




<u>First Lutheran Athletics</u>	<u>EXTRA-CURRICULARS</u>	<u>How Can I Help My School?</u>
<p><u>VOLLEYBALL</u> 9/18 Mt. Zion A tough loss, but the girls did a much better job with volleys. Keep at it Lady Badgers!</p> <p><u>SOCCER</u> 9/18 Mt. Zion An unfortunate loss, but even after playing a team with twice as many subs as us, our soccer team kept at it and fought hard till the very end!</p> <p><u>CROSS COUNTRY</u> 9/15 Lancer Invitational Congrats to our five runners who participated in this meet! Take a look at some of their race photos on the Badger Bulletin Board! Contact: Mrs. Rachel Nolte 920-242-1916</p> <p><u>ATHLETIC CALENDAR</u> The school athletic calendar is a Google Calendar. You can access up to date information through our website- click on school - athletics. Or, if you already use a Google calendar on your phone or computer, you can access the information by syncing the calendar <i>FLS Athletics</i> to yours. If you have questions, please contact the office.</p> <p>Look cool and show off your school! Order your First Lutheran School Gear and athletic Badger logo from MyLocker. We receive a commission on sales. https://www.spiritshop.com/school/wisconsin/elkhorn/first-lutheran-school</p> <p>Another option available is if you have a specific item(s) you would like embroidered, our school logo is available at a local embroidery shop. Please contact the office with questions.</p>	<p><u>PIANO</u> Piano Lessons are on Tuesdays. Students should remember to bring their books.</p> <p><u>BAND/STRINGS</u> Our school is again partnering with Shoreland Lutheran High School to provide music lessons on band and string instruments. Lessons are available to students in grades 4-8. Please click on the link below to view a digital presentation regarding the lesson program. If you have any questions or problems viewing the link, please contact Mr. Wordell or Ms. Lawson with any questions (wordellk@slhs.us, or lawsonk@slhs.us).</p> <p> 2023-24 GS Music Spri...</p>	<p>To help with non-budgeted expenses, First Lutheran School participates in a couple of ways to raise funds:</p> <p>Scan your receipts using the app! Or, have it done in the office!</p>  <p>Shop with Scrip is now  RaiseRight by ShopWithScrip</p> <p>Many cards are available in the office, you can place an order through the office or online. Please contact the office for our Enrollment code.</p> <p>Please contact the office with questions.</p> <p><i>Your support is appreciated!</i></p>

<u>Wrap-Around Care</u>	<u>FRIDAY LUNCH</u>
<p>Director: Mrs. Sandy Christian Hours: 6:30-7:20 a.m. and 10:45-6:00 p.m. Contact: 262-949-5094 or sjchristian60@gmail.com WEB: firstelkhorn.com/school</p> <p>PARENTS: If you have not received your 1st invoice of this school year dated Mon., 9/18, please contact me, as payment is due this Fri. 9/22.</p> <p>We are excited to announce the addition of Miss Taylor Young to our staff.</p> <p>***Children should bring their own water bottles daily.</p>	<p>This week Friday we will be offering Dominos pizza for lunch. Order forms are coming home today and are due back to your child's teacher by 2:45 p.m. on Thursday. Late orders cannot be accepted. Please do not combine orders on forms - each student is to have their own form filled out. Each slice of a large pizza is \$1.50. Please indicate on the bottom of the form your payment method - cash/check or student account. Please make checks payable to "First Lutheran School."</p>

Classroom News

Mrs. Kuehl: 4K

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none">• For Show and Tell on Friday, please bring something that has an interesting texture for us to experience!• We have begun to learn several Bible passages to go along with our Bible Lessons. These memory treasures will be reviewed throughout the year to keep them in our hearts as a reminder of God's great love for us as we go through life! This week we are learning how and why God saved Noah and his family from the flood waters and we are reminded of how God also saves us through water combined with God's Word in Baptism! | <ul style="list-style-type: none">• These first few weeks we are spending time getting into the routines of going to school, making new friends, and working together!• We have been working on learning the uppercase letters found in our names. We are matching cutout letters to name boards to learn the proper order, building letters with sticks and curves, and also with playdough "worms". We have just started our trip through the alphabet to take a closer look at how other letters are formed and the basic sound that each one has. Watch for items to come home in folders to review letter basics. |
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Mrs. Kuehl: Kindergarten

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none">• For Show and Tell on Friday, please bring something with an interesting texture for us to experience!• So far this year in our Bible study, we have learned about God's wonderful creation of our world, and how His perfect world was forever changed by sin. Yet God still showed amazing love to His people, by promising to send a Savior who would rescue mankind from sin and give eternal in heaven to those who believe in His saving Word! We thank God for this amazing gift of love!• In connection with this week's Bible lesson on The Flood, we are enjoying singing a special song with the first and second graders! | <ul style="list-style-type: none">• These first few weeks we are spending time getting back into the routine of going to school and enjoying being able to spend time with our friends as we continue to grow and learn!• We have begun this year by working with our names, concentrating on the lower case letters for all but the first letter. Please encourage using the lowercase version as your child writes his or her name at home as well. We are beginning our walk through the alphabet reviewing the sight and basic sound of each letter. We will be giving special emphasis to the lowercase letters. We have also started working with some simple books to add to our reading bag here at school. We enjoy sharing them with our parents, daily helpers, and sometimes even with other friends! |
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Mrs. Szmanda: Grades 1-2

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Bible Lessons: <u>The Flood</u> and <u>Tower of Babel</u>: Just as God saved Noah from the flood, he saves us from eternal punishment in hell through Jesus. We can thank God for his love and care by gladly obeying him.• Last week, with our Bible lesson Cain and Abel, we discussed offerings to our Lord. In connection with that, we made offering envelopes. These will be sent home on Thursday as a reminder if you would like to send an offering for Friday chapel. Our mission project for this quarter will be announced. | <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Thank you for the house pictures! This week we are learning about continents and oceans of the world and the equator.• We have one last MAPS test on Thursday. Please see that your child gets plenty of sleep and a good breakfast. We usually start by 8:00 a.m. |
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Miss Buelow: Grades 3-4

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Fourth grade will have SHARE this Friday, September 22nd.• OCTOBER 6th is the due date for books checked out from the library last Friday.• In Bible study we have learned about God creating the world perfect; Adam and Eve falling into sin; God's promise about our Savior, Jesus.• In English we have been studying the difference between sentences and fragments. We are currently identifying the types of sentences we use while writing: declarative, interrogative, exclamatory and imperative. | <ul style="list-style-type: none">• We are studying living and nonliving things in science.• We are finishing our social studies unit on maps.• We are finishing our first math unit on numbers and place value.• If you have any questions, you can reach me at 414-550-7304 or missbuelow@firstatthecross.com. |
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Mrs. Lahmann: Grades 5-6

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none">● Christlight/Catechism: We are studying Cain & Abel, and the Flood. The First Commandment- how we are to fear, love, and trust in God above all things.● 5th Math: Whole numbers and money● 6th Math: Finding the missing numbers, order of operations, lines, rays, segments<ul style="list-style-type: none">○ Children are able to make math corrections on assignments, if they want to.● 5&6 Grammar: We are finding simple subjects and simple predicates in sentences.● 5&6 Science: The water cycle and how clouds are formed● 5&6 History: Early civilizations and how they lived. | <ul style="list-style-type: none">● Music: We are learning how to play music with spoons and what the staff and treble clef are in music.● Collaboration: The children have been working on constructing a marble maze using straws. In the coming weeks, we are going to attempt a large maze made of pool noodles where we all have to work together to get the ball through the maze.● Memory Work:<ul style="list-style-type: none">○ 9/19-The First Commandment○ 9/20-Deuteronomy 33:27a○ 9/21-John 3:16○ 9/22-Hymn 556 vs. 1&4● Question or concerns?<ul style="list-style-type: none">○ mrsalahmann@firstatthecross.com○ 262-573-6710 |
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Mrs. Kuschel

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none">• <u>7/8 Literature</u>: <i>The Giver</i> by Lois Lowry
One of our recent chapters touched on some tough topics, but the students handled it appropriately. Our latest group discussion we had was on dreams and what they might mean.• <u>7/8 Creative Writing</u>: 5 W's Poems
Students are writing poems based on the 5 W's: Who, What, When, Where, Why. Keep an eye out for their final work displayed in the hallway.• <u>5/8 & 7/8 Art</u>: Drip Art Mural
We are finishing up on our collaborative Art project of creating a <i>Drip Art</i> mural (inspired by the work of Jen Stark). This week we will be installing it in the gym. | <ul style="list-style-type: none">• <u>5/8 Literature</u>: <i>Because of Winn-Dixie</i> by Kate DiCamillo
Students have been doing a wonderful job in class participating in chapter discussions. Soon we will be reaching the climax of our novel!• <u>5/8 Creative Writing</u>: 5 C's Stories
The students have begun learning about the 5 steps of writing a story: Collect, Combine, Color, Correct, and Communicate. They will begin their rough draft later this week.• <u>Phy Ed</u>:
K-2: Following Instructions Games
3-6 & 7-8: Volleyball★ Please feel free to reach out to me with any questions you might have.<ul style="list-style-type: none">➤ mrskuschel@firstatthecross.com➤ 320.522.0002 |
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Mr. Falk: Grades 7-8

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Our Old Testament lessons have progressed through Genesis chapters 1-3. We have discussed the amazing creation and the tragic fall into sin.• The math lessons have been reviewing and expanding topics such as lines, segments, and angles; as well as measures of central tendency like median, mode, and mean. | <ul style="list-style-type: none">• In history class we have finished the chapter about the Reconstruction era after the Civil War. Now we shift attention to the West where the cattle kingdom and mining boomtowns are growing and the railroads are being built.• If you have questions or need to share information, you may contact me at 989-415-9421 or mrfalk@firstatthecross.com |
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