

KNIGHTWATCH

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FROM THE PRINCIPAL . . .

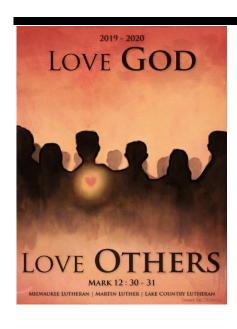
Love God with all your SOUL by ... baptizing all nations

This is the final theme verse specifically addressing the idea that we love God with all our soul. As our hearts as Christians are transformed and molded by the Holy Spirit in discipleship, we are also called into action. The clearest directive about our purpose as Christians who love God is laid out as Jesus prepares to leave Earth to return to Heaven.

Go therefore and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit. Matthew 28:19

We love God – who desires that all people come to a knowledge of Him – by faithfully working to carry out this mission. For many of us, we believe that this is best left to the "professionals" – that pastors need to work extra hard to make sure that God's work is being accomplished. And yet, when I read this section of Scripture, Jesus' words are pointed at his disciples – not one of whom was a priest or formal religious leader. The truth is that each of us is called to this responsibility. His words are directed at me.

Through our actions. In our words. Within our relationships. We are called to teach and baptize others into the family of Jesus Christ. Not only does this show our love of God, but when done in proper motivation, becomes the greatest example of loving our neighbor. May we be courageous enough to love others with all our soul by carrying out His critical work.



UPCOMING EVENTS...

10/31 Open House #2, 6:00-8:00 pm

11/1 Senior Yearbook Portraits DUE!

11/1 & 2 Fall Play, *A Raisin in the Sun,* 7:00 pm 11/3 Fall Play, *A Raisin in the Sun,* 2:00 pm

11/8 12 Week Progress Reports

11/9 Craft Fair & Bake Sale

ATTENDANCE PROCEDURES . . .

REPORTING A STUDENT ABSENT OR LATE Absences must be reported to the Attendance Office by email **attendance@milwaukeelutheran.org OR (414) 461-6062** by 9 AM on the day of the absence.

EARLY RELEASE If you need to have your student released early, please
Email attendance@milwaukeelutheran.org or call the attendance office (414) 461-6062 AT LEAST

ONE HOUR IN ADVANCE. Last minute calls may result in a delayed dismissal.

<u>GETTING A MESSAGE TO A STUDENT</u> If you need to get a message to a student please email <u>attendance@milwaukeelutheran.org</u> OR call (414) 461-6062 and a message will be sent to the student through student mail.

Please note that due to the large volume of calls and activity in the attendance office you may have to leave a message. Messages are checked often and the call will be handled accordingly.

Thank you for your assistance in this matter!

ACADEMIC ADVISING . . .

STUDENT/COUNSELOR ASSIGNMENTS:

CUCINELLO: Freshmen E. JANOUSKY: Sophomores

OECHSNER: Juniors & Seniors - Career STEINKE: Juniors & Seniors - College

L. KOEBERT: Transition

FRIDAY, Nov. 8: 12 Week Progress Reports



OFFICE of SCHOOL CULTURE/Dean of Students

If Jesus is the Lord of your <u>life</u>, then He is also the Lord of your <u>lips</u>; (and Facebook, and Instagram, and Snapchat, and phone texts).

"Whoever guards his mouth preserves his life; he who opens wide his lips, comes to ruin." Proverbs 13:3

My mother was fond of using the old maxim, "Sticks and stones may break my bones, but words will never hurt me." It may have been true back then, and maybe still is, at least in the physical sense, but now the devil has upped his game. Words you would probably never say to a person directly, are now typed and sent without a moment's hesitation. Students are using their own social media accounts to self-destruct. Friendships are destroyed; grades fall; reputations become tarnished, all in the name of being "cool" or staying "lit." Based on the number of students who pass through our offices after being "hurt" by the words of a text message, I would say that Satan is smiling and winning the social media war.

It is our school culture to love one another in "thoughts, words, and deeds." Students struggle with the peer pressures of social media, and the need to believe every word that is texted must be true. The other fallacy is that you need to respond in kind to every message sent. Again, Satan is smiling.

The fifth of our core values is LOVE. We strive to emulate Christ's love for others in all school situations. Even in discipline we find opportunities to show compassion, joy, and care for our students. We enforce our discipline policies because we love, not because we have a need to punish students. "The Lord disciplines the one he loves and chastises every son/daughter whom he receives." Heb. 12:6. Law and Gospel are intertwined in each of our policies.

Social media can be a great tool for good if used appropriately. Embrace the culture of love and forgiveness and then text away.



Counselor

ADMISSIONS...

Important Upcoming Dates for the Class of 2024:

Online Applications Open for the Class of 2024: October 1, 2019 Open House #2 -Thursday, October 31, 2019 from 6-8pm







October 4, 2019

Dear Parents,

Greetings in the name of Jesus!

The Wisconsin Department of Public Instruction ask that schools hold meetings at which members of the governing body of the school will be present and at which all pupils and the parents or guardians of all pupils attending the school may meet and communicate with board members. We would like to offer our families a chance to meet the board members of The Lutheran High School Association of Greater Milwaukee and provide a Q&A session for interested persons before a regularly scheduled board meeting. There have been two meetings set aside for this purpose:

- Thursday– November 14, 2019 from 6:00-6:30pm (Martin Luther HS Student Study Center) Martin Luther HS is located at: 5201 S. 76th Street, Greendale, WI
- Thursday March 26, 2020 from 6:00-6:30pm (Martin Luther HS Student Study Center)
 Martin Luther HS is located at: 5201 S. 76th Street, Greendale, WI

There is no requirement to attend these meetings, this is simply an invitation to meet the board members and ask questions if you so desire.

Wishing you and your family God's richest blessings,

MILWAUKEE LUTHERAN HIGH SCHOOL 414-461-6000 (EXT. 242)

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STUDENT ACTIVITIES . . .

MOVIE NIGHT: Tonight, Student Council will be hosting their first-ever Movie Night in the MLHS Gym! The event will run from 7-9:30pm, and it is free to attend! Our feature film will be Space Jam! Popcorn and water will be available for purchase. We will also have a bake sale, with all proceeds going towards Prom 2020. No food or drink carry-ins will be allowed.

VOLLEYBALL TOURNAMENT: On Tuesday, November 5th, from 4-6pm, Student Council will be hosting a volleyball tournament to support Prom 2020. Find your friends and create a team of 6 to compete against your classmates! The cost is \$2 per person. Prizes will be awarded. Teams will be able to sign up with Mrs. Radewahn next week Monday – Thursday. Sign-up early, as space is limited!



ATHLETICS . . .

Milwaukee Lutheran Athletics Week of October 28th to November 2nd:

Please refer to our website for Athletic events: www.RedKnightAthletics.org

*** Winter Sports registration is now open. ***

Please go to redknightathletics.org to register your athlete. All athletes should be registered before the first day of practice. If your athlete played a Fall sport you will still need to register them on-line for their winter sport. The Athletic office will upload the physicals for athletes that played a Fall sport. Thanks and GO RED KNIGHTS!!

RED KNIGHT TRAP SHOOTING TEAM: Are you interested in becoming a member of the Red Knight Trapshooting Team? Join us for a "Open House" out at the Waukesha Gun Club (N22W23170 Watertown Road, Waukesha, WI 53188) on Sunday October 27th, 2019 at 2:00 pm. Meet some team members, learn about the team and maybe even break a clay target or two! If you are a current student at Milwaukee Lutheran, Lake Country Lutheran, or Martin Luther High School or any current 7th or 8th grade student that attends one of our Lutheran High School "feeder schools" we encourage you to attend or if you need more information please contact H.C. Brad Patterson (414-254-0521 or bspatterson@yahoo.com)



CURRENT NEWS. .

NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY: On October 15th, the NHS chapter of National Honor Society was privileged to inducted 20 new members. From the **class of 2020**: Brittnie Colbert, Jennifer Hernandez, Shimea Kirkendoll, Olurotimi Ladiende, and Niyla Phillips. From the **class of 2021**: Lydia Baas, Tianna Barnes, Naomi Bell, Joie Bouy, Aaron Everett, Kevin Huynh, Tyesha James, Carlito Johnson, Kathleen Knight, Sa'Nya Landingham, Taylor McKibbins, Phuong Uyen Nguyen, Deavion Nicholas-Long, Jasmine Pula, and Amanda Steinke.

The Milwaukee Lutheran NHS is led by President Carlos Sanchez, Vice-president Jasmine Bell, Secretary Ilsa Strelow, Volunteer Coordinator Janiya Seelow, Spiritual Life Chair N'Jame Kroupa, and Junior Exec Board members Aaron Everett, Sa'Nya Landingham, Phuong Uyen Nguyen, and Amanda Steinke.

Congratulations to new members and the NHS Exec Board!

WANT TO BUY AN AD IN THE YEARBOOK FOR YOUR SENIOR OR BUSINESS?

Do you want to shout out your senior son or daughter in the yearbook for them to remember for years to come? Or advertise your company/business for future prospects in high schoolers? You can purchase a full page, half, quarter, or even an eighth of a page, in full color. Contact Mrs. Tennies @ kkuehl@milwaukeelutheran.org for more information and the form to fill out. Yearbook ad deadline is January 11th, 2020.

Student Yearbooks

ORDERING INSTRUCTIONS

The price for student yearbooks this year is \$55 until November 1st. After November 1st, the price will go up to \$65. You must order your yearbook online and follow the below instructions:

- 1. Go to this website: www.jostenyearbooks.com
- 2. Choose/type in Milwaukee Lutheran as your school.
- 3. Once you have Milwaukee Lutheran chosen, go to the tab labeled, "2020 Yearbooks."
- 4. There are several options listed. Please choose the "Yearbook- \$55" option. There is also another option to add the "Signature Package". This is an extra cost but it includes: personalization, color autograph section, and colored markers for signing.
- 5. Add either option to your cart and follow the prompts to complete your order and proceed to checkout. You can add personalization & ICONS as well. Discounted price ends September 13th and includes 4 free icons if you choose to add personalization.
- 6. You can choose to spread out your payments for the yearbook. You will be able to make 3 equal payments over 3 months to help make the book more affordable if you choose to do so.

If you have any questions, please let me know!!!

Mrs. Tennies

SAVE THE DATE: Come and support the Milwaukee Lutheran choir and band programs as the Music Boosters host their annual Craft Fair and Bake Sale on November 9th from 9am-3pm! Jump-start your Christmas shopping with a wide selection of gift ideas: Jewelry * Artwork* Hand-sewn & Knit Crafts * Home Decor * Woodwork * Stained Glass * Natural Products * Homemade Jellies * Handstamped Metal * and much more! A variety of NEW vendors will be there as well as your favorites--over 65 booths! Shop at the Bake Sale where everything is deliciously homemade and enjoy a tasty lunch from concessions. Be sure to buy your raffle tickets too! Admission is only \$3 at the door.

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SENIOR PICTURES INFORMATION:

Seniors/ Senior parents, the ONE image you choose to be included in the yearbook must meet the dress code rules and requirements listed below and can be turned in by emailing the JPEG to Mrs. Tennies at kkuehl@milwaukeelutheran.org or by giving her a physical copy of the picture by **November 1st.**

Photo Preferences:

- ** Head and Shoulders Shot
- **Your photo MUST BE a Vertical Image
- ** No Black and White photos
- ** Traditional/Plain Background
- **JPEG format (at least 300 dpi)

Dress Code Rules:

- **No Midriff
- **No Cleavage
- **Modest Short/Skirt Length
- **No Hats
- **No Extreme hair color designs
- **No Clothing with offensive Message
- **Minimal ripped clothing
- **Minimal display of tattoos

NEW THIS YEAR: Ms. Pfenning and Mrs. Tennies will be offering our photography services for the seniors. For the low cost of \$25, we will gladly take your child's senior picture so they don't have their student ID as their senior picture. Please contact either one of us if you are interested in senior pictures taken before the deadline of **NOVEMBER 1**st.

ATTENTION ALL ARTISANS AND CRAFTERS: If you or someone you know is an artisan/crafter and would like to participate as a vendor in the Artisan Craft Fair, please contact mlhscraftfair@gmail.com or Abbie at 414-748-1041.

Click Here for FACEBOOK Craft Fair page

MLHS Music Boosters ARTISAN CRAFT FAIR & BAKE SAL NOVEMBER 9th · One-of-a-kind Gifts · Jewelry · Stained Glass · Home Décor 9am to 3pm Hand-sewn & Knit Crafts Artwork • Woodwork Milwaukee Lutheran Gym Soaps Candles 9700 W. Grantosa, Milwaukee Photography Only \$3 Admission · and more! Seeking More Artisans - Handmade Crafts & Goods! Please email mlhscraftfair@gmail.com for information!!

CURRENT NEWS CONTINUED...

EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY: Do you enjoy working with children? Are you looking for something part time during the day? Are you 16 years of age or older? We have just the position for you! Immanuel Lutheran Child Care in Brookfield, WI is currently hiring for part time positions in the child care. Hours can vary/be flexible. NO nights or weekends! We are open 6:30am to 6pm Monday through Friday. Call Cheryl at 262-781-7342 for more information!

EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY: Covenant Early Childhood Center, 8121 W Hope Ave., Milwaukee, is currently seeking certified early childhood teachers to work in our child care center on a part-time basis, 10-20 hours per week. Duties would include caring for children from infants to four-year-olds. Hours can vary depending on the day, between 6 a.m. and 6 p.m. If you have any questions or are interested in an interview, please contact Marcia at covenantkids1@sbcglobal.net or 414-438-9712.

<u>CONCESSION STAND HELP NEEDED:</u> The concession stand is looking for new parent volunteers! If this is an area you are looking to serve MLHS, please send your information to Stephanie Bahr at: sbahr@milwaukeelutheran.org. Shifts are 2 hours and are open for upcoming Varsity football and volleyball matches.

DO YOU WANT TO MAKE A DIFFERENCE AT MLHS? Come and join us, a group of Moms of ML students, as we pray for staff and students. In John 14:13-14 we read, "And I will do whatever you ask in my name, so that the Son may bring glory to the Father. You may ask me for anything in My name, and I will do it." Please feel free, Moms, Dads, and anyone who wants to pray, to join us. We meet from 8:00-8:45 am in Room 210 every Friday that school is in session. Stay as long as you are able. For questions or more information, please call or text Julie Goodman at (414) 731-7890 or Trish Kirkendoll at (414) 406-2275.

PREPARE FOR THE FUTURE: Milwaukee Lutheran is humbled and proud to be able to "serve and set up for success" students and families from literally across the globe! Planning for the future is another powerful way for us to serve! We are pleased to connect MLHS families, alumni, and friends with free will preparation services with a certified professional. Click here to learn more about this free planning service, now available! http://www.milwaukeelutheran.org/willpreparation



MONDAY, Oct. 28 – Chicken Drummies, Baked Potato TUESDAY, Oct. 29 – Cheeseburger, Hash Brown WEDNESDAY, Oct. 30 – Egg Rolls, Chicken Fried Rice THURSDAY, Oct. 31– Spaghetti, Bosco Sticks FRIDAY, Nov. 1 – No School, Prof. Development MONDAY, Nov. 4 – Brat, Hot Dog, Fries TUESDAY, Nov. 5 – Chicken Alfredo, Mini Mozz. Breadsticks WEDNESDAY, Nov. 6 – Chicken Tenders, Tator Tots THURSDAY, Nov. 7– BBQ Ribs, Hash Brown FRIDAY, Nov. 8 – Pizza

CURRENT NEWS CONTINUED...

IF YOU ARE INTERESTED IN ANY OF THE POSITIONS BELOW,

Please contact Jessie Taylor in Human Resources at jtaylor@lhsagm.org .



Milwaukee Lutheran High School

- Cafeteria Assistant: Server/Dishwasher/Prep -11:30AM-2:15PM - School Year
- Bus Driver: Variable hours School Year
- Dance/Poms Head Coach: Girls

Martin Luther High School

- Cafeteria Assistant: Register/baking/prep -10:15AM-2:15PM - School Year
- · Head Soccer Coach: Girls
- Head JV Baseball Coach

Lake Country Lutheran High School

- Administrative Assistant Full-Time Year Round
- Light Duty Cleaning Specialist: 3PM-7PM Year Round
- Part-Time Cafeteria Register Attendant: 3-4 hours per weekday during lunch periods - School Year
- Bus Driver: Variable hours School Year



Association Office

Executive/HR Assistant: Full-Time Year Round

<u>PARKING LOT SAFETY:</u> For the safety of all our students and parents, please find below a few reminders about dropping off/picking up your student(s) in the morning and after school.

- 1. When picking up after school, please DO NOT park between the orange cones. This area is designated for the buses.
- 2. When dropping off in the morning, you may pull up next to the canopy or next to the parking lot. Please DO NOT stop in the middle of the driveway this causes congestion.
- 3. Please drive slowly at all times and watch for pedestrians crossing.
- 4. Please use extra caution between 7:40am to 7:50am.

"THANK YOU FOR BEING A COURTEOUS AND SAFE DRIVER"

