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The Purple Note

April 23, 2021

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UPCOMING EVENTS

APRIL

30 NO SCHOOL Spring Break

MAY

3 NO SCHOOL Spring Break

May 4th "ENCORE! ENCORE" 3-5th grade musical.

14th BAND NIGHT!



THIS WEEK'S PRAYER FAMILIES

This week we remember the families of Kaila Wentz, Nicholas M., Aubrey M. and Kennedy M. If you know of a family you would like us to include in our prayers, please let the office know.

Chapel will be led by Pastor John Walla, Wednesday, April 28th at 8:30 am.

Chapel services will be live-streamed on the Martin Luther Facebook page .

(Please note it is NOT the Martin Luther 2020-2021 group)

ENCORE! ENCORE!

*Presented by Martin Luther School
Grades 3-5
Shepherd of the Valley, 413 East Avenue D.*



Martin Luther School Presents

Encore! Encore!

Looking back at 26 years of musicals at MLS!

Summer is just around the corner!

Need a summer enrichment program for your elementary aged student? Look no further! Small class size, activities, field trips, devotional time-- we've got it! Download the registration [Camp Luther Form](#) to complete. You can also contact Denise Wolfram, wolfram@lutherschools.org with any questions.

Mrs. Wyatt and Miss Rylee will be out team leaders for Camp Luther, and we love seeing our list of attendees grow!



CAMP LUTHER!

Summer enrichment for students entering kindergarten-5th grade in the fall 2021

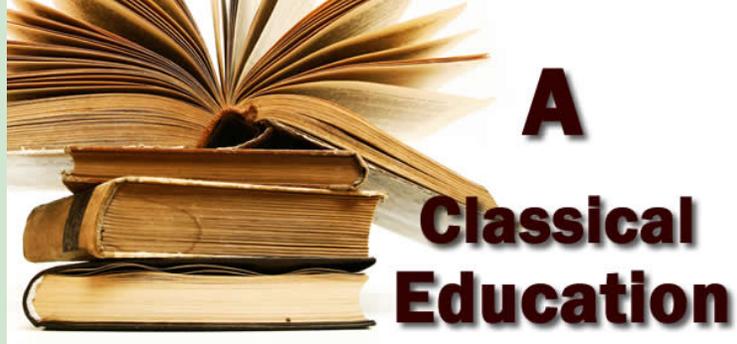
June 7th-July 30

7:30 AM-5:30 PM

On the Classical Education Front

It was a joy to share a little more information

about classical education with our attendees at Mayfest and at the "Taste of Kindergarten" event earlier in the month.



<https://theimaginativeconservative.org/2012/06/new-classical-schooling.html>

[Traditional vs. Progressive education](#)

For more information on classical education, take a look at the updated information on our website under "About Us."

www.lutherschools.org

Looking for full-day preschool for your 4-5 year old? We are adding another class!

Martin Luther School is expanding!

We are opening an additional full-day classroom for our 4-5 year old students!

Contact the office to schedule a visitation!

www.lutherschools.org

701 224-9070



**MARTIN LUTHER
SCHOOL**



Train up a child in the way he should go...
~Proverbs 22:6

A MAYFEST in APRIL THANK YOU!!

Thank You!

A big thank you goes out to **all** contributed to the success of Mayfest 2021!! We will get our final numbers out to everyone next week.

Many thanks to our donors, the bidders, our sponsors, our congregations, those who helped set up, clean up, or spent time months in advance to organize the event. We are also grateful for the prayers and support for our school. You are all definitely appreciated!

BAND NIGHT -- Martin Luther School will be there!

Martin Luther School will be walking/marching/and playing in the Band Night parade, **Friday, May 14th.**

We love being able to share our school with the community and welcome

walkers, strollers, wagons, (even a gentle dog or two!) as part of our parade entry. More information will come out shortly about participating in the Band Night parade!



Coffee & Donuts

Fundraising Event



Order Sunday, May 2nd
Pick up Sunday, May 9th



Teddy Danielson is the 3-year-old son of Ross & Jessica Danielson of West Fargo. Teddy's Grandparents are Oren and Renae Danielson who are members of Zion, Bismarck. Teddy has been battling cancer since October and has had brain surgeries, chemotherapy and stem cell treatment at Mayo.

There will be a coffee and donut fundraiser to help Teddy's family with medical expenses Sunday, May 9th at Zion, Bismarck.

To preorder your coffee and donuts, please follow the instructions below. Your order of coffee and donuts will be available for pick up from 9:30-11am Sunday, May 9th at Zion, 413 E Ave D, Bismarck, ND.

Don't care for donuts? You can still help, donations can be sent to Zion, please note Teddy's Fundraiser on the check.

Suggested Donation:

1 donut and 1, 12oz coffee	\$5.00
2 donuts, 2, coffees	\$10.00
4 donuts, 2, coffees	\$15.00
Individual coffee or donut	\$3 each

Please help us plan the number of donuts we will need.

Email your name, phone number and order to:

ZionBisFundraising@gmail.com

by Thursday, May 9th at 7pm.

Payment due upon pick up of order.



Thanks to Bearscat Donuts
for donating the donuts,
and
Dunn Brothers Coffee for
donating the coffee.



Chapel Services



The Martin Luther Chapel services will be live streamed on the **Martin Luther Facebook Page**. This is a change from the Martin Luther School 2020-2021 group. This will allow more people the opportunity to worship with us. We know that there are

grandparents, family members, and other MLS supporters who appreciate seeing the services and hearing any special music that the students provide.

Watch for chapel every Wednesday at 8:30 AM!



Lunches are still at NO COST TO OUR STUDENTS!!

We are LOVING the good eats that our cook, Miss Beverly, has created for us! From the office and kitchen staff, we apologize for any menu changes that have taken place as we have gotten started. We will try to announce those changes earlier to allow you time to make any arrangements as you see fit. We sometimes need to make substitutions as we navigate through this new program with the "Summer Lunch Program" which allows us to provide these meal at no cost to you.

RECENT CDC QUARANTINE CHANGES

Public health experts locally and at the national level are always analyzing data and making changes as new information becomes available. As a result, the CDC issued new guidance reducing the number of days close contacts will need to quarantine following an exposure to a COVID-positive individual.

- The new guidelines allow close contacts of those infected to reduce their quarantine period from 14 days to 10 days.
- If the close contact receives a negative result from a COVID test, they can reduce their quarantine to seven days.
- Residents at long-term care facilities and other congregate living settings are exempt from the new guidance and should continue to quarantine for the full 14 days.
- "Individuals will be able to end their quarantine after seven days if they receive a negative COVID-19 diagnostic test, are symptom free and wear a face covering or after 10 days without being tested," explained Howell.
- To test out of quarantine, a person can either do a PCR test or a rapid antigen test. The earliest a test should be done is 48 hours before being released from quarantine. Individuals must continue to quarantine while awaiting test results.
- Individuals should continue to monitor their symptoms and wear a face covering for the full 14 days.
- The NDDoH will be working to update the website and factsheets with the new information. For more information on COVID-19, visit health.nd.gov/coronavirus.
- [Click here for a printable version on the new guidelines](#)

Pick Up During the School Day and Office Access

One of the hardest adjustments for us to make at MLS **AND** the hardest restriction to have to enforce is to limit parent access to the building. We've always appreciated the opportunity to visit with our parents and grandparents at drop off and pick up time. We appreciate your understanding when we work to reinforce new procedures to help keep all of us healthy and in school.

Just as a reminder for our K-6 grade guardians/parents.

- Parents are to drop off their student at the south door and not enter the building.
- If you need to contact Julie or Mrs. Wolfgram in the office, call the office (224-9070) and we will arrange to let you in and meet with you.
- In the case that you are in the building, we ask that you wear a mask.
- If you need to pick up your child early or for an appointment during the school day, contact the school when you have arrived, and we will escort your child to the front door to meet you.
- **Please note that the NORTH door is for Zion Lutheran Church activity only. Martin Luther families are to use the SOUTH and WEST doors only, NOT THE NORTH DOOR.**

If you need to visit in person with Julie, our office manager, call her at 224-9070, and she will arrange a time for you to meet with her.

IMPORTANT INFO----SNOW DAYS!?!?!

We've already had our first bit of cool weather, and soon we'll be seeing snow in the forecast. To be informed about any cancellations due to weather, we will be using the "Remind" program and will contact parents via text.

To be included in the system, enter this number: (Like the phone number to whom you are texting) **81010**

Text the message: **@mrswolfg**

If you do not text, simply send an email to the following address:

mrswolfg@mail.remind.com.

Thank you for participating We don't want to leave anyone out in the cold!
(No pun intended. It just happened.)