ILS CALENDAR - UPCOMING EVENTS

For additional sports schedules, check out the athletic calendar https://www.ilsolivette.org/athletics

SEPTEMBER

9/8-12 NWEA Assessments (K-8) 9/14 Sunday School - Rally Day!

1-4th Sing

9/17 PSCE General Assembly Meeting, 6:30pm

9/18 **Picture Retakes**

9/19 Pizza Fridav

TJ's Fundraiser Begins

9/21 ILS Golf Tournament, 1pm Shotgun Start 9/25 Reading Night, East Building (JPS-2nd)

OCTOBER

10/2-3 NO School - LEA Convocation: Childcare offered if enough signed up (see p.2 below)



PETURE RETAKE DAY

ILS Retakes will be next Thursday, September 18. If you need your child's picture retaken please let us know by tomorrow. All new children, kids that missed pictures and kids (K-*) that were not in dress code will also be included.

YOU ARE INVITED - September 14th

Immanuel Lutheran Church will be celebrating the start of fall Sunday School and Confirmation classes, and we hope you will join us! Church services will be at 8 & 10:30am in the sanctuary. During the 8am service the 3rd-5th graders will be presented Bibles and the new confirmands their catechisms. 1st-4th grade choir will also be singing at 8am. Sunday school and Confirmation classes will begin with an opening in the East Building Commons at 9:20am. At the same time parents as well as other adults are invited to the Families of

Faith class for fellowship and refreshments. It will meet in the East building extended care room (#301/302).



Like to sing? or ring? **Handbell and Choir**

Opportunities!

This year, we are enhancing our music program by adding Handbells for students in grades 4–8, and Choir for students in grades 5–8. This is a great opportunity to learn beautiful and fun pieces and enhance our music program. Practices will be held on Mondays from 3:30-4:00 for Handbells, and Wednesdays, from 3:30-4:05 for Choir. Most often, this will not interfere with activities or sports. If you are interested in playing bells, or joining the choir (OR Both!!!), please till out this form and return by

Wednesday, September 10. There may be opportunities for some performances throughout the year. We will get started as soon as possible. Thank you!

<u>Sign Up</u>

Parent Service Hours Opportunity

We need help on our Pizza Fridays as well as the days we serve hot lunch. If you would like to volunteer, you can use these links to sign up for one or as many days as you wish. These links can also be found on our website under EXPLORE, Resource Documents and your Family Portal under Resource Documents as well.

Pizza Volunteer: Just a few spots left!

https://www.signupgenius.com/go/8050F4AAEAF2
EAIF58-58164147-pizza

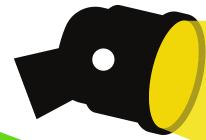
Hot Lunch Volunteer:

https://www.signupgenius.com/go/8050F4AAEAF2 EAIF58-58169049-lunch



Parents Supporting Christian Education

Please join us for our fall general assembly meeting, **September 17**, **6:30pm.** Learn how you are a part of PSCE and what PSCE does for ILS and how they support our kids.
For those who attend the meeting, their child will get an extra non-uniform Spirit Day on Monday, Sept. 22.



Special Child Care 10/2 & 10/3; 10/30 & 10/31

We do NOT have school October 2 & 3 Our teachers will be attending the LEA Convocation. We will offer childcare if we have at least 10 kids signed up. Please use this <u>LINK</u> to register by 9/17 if you need this care.

October 30 is an early dismissal day and October 31 is NO school so we can hold fall Parent/Teacher conferences. We will also offer childcare on those days. Please use this LINK to register by 10/17 if you need this care.



HANDBOOK SPOTLIGHT: EMERGENCY DRILLS

It is important to establish routines in order to provide a safe situation in the event of an actual emergency. For this reason, Immanuel conducts monthly fire drills. In addition, we practice tornado, intruder and emergency evacuation drills throughout the year. Next week, we'll have our first schoolwide fire drill. Talk to your child about the importance of following teacher instructions to stay safe!

PSCE Board Members Needed!

Immanuel's Parents Supporting Christian Education (PSCE) will be having their first meeting soon! A new Board member or two will be needed to help make decisions on school events and fundraisers. Would you consider serving in this way? Board members meet a few times a year to make decisions. They coordinate volunteers and give assistance to the educational program, financially and otherwise. Board members are unified, demonstrate a Christian attitude and work together in a respectful manner. If you would like to nominate an individual, or place your name on the Ballot for voting at our fall meeting, please email Mrs. Nixon, <u>cnixon@ilsolivette.org</u>





Volleyball Live stream!

Our Girls' Volleyball A team's games are now live streamed! Please use this **LINK** to access the stream.

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DINE OUT #2

Dine Out and Raise Money for ILS!

Enjoy a delicious meal at Panda
Express (10445 Olive Blvd, Creve
Coeur) on Thursday, September
25, 10am-9pm and ILS receives
20%! Just show the flyer, paper
or digital, when you dine in or
carry out or enter 3842570 in
the fundraiser code box when
you order online. Order a
Panda Express gift card from
Immanuel's Scrip program and
we get another 8% back!
Contact Jenn Hundelt
at 314-239-3322



Check Us Out!



LESA's (Lutheran Elementary School Association) 13th Annual "Brew in the Lou" Festival, will offer one-stop tasting of St. Louis's best beer, wine, spirits and food favorites when it returns to **Francis Park, Saturday October 11, 2025,** from 1-5 p.m. Over 80 tasting and vendor stations will line the banks of The Lily Pond, featuring local, regional and national craft breweries, distilleries and wineries.

General Admission Tickets are \$55 advance/\$65 day-of-event and are one sale now! **Buy Tickets**! Admission includes unlimited beer & food tastings while supplies last and a keepsake commemorative glass. Again this year - for guests who want more than a tasting, a select number of food vendors will have full size servings available for purchase.