



# THE PANTHER PRESS

January 30, 2025



## Standing Firm in Jesus

Take Up the Whole Armor of God

- **School choir, grades K-8, will sing** in church at Zion Fraser on Sunday, Feb. 2nd, at the 10:00 service. As a courtesy, Mrs. K would appreciate a message ahead of time if you are unable to attend due to sickness or activities at your own church. Thanks.
- **Thank-You** to the National Lutheran Schools Week Committee for helping this week. It was a fun week for all!
- Thank you to all the parents that came to the arena and helped tie the skates.
- Thank you to all the people that donated yummy treats for National Lutheran Schools Week; they were very yummy!
- **Free Passes:** Mrs. Koeritz has 5 passes available to the MN Children's Museum in St. Paul. They expire 5/31/25 and are good for both adult and child admission. Be the first to let me know and they are yours.
- We are halfway through kindergarten already. Students already know the alphabet and should identify numbers 0-20!
- Please continue to work on counting to 100 with your child and rhyming words. We have been working on subtracting numbers this week in math and the kids have been doing amazing with this!
- **Students need to continue working on reading their sight words and color words!**
- Our new words this week are: he & with. We are focusing on the letters "F & R" in reading and reviewing all the letters and their sounds.
- We have learned how to read the words: I, can, the, we, see, a, to, go, you, do, my, are, he & with.
- Standing firm in Jesus!

## Mrs. Schoen's

### Kindergarten Classroom

## Mrs. Koeritz's

### 1st & 2nd Grade Classroom

- **Mrs. Henry's  
Preschool Classroom**
- We are so blessed to have a wonderful Lutheran school to attend!
- Happy National Lutheran Schools week!
- Keenan will represent our class in the Rock, Paper, Scissors competition.
- We loved Greg the Great's magic show! It was wonderful!
- Thanks parents for sending in coins and donations for the penny war! Our preschool jar was nearly full at this time of writing this! Hopefully, we win!
- We are so blessed to have all of you here at our school. Each child that attends our school is loved and important! We have had so much fun celebrating our many blessings this week!!
- What a fun week! Thanks to all who helped with the planning!
- Hudson will represent Grades 1&2 in the rock/paper/scissors championship!
- Report cards were sent home today in the take home folder. Please review them and don't hesitate to contact me with any questions.
- The 100th day of school should land on Thursday, Feb. 6. Get ready for some fun activities involving ONE HUNDRED!
- We've learned so much about Kenya during our online mission trip adventure. Ask your child about it!
- Spelling: The next spelling list will come home Monday, Feb. 3, with the test being on Friday, Feb. 7.
- Memory Verse **R: "Rejoice in the Lord always, and again I say rejoice!"**
- Stand firm in Jesus!

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. Wolter's 3rd & 4th Grade Classroom

- Thank you to the National Lutheran School's Week Committee for all the fun we had this week! God has surely blessed our school with awesome parents, students, and teachers!!
- Welcome, Welcome Grandparents and Special friends TOMORROW! We look forward to playing BINGO with you!
- Please make sure to dress appropriately for going outside! We will be going outside as much as possible!
- Our hundredth day of school is next week Thursday!! Wow! Time flies!
- Mid-Quarter is already next Friday! Make sure your child is reading to get their halfway points for Accelerated Reader.
- Please talk to your child about the Fine Arts Festival. Would they like to play their instrument, sing, or do an oral reading?
- We are up to 33 STATES!
- Test tomorrow on Unit 4 Week 1.
- Standing firm in **JESUS!**



Feb 2<sup>nd</sup>: Hudson Howe  
5<sup>th</sup>: Myla Murphy

### Basketball Game Schedule

2/3: HOME 4:30 B Girls, 5:30 B Boys  
2/6: HOME 4:30 B Girls, 5:30 B Boys  
2/7-8: SPL Fmt Tourney B Boys & Girls



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

- **National Lutheran Schools Week** has been a blast!!! Thank you to the committee for all of their hard work and fun ideas! What a blessing to be able to learn about JESUS everyday!!!
- **Grandparents day** will be on Friday January 31st, beginning at 8:20 in the fellowship hall, and ending about 11:00.
- Hopefully your **science project** is starting to look really good and your report is coming along. The Fine Arts Festival will be here before we know it!
- AR half ways points are DUE next Friday, February 7. Please encourage your child to read every evening! Thanks!
- Please have your child **study basic math facts!** Not very many students have passed a Mad Minute yet this year! They can go onto IXL to study, use flashcards, you can quiz them randomly in the car, or any other creative ways that might work for you. Thanks for your help! As the math problems become larger, it is important the students have the basic math facts memorized!
- Remember that your child can work on any of the math skills found on ixl.com Let me know if you need the username and password.
- The MLHS **Empower** group will be coming to speak with our class in the near future. The topic will be on "cutting down screen time and focusing on non-social media life."
- Standing Firm in **JESUS**

**PRAY**  
FOR SCHOOLS, TEACHERS & STUDENTS

**MARK**  
your CALENDARS!

Chapel weekly at 8:40am  
Tuesday, Wednesday & Thursday  
Please join us!

Friday 2/7: Mid-Quarter  
Monday 2/17: No School-President's Day  
Wednesday 2/19: BOCE Meeting  
Friday 2/28: 5/6th Step-Up Day @ MLHS



**WEATHER ALERT**

**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**. Call the office if you have any questions getting it set up.



# SJL February Breakfast Menu 2025

St. James Lutheran School  
Northrop;  
Mary Sue Ringeisen, Cook

Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri
<b>3)</b> Cereal Cheese Stick Fresh Fruit Milk	<b>4)</b> Nutri-grain Bar Snack Bag Wiggler Cup Milk	<b>5)</b> Bagel w/PB Goldfish Mango Sauce Milk	<b>6)</b> Blueberry Bread Vegetable Crackers Fresh Fruit Milk	<b>7)</b> Pancake Bites Yogurt Cup Slushie Cup Milk
<b>10)</b> Uncrustable Snack Bag Fresh Fruit Milk	<b>11)</b> French Toast Bar Cheeze Its Berry Sauce Milk	<b>12)</b> Snack'n Waffle Snack Bag Juice Box Milk	<b>13)</b> Apple Ring Donut Cheese Stick Fresh Fruit Milk	<b>14)</b> Cereal Bar Snack Bag Wiggler Cup Milk
<b>17)</b> <b>NO SCHOOL</b>	<b>18)</b> Cereal Yogurt Cup Fresh Fruit Milk	<b>19)</b> Bagel w/PB Snack Bag Mango Sauce Milk	<b>20)</b> Breakfast Croissant Chex Mix Fresh Fruit Milk	<b>21)</b> Blueberry Bread Snack Bag Slushie Cup Milk
<b>24)</b> Pancake Bites Cheese Stick Fresh Fruit Milk	<b>25)</b> Cereal Bar Snack Bag Berry Sauce Milk	<b>26)</b> French Toast Bar Yogurt Juice Box Milk	<b>27)</b> Donut Snack Bag Fresh Fruit Milk	<b>28)</b> Uncrustable Snack Bag Wiggler Cup Milk



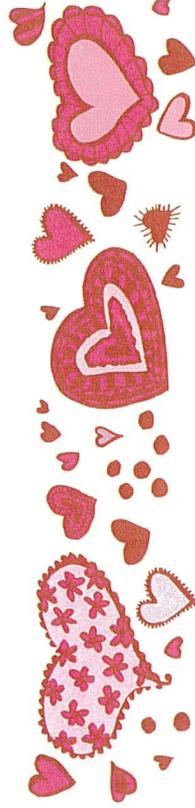
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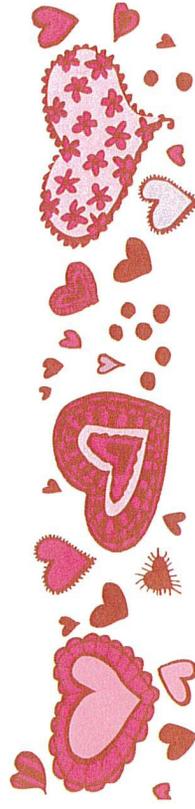
## SJL Lunch Menu 2025

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Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri
<b>3)</b> Pizza Lettuce salad Pineapple Dessert	<b>4)</b> BBQ Chicken on bun Hashbrown Bake Sliced Carrots Apple Slices	<b>5)</b> Creamed Chicken Brown Rice Peas Biscuit Mixed Berries	<b>6)</b> Hamburger on bun Baked Beans Potato Chips Vegetable Slices Mandarin Oranges	<b>7)</b> Pork Roast Mashed Potatoes w/gravy Corn Bread Mixed Fruit
<b>10)</b> Cheesy Chicken on bun Oven Fries Green Beans Pears	<b>11)</b> Shrimp Poppers Mashed Potatoes w/ gravy Mixed Vegetable Bread	<b>12)</b> Meat & Cheese Croissant Potato Chips Vegetable Slices Applesauce	<b>13)</b> Taco Salad Lettuce~tomato~cheese Tortilla Chips Spanish Rice Pineapple	<b>14)</b> Chicken Patty on bun Mac & Cheese Broccoli Apple Slices 
<b>17) NO SCHOOL</b> 	<b>18)</b> Sloppy Joe on bun Scalloped Potatoes Sliced Carrots Mixed Berries	<b>19)</b> Calico Beans or Hamburger Hotdish Corn Muffin Coleslaw Mandarin Oranges	<b>20)</b> Smoked Pork on bun Rice Blend Peas Mixed Fruit	<b>21)</b> Roast Beef Mashed Potatoes w/gravy Corn Bread Pears
<b>24)</b> Hotdog on bun Sr Cream & Chive Potatoes Baked Beans Peaches	<b>25)</b> Chicken Noodle Hotdish Green Beans Bread Pineapple	<b>26)</b> Potato & Ham Soup Turkey Sandwich Lettuce Salad Applesauce	<b>27)</b> Beef Stew Biscuit Vegetable Slices Apple Slices	<b>28)</b> Softshell Taco Lettuce~tomato~cheese Refried Beans Mixed Berries



**All Meals Include  
1% or Plant Milk**



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