity to support missionary efforts close to home - especially in the Milwaukee area. **INTERNATIONAL FRIENDSHIP CENTERS** are located in Wisconsin, Michigan, Minnesota, Missouri, Kansas and Texas. In Wisconsin, International Friendship Centers are located in Brookfield and Milwaukee. The majority of the more than 250,000 immigrants in Wisconsin are from Asian and Latino countries, including Iraq, Somalia, and Laos. **Poblo** missionary, Ebou Faye, engages in evangelism and community outreach among immigrants and refugees primarily from South Asia and Africa. At the International Friendship Centers in Wisconsin he, along with other volunteers, distributes food, clothing and household items to at-need refugee families and provides refugee resettlement assistance. In addition, they engage in street evangelism and provide Bible studies and discipleship for new Christians.

What images does the word "MUSLIM" bring to your mind? For many of us, we probably do not have personal contact with a Muslim person, but we may have the opportunity to reach out to them – some of whom may be in our neighborhood and surely within our metropolitan area. We do not have to travel to do mission work. Many immigrants needing to learn about Jesus may be our neighbors. More information at www.poblo.com

The Mission Field is here - The time is now!

Your prayers and support of the **POBLO** ministries will provide benefits to many immigrants - most importantly the eternal benefit of the Gospel of Jesus Christ. Thank you.



POBLO +
International

News You Can Use



Condolences

We pray God's comfort and peace for the following Pilgrim family members as they grieve the death of a loved one in their family:

Mike Dorn & family at the death of his father, **Fred Dorn**.

Harry Olp; Dan and Sheila Olp & family; and Carla and Arnold McGee & family at the death of wife and mother, **Marilyn Olp**.

Debbie Ashmann; Amanda Ashmann & family; and Angela Ashmann & family; at the death of husband and father, **Tim Ashmann**.

Mary Jo and Michael Saatela & family at the death of her mother, **Delores Parilek**.

Jane and Tom Watermolen & family; Joyce Utter & family at the death of their mother, **Tillie Kallies**.

Arnold and Lauranda Anderson & family at the death of his mother, **Viola**.

Scott and Kortney Cherveney & family at the death of his father, **Leigh**.

And the peace of God, which transcends all understanding, will guard your hearts and your minds in Christ Jesus. Philippians 4:7



Baptisms

Welcome to God's forever family!

Peter Allan Larsen
son of
Tim & Libby Larsen

received the gifts of God's grace through baptism.



Dear Friends of Pilgrim,

We would like to thank you for the overwhelming love and support shown to us during Tim's illness, final days and funeral. We are grateful for every card, kind word, hug and gift given in his memory. We are blessed!

Thank you!
Debbie, Amanda and Angela Ashmann



May Bible Studies



SUNDAY:

9:00 am - "Book of 1 Corinthians" with Dave Jones

10:00 am @ SUAMICO "Weekly Readings" with Vicar or Pastor

4:30 pm "Jesus & Life" High School small group with Rebekah - contact her for location

MONDAY:

9:45 am - "Acts" with Pastor Malme (in person & online)

6:30 pm "GriefShare" with Carol Krueger & Joyce Utter

TUESDAY:

6:30 pm -Young Adults: contact Rebekah Spaulding/Mike Schumm for details

WEDNESDAY:

9:30 am "1 Samuel" Women's Bible Study with Jane Watermolen (Zoom meetings - text Jane @ 920-362-5486 if interested to join)

9:45 am with Pastor Hanson

6:00 pm - "Mountains of the Bible" with Phil Korth

7:00 pm - WOW midweek worship with Pastors or Vicar

THURSDAY:

1:00 pm - "Matthew" Women's LifeLight Bible Study with Chris Sarokin & Marianne Oates

SATURDAY:

7:30 am - Men's Ministry Every 3rd Saturday Breakfast and Bible Study with Larry Seyferth



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WORSHIP AND SUNDAY SCHOOL SCHEDULE

Green Bay Site: Worship: Wed. (WOW - 7 pm); Sat. 5 pm; Sun. 7:45, 9, 10:30 am

Sunday School (9 am) & Bible Study: 9 AM (Sept.-May)

Suamico Site: Worship: Sunday 9 AM

Sunday School & Bible Study: following worship (Sept.-May)

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
	Memory Verse of the Month "My command is this: Love each other as I have loved you." (John 15:12)					1 6:45 am Men's Basketball 8:00 am Inquirer's Class
2 5:30 pm Adult Co-ed Volleyball	3 5, 6, 6:30, 7:00 Board meetings 6:30 pm GriefShare	4	5	6 National Day of Prayer	7 No School	8 6:45 am Men's Basketball
9 Mother's Day 5:30 pm Adult Co-ed Volleyball	10 6:30 pm Church Council Meeting 6:30 pm GriefShare	11	12	13 Ascension of Our Lord 6:30 pm Band/Choir Concert	14	15 6:45 am Men's Basketball 7:30 am Men's Ministry Breakfast
16 5:30 pm Adult Co-ed Volleyball	17 6:30 pm GriefShare	18 1:00 pm LWML meeting	19 Last Day of Preschool	20 1:00 pm Cover Girls, quilters 6:30 pm Stephen Ministry	21	22 6:45 am Men's Basketball
23 Pentecost 5:30 pm Adult Co-ed Volleyball	24 6:30 pm Elders' Meeting 6:30 pm GriefShare	25	26	27 Last Day of 4K 6:30 pm 8th Grade Graduation	28 Last Day of School— dismiss at noon	29 6:45 am Men's Basketball
30 5:30 pm Adult Co-ed Volleyball	31 Memorial Day 6:30 pm GriefShare					

Liturgical Roles

Welcome Center

Saturday, May 1
WC-D Turckes
Sunday, May 2
WC-L Miller
Saturday, May 8
WC-L Lehman
Sunday, May 9
WC-T Wahlen
Saturday, May 15
WC-L Lehman
Sunday, May 16
WC-C Miller
Saturday, May 22
WC-J Nelson
Sunday, May 23
WC-C Novak
Saturday, May 29
WC-L Lehman
Sunday, May 30
WC-T Wahlen

Elders

Saturday, May 1
5:00 pm Pedersen
Sunday, May 2 Suam- Erickson
7:45 am Baye
9:00 am Gipp
10:30 am Ganz
Wednesday, May 5
7:00 pm Schuettpelz
Saturday, May 8
5:00 pm Cherveny
Sunday, May 9 Suam- Seyferth
7:45 am Ruuggles
9:00 am Tiedt
10:30 am Charles
Wednesday, May 12
7:00 pm Schuettpelz
Saturday, March 15
5:00 pm Kosman
Sunday, May 16 Suam- Wittnebel
7:45 am Baye
9:00 am Larsen
10:30 am Nier
Wednesday, May 19
7:00 am Schuettpelz
Saturday, March 22
5:00 pm Pedersen
Sunday, May 23 Suam- Erickson
7:45 am Ruggles
9:00 am Gipp
10:30 am Bain

Wednesday, May 26
7:00 pm Schuettpelz
Saturday, March 29
5:00 pm Kosman
Sunday, May 30 Suam- Seyferth
7:45 am Baye
9:00 am Tiedt
10:30 am Kraszewski

Communion Assistants

Saturday, May 1
5:00 pm Urfer/Longmire
Sunday, May 2
7:45 am Heimerman
9:00 am GiMcClellanWilliams/Olp
10:30 am Wiederhoeft/Korth/VanBeaver
Sunday, May 9
Suam- Schlender/Seyferth
Saturday, May 15
5:00 pm Schlender/Gannon
Sunday, May 16
7:45 am Heimerman
9:00 am Schumm/Williams/Schultz
10:30 am Zinkel/Vogt/Wiederhoeft
Sunday, May 23
Suam- Bero/P Racine
Saturday, May 29
5:00 pm Cherveny/Longmire
Sunday, May 30
7:45 am Heimerman
9:00 am Olp/McClellan/Schumm
10:30 am Ganz/Korth/VanBeaver

Usher Team Schedule

Saturday, May 1
5:00 pm Raddant
Sunday, May 2 Suam-B Reinhold
7:45 am Anderson
9:00 am Look
10:00 am Tilkens
Wednesday, May 5
7:00 pm Bordeleau
Saturday, May 8
5:00 pm Kosman
Sunday, May 9
7:45 am Urbaniak
9:00 am Dommer
10:30 am Borst
Wednesday, May 12
7:00 pm Rolefson
Saturday, May 15
5:00 pm Raddant

Sunday, May 16
7:45 am Burdey
9:00 am Olp Suam- M Kiehn
10:30 am Kraszewski
Wednesday, May 19
7:00 pm Bordeleau
Saturday, May 22
5:00 pm Schlender
Sunday, May 23
7:45 am Anderson
9:00 am Rolefson Suam- Q Hansen
10:30 am Schelk
Wednesday, May 26
7:00 pm Rolefson
Saturday, May 29
5:00 pm Raddant
Sunday, May 30
7:45 am Urbaniak
9:00 am Look Suam- J Kiehn
10:30 am Larson

If you are unable to keep your assigned date/time, please call and make your own substitutes.
Thank you for serving at Pilgrim!

Fellowship Time Has Returned



Fellowship time before and after services has returned to both the Green Bay and Suamico sites. Prepackaged snacks are available along with coffee.



Youth & Young Adults

BIGFORK, MONTANA

2021 SERVICE TRIP MONTANA

Week of July 11th

*travel there may include a few days prior to the 11th.

ENTERING JR. YEAR OF HIGH SCHOOL - ADULTS

Join us as we serve for a week in Big Fork, Montana. We will help to work on site at Camp Trinity, located in North West Montana, they are a Lutheran Camp that effectively connects to their community, and ministers to local families & youth through their camp ministry. We will spend a week on site helping the camp through MANY work projects & activities that include:

- building projects at & around Camp Trinity (labor)
 - Trail Building & Maintenance
- Working at a farm one morning for adults in assisted living (Labor)
 - serving at a community food pantry
- a day in Glacier National park (hiking, worship, lunch, fun!)
- Each day will have time for swimming at Camp, Daily reflection, Bible Studies, camp fires, and so much more!

DETAILS

COST: \$150 + PLANE TICKET

Work: This trip will involve a lot of work. Participants will need to be willing to do many different types of jobs.

Fundraising: We will fundraise a portion of travel costs, The rest of fundraising will go towards Foster Kids to receive Camperships to attend Camp Trinity.

Stay: We will stay on site at Camp Trinity on Flat Head Lake, in Big Fork, MT

Food: Camp Trinity will feed us for every meal

Travel: We are still deciding best forms for travel- depends on group size.

Who may attend? Students entering 11th grade- Adults
.Please consider attending & serving!

TUESDAY NIGHTS: YOUNG ADULTS

Pilgrim Young Adults (20's to late 30's... couples, singles, anyone!) are invited to come to Dinner/Bible Study on Tuesday Nights. Contact Rebekah for details.

Rebekahschumacher@pilgrimluth.org

All Young Adults are invited!

JR- SR. HIGH YOUTH BONFIRES!

STARTING IN JUNE WE WILL BE HOSTING BONFIRES ON WEDNESDAY EVENINGS. THIS WILL INCLUDE SNACKS, GAMES & DEVOTIONS! **KEEP WATCH IN THE BULLETIN FOR DETAILS.**

HIGH SCHOOL YOUTH NIGHTS

Scheduled Sundays
4:30-6:30pm

Bible Study + Dinner at
Rebekah's & Nathans home.

HIGH SCHOOL GIRLS BIBLE STUDY YOUTH NIGHTS **Monday Nights**

HS girls meet at Rebekah's house for bible study on Monday Nights through out the month from 6:30-8pm. Contact Rebekah to sign up! Girls are always invited to join in at anytime!

Contact Info

Rebekah Spaulding

Director of Youth and Family Ministries

Rebekahspaulding@pilgrimluth.org

The Principal's Epistle

Would You?

"Jesus cried out with a loud voice, 'Father, into your hands I commit my spirit.' When he had said this, he breathed his last." Luke 23:46

Would you have gone through with it?

Would you attend a parade in your honor, when you knew in 5 days there'd be a parade to your death?

Would you teach in a city where your words would be twisted and used to condemn you?

Would you dine with and pray for people who would desert you and leave you alone to die?

Would you walk to a place where capture was assured?

Would you allow people to capture you, when you had power to avoid it?

Would you speak the truth in a courtroom if it would cause you to be condemned?

Would you have endured torture, when you could have destroyed the cruel torturers?

Would you take on problems that were not yours, even though it would cause you agony?

Would you willingly bear 6 hours of literal hell for people who cursed and mocked you?

Would you end your life for them?

Will you ever, through all eternity, have enough time to praise God for loving us to the cross?

God bless your Easter season with a humble, thankful heart, for love, which is unimaginable!

May 7—Day Off of School

Our Board of Christian Education is so thankful and grateful for the tremendous and unprecedented way our teachers, students, and parents have conducted themselves this past school year. While everyone was brutally honest with regards to our children's health and the new paradigm has been established in staying home in case of illness we applaud our families for doing whatever was needed for school to stay open. The other positive this school year is that we never had to close or delay for weather like snow, ice, or cold. So as we look at the balance of the school year we are going to take Friday, May 7, OFF OF SCHOOL. Who doesn't need a 3 day weekend? This is the Mother's Day weekend as well. School families mark your calendar to take this day off of school.

Students of the Month—April

Each month our teachers have selected students based on their exemplary behavior, their hard work, outstanding deportment, and tireless effort, as well as their cooperation and classroom leadership as **Student of the Month**. For the month of April we congratulate Abigail Ruggles, Brynley Dombrowski, Charlie Olinski, and Bella Kropp, as Students of the Month. Their teachers, Mrs. Kelly Schumm and Mrs. Erin Schaefer, nominated them as outstanding students. They will be recognized in Chapel. Great job boys and girls! We are so thankful for you!

Congratulations—Above and Beyond Awards

Congratulations to Patrick Kramper, Meghan Sanders, and Samantha Bahr who have been recognized for their outstanding service to our Day Care. They all stepped up while our Day Care Director, Jessica Kloehn, was out. They are recognized for their tireless efforts with not only our Day Care but also our Before and After School Care. They worked with our billing and took on additional hours for the convenience of our families. All these people have worked really hard to make our school the best it can be. We are so blessed to have employees who care so much about our Pilgrim Lutheran School, the people they serve, and our positive church and school climate. These people are our **Above and Beyond Award Winners** and without them we would not be the quality church and school we are.

Teacher Appreciation Week—May 3-7

We whole-heartedly thank our teachers for the extra special work they have done this school year. If you would like to thank them too, I suggest you send them a card or other token of your appreciation for all the extra hours, countless situations they have handled, as well as the love and care they have given our students and families! We are so blessed with our teachers!

End of the Year Activities

We have so many things in May to close out the year. Here are just a few: - **May 13—Band and Choir Concert in person; May 27 @ 6:30 Graduation in person; May 28 Last Day of school (1/2 Day) and Final Chapel service @ 10 AM.**

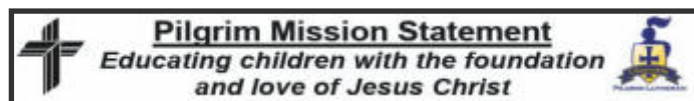
Congratulations Faculty

We would like to recognize the following faculty and staff members for their years of service: Aaron Schroeder -5 years; Diana Stockfisch and Stephanie Zinkel 10 years; Lynnette Hansen and Kari Williams 15 years; and Christine Malme and Keri Gosa 20 years. We are blessed with our awesome faculty and staff!

Thank you for your spectacular support of Pilgrim Lutheran School with your finances, positive words of encouragement, and especially your prayers! Thanks for the superbly positive word of mouth that you share with all you know! **It is really exciting to see what the Lord is doing at our school and with our children!** We are so very thankful for all the Lord continues to do for us! We pray the Lord will continue to bless us all year through!

Mr. John E. Schultz - Principal

1 Thessalonians 5:18 – In everything give thanks!



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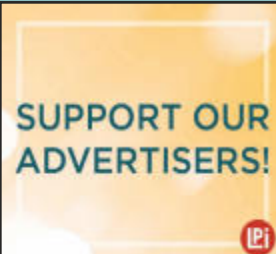


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