HURRICANE WATCH

May 9, 2022

Week 35

2021-2022 School Year Theme

<u>Pirates! The Musical! Performance Schedule</u>

This year's musical for grades 1-8 will have three performances:

- Thursday, May 12 at 7:00 PM (also live streamed)
- Friday, May 13 at 9:00 AM
- Friday, May 13 at 3:30 PM

As of May 6, the 7:00 PM performance on May 12 is now full.

There is limited space available in our performance area. Therefore, we are asking families and friends to register for the performance(s) you'd like to attend. All students in grades 1-8 will participate in each performance. Please plan to have your child attend all three performances. Please complete the online registration here.

Musical Information

Monday-Wednesday (5/9-5/11): Send costumes to school with your child (enjoy the peace of mind of having costumes at school early). Costumes will remain at school.

Thursday (5/12): Costumes *must* be at school by 8:00 AM. There is a full dress rehearsal taking place at 9:00 AM. Children will be given time and privacy to change into costumes and back into school uniforms before and after the rehearsal. Musical performance at 7:00 PM. Costumes will be sent home with the children after school. Please have children arrive *in* costume for the evening performance by 6:30-6:40 pm. They can meet in their classroom prior to the performance.

Friday (5/13): **Send costumes back to school** for the two performances on Friday (9:00 AM and 3:30 PM). Musical students can be picked up at 4:30 PM on Friday.

Upcoming Ev	vents
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May 11 Chapel, 8:15 AM Piano Lessons

May 12 Piano Lessons

Musical Performance, 7:00 PM

May 13 Musical Performance, 9:00 AM

> Musical Performance, 3:30 PM Grades 1-8 pick up at 4:30 PM Piano Lesson Sign Up Due

Worship, 8:30 AM May 15

> Sunday School & Adult Bible Class. 9:30 Worship, 10:30 AM (also online) Pioneers Pinewood Derby, 12:00 PM

Extended Care Position Applications Due

May 20 Piano Recital, 7:00 PM

May 26 VPK & K Spring Program, 6:30 PM

May 27 Last Day of School - Noon Dismissal

May 29 VPK-8th Grade Sing for Worship &

8th Grade Graduation, 10:30 AM

July 18-22 Northdale Lutheran VBS

Visit our website for a complete online calendar.

Mission Offerings

Mission offerings for Luther Preparatory School and

Michigan Lutheran Seminary

This week: \$25.00 Total: \$1.142.00 Thank you for your generous support of

this year's mission project!



May 29 Singing for Worship

All students in VPK - 8th grade are invited to sing a prepared song for worship on Sunday, May 29 during the 10:30 AM service. We will also recognize our 8th grade graduates during the service. We look forward to seeing many of you there.

2022-2023 Piano Lesson Sign Up

NCA will be facilitating piano lessons provided by Bridget Harrison starting with the 2022-2023 school year. Miss Bridget is also offering summer piano lessons at her home for those that are interested. Please <u>click the link</u> to learn more about Miss Bridget and indicate your interest in piano lessons for this summer and/or the coming school year. Survey responses are due by Friday, May 13.

Piano Recital

Mark your calendar for our spring piano recital on Friday, May 20 at 7:00 PM. Our NCA piano students will have opportunity to share what they have learned in their lessons this year.

Teacher Appreciation - Thank You!

The faculty and staff at NCA would like to give a sincere and heartfelt thank you to all our wonderful families for the generous display of appreciation last week. We were humbled by the support you have shown and consider it a great privilege to serve you and our community.

VBS Registration

VBS at Northdale Lutheran will be held July 18-22. VBS is for children ages three (potty trained) through entering 5th grade. You can register for VBS through the Northdale Lutheran website. This year's VBS is entitled Rainforest Explorers - Jesus Leads the Way. Register your child today or visit the website for more information.

Google Reviews

Customer reviews continue to be a key feature of online research. Just think of all the times you read them before making a purchase decision. NCA also benefits from receiving online reviews which help prospective families consider the Christian education we offer, 3K through 8th grade. If you are so inclined, please click this Link to access our NCA Google profile and leave your review. Thank you for supporting our community outreach efforts.

NCA Extended Care Position Opening

NCA is looking to fill an extended care position for the 2022-2023 school year. The hours will be 3:00 - 6:00 PM, Monday-Friday, with the possibility of additional hours. NCA is looking for applicants who are at least 18 years old and eager to work with children ranging in age from 3 to 8 years old. Experience is preferred, but not required. A position description along with an employment application can be obtained in the NCA lobby or at this link. The deadline to apply is May 15. Any questions can be directed to Principal Mr. Dane Mattes:

<u>dane.mattes@northdalelutheran.org</u> or Early Childhood Director, Mrs. Joanne Mattes:

joanne.mattes@northdalelutheran.org.

<u>Current Scholarship Families Intent to Continue</u> Process Open

Families with a student benefiting from the following scholarship programs for the 2021-22 school year may complete the "Intent to Continue" process (previously referred to as the "renewal" application) to secure their student's scholarship for the 2022-23 school year NOW:

- Florida Tax Credit Scholarship (FTC)
- Family Empowerment Scholarship for Educational Options (FES-EO)
- Family Empowerment Scholarship for Unique Abilities (FES-UA)
- McKay Scholarship

Reminder: The FTC, FES-EO and FES-UA programs are once-in, always-in meaning students who utilized the scholarship for the 2021-22 school year (including McKay students) will NOT need to submit documents to demonstrate their eligibility AND will have funding priority. Check your email for additional directions or access your online account at

https://www.stepupforstudents.org/. Please email or provide a copy of your scholarship award letter to NCA once it is received. This will be needed to apply the scholarship to your 2022-2023 financial agreement.

New Scholarship Applications Now Being Accepted

Step Up for Students is now accepting applications for families new to the various state scholarship programs. Learn more and apply today at

https://www.stepupforstudents.org/.



Classroom News May 9-13

Mrs. Mattes VPK joanne.mattes@northdalelutheran.org

What we're learning: We're spending lots of time getting ready for our Spring Program the next few weeks. We'll also be taking time to do our AP3 testing. Ask your child about the reading buddies time we've started with our longer days. We are readers!

Bible Story: Our Bible story this week is *The Coming of the Holy Spirit.*

Reading logs: Please fill out your May reading logs!

1-8 Musical: This Thursday, May 12, VPK is invited to watch the dress rehearsal for the play, *Pirates! The Musical!* The rehearsal starts at 9:00, so please drop off by 8:45 on Thursday, if possible. Thank you!

Field Trip: We are planning a walking field trip to

Prop needed: I'm still in need of a skateboard as a prop for our spring program if you happen to have one. Thank you!

Mrs. Schwartz's Kindergarten Homeroom bethanv.schwartz@northdalelutheran.org

We will continue this week practicing our songs and short skit for our Spring Program that takes place on Thursday, May 26th at 6:30pm.

Word of God: The Coming of the Holy Spirit, Peter Speaks to the Crowd

Memory Treasure: Romans 10:17 - faith Comes from hearing the message and the message is heard through the Word of Christ.

Reading: We will focus on the letter Zz. We will read in class "The Superkids' Album". *A new superkid reader will be sent home each week. Please have your child practice reading this book each night until they can read it fluently.*

Math: We will continue to sort objects by attribute.

Thank you so much to all who gave gifts for teacher appreciation week!

Miss Hardman's 1st & 2nd Grade Homeroom

$\underline{aimee.hardman@northdalelutheran.org}$

Memory Work: "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, and teaching them to obey everything I have commanded you. And surely I am with you always, to the very end of the age." (due Friday, May 20)

Spelling: 1st Grade: (no spelling this week - musical week) **2nd Grade:** (no spelling this week - musical week)

Ask us about:

- The deciduous and coniferous forest habitats
- Benjamin Franklin and some of his inventions (2nd graders)



500 Book Challenge!? Please contact me if your child is on track to finish 500 books this year!

The deadline for the 500 book challenge is Wednesday, May 25



Classroom News (Continued)

Mr. Haring's 3rd & 4th Grade Homeroom <u>chris.haring@northdalelutheran.org</u>

Cell: (517) 202-7281

Teacher Appreciation: Thank you, for your appreciation last week in the form of words and gifts.

Word of God: Jesus Ascends into Heaven; Matthias is

Chosen

 $\textbf{Memory Work:} \ \text{The Third Article (part 3) due 5/13}$

Reading group 1: *In the Year of the Boar and Jackie*

<u>Robinson</u>.

Reading group 2: <u>Arthur-</u> This story is in the orange basal that was given to students. Please spend a few minutes reading this story from the beginning each night.

Spelling: No spelling this week

3 Math (Schroeder): Lines, Angles, and Polygons **4 Math**: Chapter 8: Polygons and Symmetry

Social Studies: Economics **Science:** Energy-Sound

Writing: We have been working on writing our own piece of fiction. There is very little time left to finish these books. I would appreciate it if you help read through your child's story early this week and help them

to add more details or substance to their stories.

Mrs. Guse's 5th & 6th Grade Homeroom elizabeth.guse@northdalelutheran.org 760-622-2161

Word of God: The Gift of the Holy Spirit; Peter's Pentecost

Sermon

Catechism: The Sixth Petition; Deliver Us from Evil
MW: 6th Petition(Tue & Th); Romans 1:16(Fri)
Literature (Schroeder): Wonder by R.J. Palacio.
Independent Book Project due May 23

English: No DGP

Spelling: Unit 34- Pretest (Mon), Test (Fr)

Math 5 (Haring): Chapter 9- Ratios

Math C1: Chapter 9 Test (Tue); Begin Chapter 10-Areas of

Polygons

Math C2: Chapter 7 Test (Tue); Begin Chapter 8- Statistics

and Probability

Science: Scientific Method

Social Studies: Explorers Pocket Book

7th & 8th Grade Mr. Mattes <u>dane.mattes@northdalelutheran.org</u> Cell: 920-588-7599

Mrs. Schroeder sarah.schroeder@northdalelutheran.org

8th grade pictures are due Monday, May 16. The graduate questionnaire is due May 20. See the April 20 email and letter for details. MAP testing results are going home in Monday folders. Let me know if you have any questions about the results. We are in the final 3 weeks of the school year with lots to accomplish between now and summer break.

Spelling: Unit 34 **English**: DGP #30 **Literature**: <u>The Outsiders</u> by S. E. Hinton, Book Project due May 23. **Math**: <u>Course 2</u> will take our chapter 7 test on Tuesday. We will begin our study of Statistics and Probability. <u>Course 3</u> is learning to apply the pythagorean theorem. <u>Algebra 1</u> is concluding a study of data analysis, displaying data using online tools, and probability. There will be a test this week.

Word of God: Paul's Missionary Journeys, lesson 11

Social Studies: Read aloud story on Japanese Internment Camps in the US after Pearl Harbor.

Science: Sounds like many students have extended the solar system scavenger hunt at home with the Sky View app. It was a fun activity. We continue to study stars and galaxies.

