



EAGLE EYE NEWS

We Give Thanks!

This week, we include a prayer of Thanksgiving for **you**, our families in Christ!



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ILS CALENDAR UPCOMING EVENTS

December

- 12/8** Eagle Invitational Bball Tourney, 4:30pm
- 12/9** Eagle Invitational Bball Tourney, 4:30pm
- 12/10** JPS-PK Sings in 8am Worship
- 12/11** Special Ext. Care Sign up Deadline, 2:30pm
Scholar Bowl Meet (Away), 4:00pm
- 12/12** A Team Bball Game (Away), 5:30pm
- 12/13** Advent Chapel, 3rd-6th Sing, 10:30am
A Team Bball Practice, 3:30-5:00pm
- 12/14** A Team Bball Game (Away), 4:30pm
- 12/15** 8th gr. Field Trip, 9:45am
Pizza Day!
- 12/16** Church/School Grounds Cleanup, 8:00am
- 12/18** A Team Bball Practice, 3:30-5:00pm
- 12/19** A Team Bball Game (Away), 5:30pm
- 12/20** Advent Chapel, 8:45am
Early Dismissal, 11:30am
End of 2nd Quarter
- 12/21-1/3** **Christmas Break - NO School**
- 1/4** Classes Resume

GIFT CARD

SCRIP BLITZ!

Tis the season for gift cards!

During the month of December, PSCE will track all gift cards purchased through SCRIP and award a pizza party to the class with the most sales. Buy a gift card as a gift or buy one to use yourself while shopping for that perfect gift. Join us in a friendly class competition and help support our school. A flier and order form were sent home this week with all the details. Contact Sarah Runser or Jenn Hundelt to order today!

Christmas Concert

Join Immanuel Lutheran Church for our annual Christmas Concert on Sunday, December 10, at 3:00pm. It is an afternoon of Christmas music brought to you by various choirs and individuals including our 3rd - 6th grade classes!

Advent Worship

We invite you to join us for worship during this Advent Season!

Wednesday, December 13 Chapel @ 10:30am
Evening @ 7:00pm

Wednesday, December 20 Chapel @ 8:48am
Evening @ 7:00pm

Participate in Advent Chapel

Immanuel will have our annual Christmas chapel service on Wednesday, December 20th at 8:45 AM. Students in 1st through 8th grade are invited to sign up if they would like to sing or play an instrument during the Christmas Chapel. They can do this individually or as a small group. All those participating must use Christ-centered, Christmas songs. If your child is interested in participating please sign up by noon on Friday, December 15th using this Google Form: <https://forms.gle/RdrXhDbUu83pe7FZ8>.

If you have any questions you can contact Mr. Erdmann at cerdmann@ilsolivette.org.



INCLEMENT WEATHER

In the event of a school closing, or late start, parents will be notified with a parent-alert text message or email, based on contact information in FACTS SIS. Closings and late starts will also be called into the local TV stations. Please look for Immanuel Lutheran School-Olivette. Thank you!



Devotions with Pastor

Oh my goodness, how long we have been waiting! How much longer must we hold out? How patient do I have to be? I feel like we have been waiting forever, will the time ever come?

Christmas is coming in a few short weeks! This week in chapel, Pastor Karg reminded us that God gives us many gifts. And many things that He gives us, He gives so that we may enjoy. But the one lasting gift is the gift of Jesus, whom God sent to earth for us! The star that appeared over Bethlehem pointed us to the gift that He had given in Jesus!

In the Bible, Mark 1 reminds us that the Israelites had been waiting for someone to come and save them. Isaiah the prophet, about 700 years before Jesus, told them that He would be coming to save them, even (in Hebrew) mentioning Him by name! And, He did! It required a lot of patience, and it was a long time to wait. But their patience paid off, because at just the right time, our Lord Jesus came and offered Himself for us. Because He came, all the little joys we experience in life find their meaning. It is well worth the wait!

Thank You, Jesus, for coming to us at just the right time. Help us to always be patient for You. Amen.

- Pastor Schrader