# May 8, 2017

# Our Savior Lutheran **School News**













#### May

- Track practice 3:30-4:30pm Field Events 4:30-5:00pm
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- 14 Trinity Sunday Worship 8 & 10:45am Christ Connections 9:30am Bible Classes 9:30am
- 16 Track practice 3:30-4:30pm Field Events 4:30-5:00pm
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- 18 Early Childhood and Kindergarten Open House 5-7pm

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20 Track Regional Meet-Monroe (4th-8th grade)



#### **NEWS FROM PRINCIPAL COUSER**

#### Confirmation Sunday - May 7, 2017

What is Confirmation? Seven young people professed their faith in Christ at yesterday's worship service, and pledged themselves as disciples of Jesus for a life-time. They are confirming the faith that was

given to them in their baptism. Confirmation is an opportunity for people to publically profess their faith in Christ and their desire to be a member of a Lutheran congregation after receiving instruction in the Christian Faith during Christian Studies classes. It begins a new season of discipleship as these students prepare to follow Jesus during their high school years. We pray God's blessings on these disciples of Jesus and that the Holy Spirit would strengthen their faith in the years to come.





#### Grade 5 Chapel- The Good Shepherd

'Who Ya Gonna Trust' was the name of the chapel service led by the fifth grade students last Wednesday. The service was based on John 10 and the Twenty-Third Psalm - The Good Shepherd '. "My sheep hear my voice, and I know them, and they follow me. I give them eternal life, and they will never perish, and no one will snatch them



out of my hand." John 10:27-28



#### **THANK YOU for the Teacher and Principal Appreciation Week**

On behalf of the entire Our Savior Lutheran School faculty and staff, we thank you for your expressions of kindness, encouragement and generosity this past week.

The week contained loving hugs, cards, surprises and memories. Also thank you to the PTL for the delicious Cinco de Mayo luncheon and to the individuals who covered the classrooms for the teachers. We appreciate everything you do to support OSL





National Day of Prayer began with Pastor Wangelin and teachers praying over students and their families as they arrive at school todav. Jeremiah 29:12 "Then you will call on me and come and pray to me, and I will listen to you.."





**Our Savior athletes** at Monroe Track **Meet Saturday** 

## COUNSELING SERVICES AVAILABLE

In an effort to support families who are interested in counseling services for their children and family. Our Savior has made arrangements with Mrs. Bess



Starkweather to service children and teenagers in our church and school community. She is a licensed psychologist currently serving the Lansing community. Bess is available to provide consultations with new clients at our facility. Bess can be contacted directly with any questions, counseling inquiries and session arrangements at 517-420-5627 or bess@starkweathercounseling.com.



# MRS. BETH KRAUSE RETIREMENT LUNCHEON

The retirement of Mrs. Beth Krause, our second grade teacher, will be cele-

brated on Sunday, June 4. There will be a luncheon following the late service at 12:30pm. Tickets will be available to purchase beginning on Sunday, April 23 in the church lobby. Adults: \$10, Children ages 10 & under: \$5. The menu includes: chicken & white wine sauce, rice, carrots, tossed salad, dessert, iced tea, lemonade and coffee.

#### **BOX TOPS CONTEST**

Our final box tops contest of the school year will end on Wednesday, May 31st. The class that brings in the most box tops will get to pick the color that we will color Mr. Josh's hair!! Please have students turn their box tops into their teachers by May 31st!

#### **INSTRUMENTAL CONCERT MAY 25**



Our Savior Lutheran students will have their Instrumental Concert for Recorders, Band and Handbells on Thursday, May 25th at 7pm. Invite your family, friends and neighbors to come and enjoy our concert!

### Our Savior Lutheran Basketball Camp

#### July 24-27, 2017

This summer the coaches and student athletes who have graduated from Our Savior Lutheran School will put on a basketball clinic from Monday, July 24-through Thursday, July 27, 2017. The camp will run from 6pm-8pm each night. Cost will be \$55 per camper for the week. This camp is



open to boys and girls entering 2nd grade to 8th grade in the fall of 2017. Registration and medical release forms were sent home with your student on Friday. Extras may be found in the rack outside the school office or in the FastDirect links. Please contact Bill Burmeister at 517-898-3446 with any questions.

#### First Grade Student Teacher Visit

Mrs. Engelbrecht's first grade classroom will be having a student teacher for the 2017-18 school year. Miss Grace Gilson will be here for the day on Wednesday, May 17th to meet the students and teachers at Our Savior. We welcome Miss Gilson to the Our Savior Family!

# SCHOOL MUSIC PERFORMANCE SCHEDULE 2017



Sunday, May 14 10:45am Pre-K/K/1 Choir

Wednesday, May 17 8:30am 6/7/8 Choir

Thursday, May 25 7pm Instrumental Concert

4 Recorders 5 Band 6/7/8 Band 6/7/8 Handbells

Wednesday, May 31 8:30am 4/5 Choir

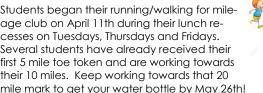
#### VBS 2017 is July 31-August 3!



Our Savior is excited to announce this summer's VBS theme is "A Mighty Fortress: Get the Word Out!" This summer's VBS will be Monday-Thursday, July 31-August 3, 6:30-

8:00PM. Interactive stations will replace the rotations that we've done the past several years, and students will spend time in handson activities that get them in the Word of God so that they can share the good news with the people in their lives. Grace, Faith, Scripture, & Christ will be the key themes for the week. Mark the dates on your calendar, and look for more information in the coming months!

#### Mileage Club is off and running!!





#### FIELD DAY—June 8



This year we will be having our fannual field day on Thursday, June 8th. Any parents interested in helping teachers with the games and activities, please let Deb know in the school office. This is always a fun-filled day for all of our students.

#### **Hot Lunch Tidbit**

The highest calorie fast food item in the world is a milkshake! A large chocolate shake from White Castle contains a whopping 1680 calories.



School Mission Statement: The ministry of Our Savior Lutheran School is to share Christ by teaching the Christian faith, promoting academic excellence, and developing leadership skills for a life of Christian service.