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# WEEKLY DEVOTION



### What is Baptism?

Baptism is not just plain water, but it is the water included in God's command and combined with God's word.

## Which is that word of God?

Christ our Lord says in the last chapter of Matthew: "Therefore go and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit." (Matthew 28:19)

### What benefits does Baptism give?

It works forgiveness of sins, rescues from death and the devil, and gives eternal salvation to all who believe this, as the words and promises of God declare.

### Which are these words and promises of God?

Christ our Lord says in the last chapter of Mark: "Whoever believes and is baptized will be saved, but whoever does not believe will be condemned." (Mark 16:16)

### How can water do such great things?

Certainly not just water, but the word of God in and with the water does these things, along with the faith which trusts this word of God in the water. For without God's word the water is plain water and no Baptism. But with the word of God it is a Baptism, that is, a life-giving water, rich in grace, and a washing of the new birth in the Holy Spirit, as St. Paul says in Titus, chapter three: "He saved us through the washing of rebirth and renewal by the Holy Spirit, whom He poured out on us generously through Jesus Christ our Savior, so that, having been justified by His grace, we might become heirs having the hope of eternal life. This is a trustworthy saying." (Titus 3:5–8)

### What does such baptizing with water indicate?

It indicates that the Old Adam in us should by daily contrition and repentance be drowned and die with all sins and evil desires, and that a new man should daily emerge and arise to live before God in righteousness and purity forever.

### Where is this written?

St. Paul writes in Romans chapter six: "We were therefore buried with Him through baptism into death in order that, just as Christ was raised from the dead through the glory of the Father, we too may live a new life." (Romans 6:4)



## BAPTISM SUNDAY - OCTOBER 16th

Have your children been baptized? Have you been baptized? If not, our church is providing an opportunity for you and your family to do so and at no cost to you!

### We have scheduled a Baptism Sunday for: <u>Sunday</u> morning, October 16th, at 10:30am.

St. Philip's Lutheran Church will be holding a special baptism service on that Sunday. We feel baptism is of most importance for children as well as for adults. Through it God brings His promise of love and forgiveness to all.

If you desire to be baptized along with your children, please contact Pastor Raymond Kimbrough at: 414-263-1373. Pastor will briefly meet with you to give you more information and instructions about this special baptism service.

Thank you and we look forward to serving you and your family.

In Christian love, Pastor Raymond Kimbrough 414-263-1373



#### WHAT'S HAPPENING THIS WEEK AT ST. PHILIP'S

Friday, October 14 K4 –  $2^{nd}$  Field Trip to Ebert Greenhouse Village  $3^{rd} - 5^{th}$  Field Trip to Mequon Nature Preserve

# ALL STUDENTS NEED TO BRING THEIR OWN BAG LUNCH FOR THE FIELD TRIP.

<u>Saturday, October 15</u> A-Team Volleyball Tourney at St. Marcus

### Sunday, October 16

Baptism Sunday K4 -8<sup>th</sup> grade sing for worship 10:30AM **Open Board of Education Meeting after church** 

Friday, October 21 Fall Festival 2:00-3:30PM

<u>Saturday, October 22</u> A-Team Volleyball Tourney at WISCO

<u>Thursday, October 27</u> No School – Teacher's Convention <u>Friday, October 28</u> No School – Teacher's Convention

### Parent Teacher Report Card Conference

Sign up forms are included in your red folder this week. Please sign up for an appointment and return to school by Wednesday, October 26<sup>th</sup>.

### Parents and Teachers Must Meet

Report Card Conferences are Thursday, November 3, 2016, from 3:45-7:00 p.m. and Friday, November 4, 2016, from 8:00-11:00 a.m. If you cannot make the times your child's teacher suggests, contact him/her to make other arrangements. Report cards will not be sent home, and parents will have three weeks from the end of the quarter to meet with their child's teacher to discuss progress. Any child whose parents DO NOT meet with the teacher by Friday, November 18, 2016, will be excluded from classes until the obligation is fulfilled. We are merely trying to reinforce how important and influential parents are to their children's school success.

# WLHS Admissions Process for the 2017-18 School Year

Do you have a child who will be entering 9th grade next year? The Wisconsin Lutheran High School admissions process is now open for all new WLHS students for the 2017-18 school year. Visit <u>www.wlhs.org</u> for details or contact Brad Wetzel, Director of Admissions, at 414-453-4567 ext. 1322 or brad.wetzel@wlhs.org.

# **Uniform Reminders**

As the weather grows cooler please remember that if your child is cold in their classroom that they may wear a navy blue cardigan sweater **(NO HOODED SWEATERS)** that meets the uniform policy. All shirts worn underneath the uniform shirts should be a <u>solid white</u> – no prints or colors on under shirts. Students may wear a solid white turtleneck under their uniform shirt. The temperature of the classrooms will be between 68 and 70 degrees once the heating season begins.



# Open Meeting with the Board of Education Sunday, October 16th

All St. Philip's parents/guardians and any interested students are invited to attend an open meeting with the St. Philip's Board of Education. The purpose of the 30 minute meeting will be to field questions and hear any concerns regarding the school. Of course, any compliments would be listened to as well! The meeting is from 11:45 a.m. - 12:15 p.m. in church. You need not inform anyone ahead of time if you plan to come.



Second Annual "Fall Festival Afternoon" On Friday afternoon, October 21, St. Philip's will be having our second annual 'Fall Festival.' Activities will begin at 2:00 and end at 3:30p.m. Fall-themed food items, crafts, and activities are planned. We would love to see you there! Parents and grandparents are especially encouraged to attend. If you would like to help, or if you have any questions, please talk to your child's teacher.



# St. Philip's Lutheran Church

Everyone is invited to attend our Sunday worship services at 10:30AM. Bible class begins at 9:30AM.



Singing Schedule for K4 – 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Sunday, October 16<sup>th</sup> K4 – 8<sup>th</sup> grade sing for worship service 10:30AM Sunday, November 20<sup>th</sup> K4 – 8<sup>th</sup> grade sing for worship service 10:30AM Saturday, December 24<sup>th</sup> K4 – 8<sup>th</sup> Children's Christmas Eve service 6:00PM

Singing in church is part of your child's music grade. If your child cannot make it please talk to their teacher before each date so it will not affect their participation grade for music.





#### St. Philip's to Host Student Teacher

For 10 weeks, St. Philip's will be privileged to have Miss Gina Radue joining our staff from Martin Luther College (MLC) in New Ulm, MN. Miss Radue, will be working with Miss Martinez (Grade 3 & 4) for her student teaching. If she successfully completes her student teaching, she will be another step closer to graduating from MLC in the spring. Miss Radue is from Waukesha and is a graduate of Wisconsin Lutheran High School. She will arrive at St. Philip's on October 17<sup>th</sup> and stay until December 23<sup>rd</sup>. Being at St. Philip's helps her to experience urban ministry in a racially diverse setting. It also helps St. Philip's students see what becoming a Christian school teacher is about. Let's make Miss Radue feel welcome and show her how St. Philip's has been blessed with a wonderful church and school. WELCOME!



## October Birthday's

Kevin Lara	October 6 <sup>th</sup>
Destiny Nolden-Ellison	October 6 <sup>th</sup>
Joshua Kleimola	October 12 <sup>th</sup>
Aniiya Howled	October 13 <sup>th</sup>
Miss Martinez	October 13 <sup>th</sup>
Sueanna Gilmore	October 16 <sup>th</sup>
Annaleah Reyes	October 16 <sup>th</sup>
Jacob Hamilton	October 17 <sup>th</sup>
Cyrus Fairfield	October 18 <sup>th</sup>
Mrs. Melso	October 19 <sup>th</sup>
Mrs. Strong	October 24 <sup>th</sup>
Ciara Beach-Waters	October 26 <sup>th</sup>
Evelyn Hernandez	October 30 <sup>th</sup>
Mr. Olson	October 31 <sup>st</sup>

Happy Birthday & God's Blessings from your St. Philip's Family!