

St. Philip's



Warrior Weekly

Wednesday, November 18, 2020

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Rejoice in the Lord always. I will say it again: Rejoice! Philippians 4:4

[SPLS Chapel - 11/18/2020](#)

This link contains our weekly chapel service led by Mr. Luehring this week.

Also, here is a fitting song to go with today's devotion: **["Keep Your Lamps Burning"](#)**.



Mask Reminder: Please remember, we expect everyone entering our building to wear a mask.



St. Philip's Lutheran Church

Everyone is invited to attend our Sunday worship services at 10:30AM.

Masks are required. We practice social distancing as well.

SPECIAL NOTE REGARDING CELL PHONES FOR IN-PERSON LEARNERS: Due to COVID-19 precautions, we are asking that in-person learners **please leave their cell phones at home**. The school does not currently have a way to keep these items secure and separated from those of other students during the school day. Thank you for your help to reduce the spread of germs among our school family and keep everyone safe.

PROGRESS REPORTS/MISSING WORK

Progress reports for in-person students will be sent home with your child on Wednesday of each week. Questions or concerns please contact your child's teacher directly.

VIRTUAL STUDENTS CAN ACCESS THEIR PROGRESS REPORT ONLINE AT:

<https://wels.powerschool.com/public/home.html>



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

Friday, November 20	Virtual School Day for all SP Scholars
Sunday, November 22	Worship 10:30AM
Monday, November 23	Food & Materials Pick up for virtual students – 1PM-4PM
Wednesday, November 25	NO SCHOOL – Thanksgiving Break
Thursday, November 26	NO SCHOOL – Thanksgiving Break
Friday, November 27	NO SCHOOL – Thanksgiving Break

GENERAL SCHOOL CONTACT INFORMATION

Principal	Jason Schapekahn	414-659-4688 (cell)
School Office	Barb Allard	414-659-4788 (cell)
Pastor of St. Philip's	Raymond Kimbrough	414-263-1373
Dean of Students/Counselor	Jessica Martinez	414-449-1401
8 Grade Teacher	Fred Luehring	414-698-6146
7 Grade Teacher	John Marquardt	414-704-7932
6 Grade Teacher	Grace Marquardt	832-773-0476
5 Grade Teacher	Kelly Wardell	262-364-8199
4 Grade Teacher	Emma Schneck	907-602-3668
3 Grade Teacher	Timothy Babinec	608-797-7089
2 Grade Teacher	Nicole Cottman	302-528-0237
1 Grade Teacher	Sarah Enstad	763-772-5332
Kindergarten & Preschool	Amanda Berg	507-829-7267

Check out the website at www.stphilipmilwaukee.com for more details on events, newsletters, bulletins, calendars and pictures as well as email addresses for all staff.



May we truly be thankful

Heavenly Father, as we look around us, you have once again shown us all your blessings. We know that you have provided much more than just our daily needs. We thank you for so generously giving us your Son, our Lord. Through him you have showered us with the blessings of forgiveness, a purpose in life, and eternal life in paradise—no strings attached. For all these blessings, may we truly be thankful, dear Lord. Amen.

How Do We Stay St. Philip's STRONG?

We are so thankful to God to be able to offer in-person learning to our students once again. The opportunity to learn in person is a privilege and we each need to do our part to make this work. **One important way you can help with this is by daily screening your children for illness and keeping them home when they are sick.**

Please use the [COVID-19 Home Screening Checklist](#) to **pre-screen your child each day** before coming to school.

Q2 Missing Assignment Procedure Change

In an effort to help students meet the assignment expectations of the school and remain on track with their learning path, we will be implementing the following assignment procedures in K4-8th Grade beginning November 2:

- All assignments/tasks are due by the date established by the classroom teacher. This typically is the same day or next day.
- Assignments/tasks submitted according to the teacher's directions by the due date will receive full credit.
- If an assignment/task is not submitted according to the teacher's directions by the due date, the teacher will enter that assignment as a "Missing Assignment" in the gradebook.
- Missing assignments will remain on a student's missing work list for up to two weeks. If the student does not complete the assignment within those two weeks from the date the assignment was due, the assignment will be officially scored as a zero in the gradebook and removed from the student's missing assignment list. The assignment will no longer be able to be made up.
- SPLS reserves the right to adjust these assignment expectations due to the following: student illness, family crisis, human error, or technological issue. Any exceptions must receive approval from SPLS administration.

Reminders for Families:

- You may check your children's academic progress at any time by logging in to your PowerSchool account.
- You will receive a hardcopy of your child's Progress Report and Missing Work weekly.

Reminders for Virtual Learners

- To help ensure that both in-person and at home learners can be successful, we ask that all of our virtual learners follow these norms: [SP Norms for Virtual Meetings](#)
- **Virtual learners are expected to be online for each of their live classes according to the classroom schedule provided by their teacher.**
- Please be mindful that other students at home and in the classroom can hear and see you. Please have your microphone muted (off) unless it is your turn to speak.

HEALTH AND WELLNESS

As a reminder, if you or anyone in your household is experiencing symptoms of COVID-19, stay home, contact your doctor, and seek testing. All students in the household should remain home while awaiting the test results. There are several options across the Milwaukee community to get tested for COVID-19, including many free options.

It is critical for us to continue offering In-Person Learning, but we must be diligent in minimizing the risk of spreading COVID within our community. Each one of us has a responsibility to each other to follow our safety guidelines inside and outside of school.

This includes:

- Wearing a mask
- Avoiding close contact with anyone outside of your household
- Practicing good hygiene and washing your hands often
- Avoiding large gatherings
- Staying home if you are sick

TARDY SCHOLARS & ABSENTEE ISSUES

Chronic tardiness is disruptive to a scholar's education, as well as to their entire class. Please help us to help your child(ren) by bringing them to St. Philip's **between 7:30 and 7:55 am daily**. This will allow them to receive a free breakfast, if desired, and settle in to be ready to **start learning promptly at 8:00 am**.

If your child(ren) will be **absent for the day**, please let us know before 9:00 am the day of the absence. As with tardiness, we would appreciate the courtesy of either a phone call (414-263-7614) or an email message (ballard@stphilipsmilwaukee.com).

SCHOOL UNIFORM FOR IN-PERSON STUDENTS

2 Cloth Face Masks

- Fully covers nose and mouth, secure under the chin, no gaps on sides.
- Solid colored, patterned, or multicolored are preferred. Face masks with offensive writing, symbols, or distracting patterns or images should not be worn.
- Students should be able to remove their own mask without touching the front of the mask.
- SP has cloth face masks available for students if needed.

SPLS Top - SPLS "Logo" top (SPLS t-shirt, SPLS long sleeve shirt, SPLS hooded sweatshirt, SPLS polo)

Solid Color Pants - jeans, "khakis," uniform pants, NO sweat pants or leggings

Belt - Optional, if needed to keep pants in place

Footwear - Athletic type shoes

**St. Philip's T-shirts and Polo's are available for purchase at \$10.00 each.
See Mrs. Allard to purchase.**