



# THE PANTHER PRESS

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## Connected to Christ

**He is the Vine; we are the branches!**

- Thank you to everyone that donated snacks this week! Thank-you for everyone that brought in bean bags for gym this week! The kids enjoyed this! Thank you Nicole Nelson and Monica Pavich for your help this week on National Lutheran Schools Week activities.
- **School choir**, preschool - 8th, will sing at **St. James Northrop** this Sunday, Jan. 28, at the 8:30 am service. There will be a **pancake breakfast** following the service until noon. Hope to see you there!
- **Grandparents day** was amazing! Thank-you to everyone who came.
- **Accreditation visit** will take place Wed-Fri, Jan. 31-Feb. 1. This is a big deal, and we ask for your prayers: for safe travels for the visiting team, for the staff as they prepare for this very important visit, and for a successful end report.

## Mrs. Henry's

### Preschool Classroom

- We had such an amazing National Lutheran Schools Week! Thanks to Mrs. Schoen and the committee for all their hard work!
- To close out NLSW, Preschool is invited to sing at St. James Lutheran Church on Sunday, January 28th at 8:30 am followed by a pancake breakfast. Please join us!
- We very much enjoyed the warmer temperatures and some outside playtime!
- We enjoyed playing Bean Bags and Scooters in the Gym.
- We reviewed Jesus in the temple as our Bible Story and talked about caring for others out of love for them.
- We played a lot of games this week like matching, trouble, Don't Break the Ice, and some fun sorting activities!
- Please continue to remember winter gear to play outside when we can! Hopefully we'll get some fresh snow.

## Mrs. Schoen's

### Kindergarten Classroom

- It's that time of year to remember coats, hats, gloves, snow boots, snow pants, etc. Please label all snow gear!
- Our new words this week were: with & he. We were working on the letters R & F. Please continue working on reading color words at home as well!
- When your child is absent they need to do their homework that they missed and return it back to school within 2 days of being absent please.
- Please text me before 8:00 when your child is going to be absent, needs to leave school early, or will be late to school.
- Please work on counting to 100 and identifying numbers 0-100.
- We had a fun week celebrating National Lutheran Schools Week. I appreciate everyone that helped me this week.
- We are "Connected to Christ!"

## Upcoming Events

<b>SUNDAY 1/28:</b>	Students sing @ SJL 8:30am BOCE Pancake Breakfast 10am-Noon
<b>TUESDAY 1/30:</b>	Chapel @ 8:40am
<b>WED 1/31-FRI 2/2:</b>	<b>Accreditation Team Visit</b>
<b>WEDNESDAY 1/31:</b>	Chapel @ 8:40am
<b>THURSDAY 2/1:</b>	Chapel @ 8:40am

## January Basketball Games



- \*1/25: **HOME @ SPLT** vs GHECT A girls, A boys 4:30pm
- \*1/25: **HOME** vs SJV B girls, B boys 5:00pm
- 1/26-27: *Immanuel Lakefield Tournament* A girls, A boys TBA
- 1/29: **HOME** vs SPL Truman B girls, B boys 4:00pm
- 1/30: **HOME** vs Trinity Janesville – B girls, B boys, A girls, A boys 4:00pm

\* Changes from original schedule

The mission of St. James Ev. Lutheran Church & School is to learn, teach, live, and proclaim the truth of eternal life through faith in Jesus Christ our Savior as revealed in God's Word.

## Mrs. Koeritz's 1st & 2nd Grade Classroom

- What a fun Lutheran Schools Week! Congratulations to Freyr for being the Rock/Paper/Scissors school champion!
- Our unit reading assessment is complete.
- 1st grade math? Give your child any number between 10 and 90. Have them tell you what is one more, one less, ten more, and ten less than that number!
- 2nd grade math? Subtracting larger numbers!
- We've enjoyed our virtual mission trip to Australia. We made koala bears for our art project.
- **Spelling:** The next spelling list will be sent home Monday, Jan. 29th, with the test on Friday, Feb. 2nd.
- **Memory:** Ask your child to recite the letter 'P': Praise the Lord! O give thanks to the Lord for He is good. His steadfast love endures forever. Psalm 106:1
- We are "Connected to Christ!"

## Mrs. Wolter's 3rd & 4th Grade Classroom

- We have been having so much fun with National Lutheran School's Week! Thanks to the committee for all the fun activities and hard work!
- Thank you to Ava's family for donating water bottles!
- The third quarter has begun! New Accelerated Reader goals have been set! Please have your child read every night!
- We have now learned 32 states and capitals.
- Third graders will be reading smaller books for a while to practice their comprehension and finding the answers in the text!
- Fourth graders are enjoying ***Terror at the Zoo***, by Peg Kehret.
- Something EVERYONE can practice is their multiplication facts!!
- We are "Connected to Christ!" In this new year, let's work to stay connected to Christ!

Check out the website [sjlnorthrop.com](http://sjlnorthrop.com) for the school calendar, monthly menus and copies of the Panther Press.

## Mrs. Meyer's 5th & 6th Grade Classroom

- **NATIONAL LUTHERAN SCHOOLS WEEK** has been a blast! We have had so much fun celebrating Jesus every day! Thank you to everyone who helped to make it happen! :)
- Movie Party tomorrow! Each child can bring a personal beverage to drink during the movie. They can also bring a blanket and/or pillow.
- We sing in church this Sunday and there's a pancake breakfast to follow! :)
- Children who have not completed the addition mad minutes, will use **5 minutes of recess to study flashcards**. Keep practicing! Both flashcards and IXL are great ways to study. :)
- Quarter 3 Accelerated Reader Goals have been set! Please encourage your child to read at home!
- We are "**Connected to Christ!**"

### ATTENTION!

For the safety of our students, doors to the school and church must remain locked during school hours. Please use the doorbell at the church doors to get someone to let you in.

*Weather Related Announcements can be found on our Facebook page, KEYC (TV Channel 12, website, facebook) or KFMC/KSUM (106.5FM), in addition to teachers sending text messages to parents. If you are interested, KEYC has an option for notifications for any organization you chose. Download the KEYC News Now app on your phone, go to Settings and choose Closings, then scroll down to St James Lutheran - Northrop.*



**No birthdays  
this week**



# Breakfast Menu 2024

St. James Lutheran School  
Northrop;  
MarySue Ringeisen, Cook


Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri
<p>5) Cereal Yogurt cup Banana Milk</p>	<p>6) PBJ Uncrustable Snack Bag Slushy Cup Milk</p>	<p>7) Apple Oatmeal Round Cheese Stick Gel Cup Milk</p>	<p>1) Breakfast Burrito Granola Bar Juice Box Milk</p>	<p>2) Muffin Goldfish Mango Applesauce Milk</p>
<p>12) Strawberry Bar Snack Bag Banana Milk</p>	<p>13) Apple Frudel Goldfish Raisins Milk</p>	<p>14) Donut Yogurt Cup Fresh Fruit Milk</p>	<p>15) Breakfast Burrito Graham Snack Juice Box Milk</p>	<p>16) Muffin Granola Bar Berry Applesauce Milk</p>
<p>19) <b>NO SCHOOL</b></p>	<p>20) Cereal Snack Bags Banana Milk</p>	<p>21) PBJ Uncrustable Cheese Stick Slushy Cup Milk</p>	<p>22) Apple Churro Yogurt Gel Cup Milk</p>	<p>23) Rice Krispie Bar Vegie Snack Fresh Fruit Milk</p>
<p>26) Snack'n Waffle Granola Bar Banana Milk</p>	<p>27) Strawberry Bar Snack Bag Mango Applesauce Milk</p>	<p>28) Apple Frudel Goldfish Raisins Milk</p>	<p>29) Donut Cheese Stick Fresh Fruit Milk</p>	

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# FEBRUARY

# Lunch Menu 2024

**St. James Lutheran School**  
Northrop:  
MarySue Ringeisen, Cook

Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri
<p><b>5)</b> Chicken Fajita Lettuce-Cheese Onions-Peppers Tortilla Shell Mandarin Oranges</p>	<p><b>6)</b> Hamburger Hotdish Peas Bread Mixed Fruit</p>	<p><b>7)</b> Hot dog on bun Baked beans Vegetable Slices Applesauce</p>	<p><b>1)</b> Pizza Lettuce salad Vegetable Slices Pineapple Dessert</p>	<p><b>2)</b> Sliced Turkey Mashed potatoes w/gravy Sliced Carrots Bread Berry Blend</p>
<p><b>12)</b> Chicken Noodle Hotdish Green Beans Dinner Roll Pineapple</p>	<p><b>13)</b> BBQ Riblet on bun Oven Fries Sliced Carrots Mandarin Oranges</p>	<p><b>14)</b> Taco salad Lettuce~tomato~cheese Tortilla Chips Berry Blend</p>	<p><b>15)</b> Chicken &amp; Rice Soup Ham Sandwich Crackers Baby Carrots Apple Slices</p>	<p><b>9)</b> Cheesy Chicken on bun Rice Blend California Blend Veg Pears</p>
<p><b>19) NO SCHOOL</b>  Presidents Day</p>	<p><b>20)</b> Chili w/beans or Hamburger Hotdish Vegetable Slices Crackers Applesauce Cinnamon Roll</p>	<p><b>21)</b> Chicken Patty on bun Mac &amp; Cheese Green Beans Peaches</p>	<p><b>22)</b> Sloppy joe on bun Oven Fries Mixed Vegetables Pears</p>	<p><b>16)</b> Tator Tot Hotdish Corn Bread Mixed Fruit</p>
<p><b>26)</b> Ham Augratin potatoes Green Beans Bread Mandarin Oranges</p>	<p><b>27)</b> Pulled Pork on bun Mashed Potatoes Sliced carrots Berry Blend</p>	<p><b>28)</b> Chicken Stir Fry Rice Krispie Noodles Oriental Vegetables Apple Slices</p>	<p><b>29)</b> Hamburger on bun Baked Beans Vegetable Salad Potato Chips Mixed Fruit</p>	<p><b>23)</b> Mini Corndogs Sour Cream Potatoes Peas Pineapple</p>
				<p><b>All Meals Include 1% or Skim Milk</b></p>

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