



EVERY FRIDAY NOTE

SEPTEMBER 21, 2018

Our Savior Lutheran School
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Calendar

September 23 [Christian Vocation and Lutheran Schools](#)
Bible Study at Church at 9:40am

September 24 5-6 grade field trip to Camp Pandalouan

September 26 5-6 grade sings for Matins

September 28 7-8 grade field trip to ArtPrize
Pastor Wolfmueller's presentation on
at 7pm at school.
Popcorn Friday

October 1-5 Spirit Week

October 2 Girls home basketball games at 4pm and 6pm

October 4 Picture Day

October 5 Dessert Wars and Dancing 6:15pm

Visit our [online calendar](#) to find out what's happening at OSLS. www.oursavior-gr.org/school

Announcements

Town Hall Meeting Update

The School Board would like to thank the parents and students who came to the Town Hall Meeting on Monday evening. The Board is thankful that so many opinions were shared. Board members will continue to discuss possible changes to the dress code and will keep the OSLS community informed.

Accreditation Presentation

Join us at school on Sunday September 23 at 9:40am to celebrate the school's reaccreditation. Mr. Chuck Winterstein, Michigan District Assistant Superintendent, will be there to award our school the new certificate.

Praying for our Children

Please join us at 7pm on Friday, September 28 for Pastor Bryan Wolfmueller's presentation on "Praying for our Children". Please RSVP to the [Facebook event](#) or by calling the office.

Picture Day

River Leaf Photography will again be taking our school pictures. Photos will be taken outside (weather-permitting). Students' legs may be visible in one of the photographs. Please have students wear appropriate tops and pants/skirts for the photo.

Matins Choir Schedule

September 26	5-6 grade
October 3	Voce Solida
October 10	3-4 grade

Matins Offering

First Trimester offerings will go to support the work of Wellspring Lutheran Services.

Monday Math Madness

Students in grades 5-8 are invited to stay after school on Mondays from 3:40-4:30pm to work on math with Miss Gansberg. Students may stay for all or part of the time. Miss Gansberg will be available for questions. She can reteach lessons, work on practice skills, and help check homework. Questions? Please contact Miss Gansberg .

Learn By Heart

The Eighth Commandment and Meaning

You shall not give false testimony against your neighbor. *What does this mean?* We should fear and love God so that we do not tell lies about our neighbor, betray him, slander him, or hurt his reputation, but defend him, speak well of him, and explain everything in the kindest way.

Romans 5:8 but God shows his love for us in that while we were still sinners, Christ died for us.

Library

All books are due Tuesday, September 25. Students, if you have not finished your book by that date, please bring it to library on Wednesday, September 26 to renew your title.

Resource Connection

Greetings! My name is Mrs. Van Eck., and I am the Resource Teacher at Our Savior Lutheran School. I work for Lutheran Special Education Ministries, based in Farmington Hills, MI. I am scheduled to be working at Our Savior Monday, Tuesday, and Wednesday morning.. My plan is to walk alongside you as parents and to hopefully be a resource to you as well.

While it still feels like summer, the first few weeks of school have already gone by. The students have had to make a huge adjustment to their routines. A consistent daily schedule, especially during the school week, helps all students to order and organize their lives, which then helps with learning and growing. Here is a link to an article that may be helpful for establishing routines at home: <https://bit.ly/2pdpMDR>

I am thankful for the opportunity to work alongside you and the school as we work together to develop the talents that God has given your children. If you'd like to contact me regarding learning issues and your child I can be reached at bvaneck@oursavior-gr.org.

PTL

International Walk to School Day

OSLS is looking forward to participating in this world-wide event. International Walk to School Day will be Wednesday, Oct. 10. We will be starting again this year at Calvin College. We will meet at 8:00am. Permission slips are attached to this week's EFN. Extra forms may be found in the office. Parents are needed to walk with the students. Please contact a PTL officer (ptl@oursavior-gr.org) if you can help.

Popcorn Friday

The first Popcorn Friday is September 28.

Mum Sale

Thank you to all of you who supported the PTL mum sale this week. We were able to provide teachers with gift cards for classroom supplies because of your generosity. We hope the mums were the perfect addition to your fall decorating!

Doors open at 6pm

Goal:\$30,000 for New Administrative Offices remodel

Tickets: \$15 pre-register/\$20 at the door

Tickets include heavy appetizers and one drink ticket.

Appetizers include: fajitas, chips/queso, fruit, veggies, hummus, cheese and crackers, and desserts.

Pre-register at <https://bit.ly/2QdXO7v> or by calling the school office.

Free childcare available for children ages 1-10.

There will be activities, movie, pizza, and snacks.

You MUST register by November 1 at <https://bit.ly/2NvclYj> or by call the school office.

Please like our Facebook event page for the ThanksGIVING Auction!

We are still seeking donations and volunteers. We need volunteers to help with check-in, check-out, set up/tear down. Have an item to donate? Want to make a donation? Thinking about volunteering? Please contact Mrs. Jen Havemeier.

Girls Basketball

<http://www.oursavior-gr.org/school/athletics/calendar/>

Schedule for the week

Monday: practice 3:45-5:15pm

Tuesday: AWAY games at Holy Trinity Wyoming

4pm Our Savior vs Holy Trinity

5pm Our Savior vs Tri Unity

6pm Holy Trinity vs Tri-Unity

Thursday: practice 3:45-5:15pm

West Michigan Lutheran High

West Michigan Lutheran will present its annual back to school Family Movie Night on Friday, September 21. This year's film is Monsters, Inc. This is a free event that includes themed activities, snack, photo booth, prizes and the "Monster, Inc." movie. The doors open at 6:00pm. Bring the whole family for a fun-filled evening.



ThanksGIVING Auction 2018 at Our Savior Lutheran School
November 10, 2018