

# **KNIGHTWATCH**

#### November 10, 2017





Adam Kirsch

## FROM THE PRINCIPAL . . .

### **Resist Satan and his Schemes**

Since Adam & Eve lived in the Garden of Eden, mankind has struggled with resisting temptation. The effects of this struggle are illustrated in Scripture and witnessed throughout history. Satan has been a very real and powerful presence in this world. Through the enticement of earthly pursuits and pleasures, Satan has continually attempted to lure individuals away from Christ. Through our theme this year, we recognize that we don't simply "Stand Firm" against the world, but we must also "Stand Firm" against our own flesh and the temptations we face. The internal pressures are often greater than the external challenges.

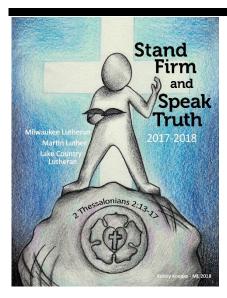
The Book of James, shares the scheming process used by Satan to prey upon everyone's unique temptations. When tempted, no one should say, "God is tempting me." For God cannot be tempted by evil, nor does he tempt anyone; but each one is dragged away and enticed. Then, after desire has conceived, it gives birth to sin, and sin, when it is full-grown, gives birth to death. (James 1:13-15)

Essentially, the temptations that we face are based on our own desires. When enticed by those desires, we can allow it to blossom into sinful behaviors. Ultimately, that sin results in death.

We must stand firm and resist the schemes of Satan. Submit yourselves, then to God. Resist the devil, and he will flee from you. Come near to God and he will come near to you. (James 4:7-8) As we engage in the Word of God, He is able to help us resist the work of the evil one.

Martin Luther, wrote a famous hymn that became an anthem for the Reformation, but ultimately speaks about our battle against the temptations of this world. In verse three of *A Mighty Fortress is Our God*, Luther uses these words to speak of our challenge, but also the victory that Christ has won on the cross over evil. By His death, Jesus has ensured that we don't face the consequence of death for our sin. May we be confident in our Savior who has overcome evil and helps us to Stand Firm and resist the schemes of Satan. *Though devils all the world should fill, All eager to devour us*.

We tremble not, we fear no ill, They shall not overpower us. This world's prince may still. Scowl fierce as he will, He can harm us none, He's judged; the deed is done; One little world can fell him.



## UPCOMING EVENTS ....

11/11 Craft Fair, 9:00 - 3:00 pm

- 11/17 EARLY RELEASE, 12:30 pm \*\*calendar change\*\* See Academic Advising below for details.
- 11/22 11/24 Thanksgiving Break
- 12/3 Choir Concert, 4:00 pm

## ATTENDANCE PROCEDURES . . .

Absences must be reported to the Attendance Office at (414) 461-6062 or <u>attendance@milwaukeelutheran.org</u> by a parent/guardian prior to 9am on the day of the absence. A written excuse must also be submitted to the Attendance Office on the day the student returns to school.

# ACADEMIC ADVISING . . .

### **STUDENT/COUNSELOR ASSIGNMENTS:**

WAUGH: Freshman A-Q CUCINELLO: Freshman R-Z, Transition OECHSNER: Sophomores, Juniors & Seniors A-L, Career BAHR: Sophomores, Juniors & Seniors M-Z, College

### EARLY RELEASE - Friday, November 17th at 12:30 pm

**Freshmen, Sophomores, and Juniors** will be completing a practice ACT Exam. This exam will help prepare students for the spring exam and identify areas where improvements can be made. **Seniors** will be attending a personal finance seminar.

The ACT is one of the most important keys to open the doors of success for your child. It will determine their ability for college readiness, open the doors to which colleges they qualify for, and also greater increase their chances and amounts of college scholarships. At Milwaukee Lutheran we want to prepare our students as best as we possibly can for this test. It is our goal to expose them to this ACT multiple times so that they can increase their confidence and skills to do their best.

Seniors will still be required to attend school that day. They will be attending a personal finance seminar from the start of school until 12:30 PM

### JUNIORS AND SENIORS – Now is the time to start thinking about

COLLEGE!! The following colleges will be visiting our school in the near future. You MUST obtain a pass from Mrs. Dummann in the Advising Office at least 2 days prior to the college visit and get the signature of the teacher whose class you will miss. MATC Promise: Tuesday, December 12<sup>th</sup>, 9:00-10:00 am, RK room or cafeteria



Mike Waugh Assistant Principal Of Academics

# ADMISSIONS...

## MILWAUKEE LUTHERAN HIGH SCHOOL

## Important Admissions Dates For the Class of 2022

Prospective Student Open Houses

**Elementary Visitation Day** 

**Placement Exams** 

**Application Process Begins** 

Milwaukee Parental Choice Enrollment Periods

Freshmen Registration & Course Selection Nights October 5, 2017 October 30, 2017

**October 6, 2017** 

October 14, 2017 November 18, 2017 December 16, 2017 January 20, 2018 February 17, 2018

October 2, 2017

February 1 -20, 2018 March 1 – 20, 2018

March 12, 2018 April 9, 2018 May 6, 2018 6:00-8:00PM 6:00-8:00PM

10:00AM - 1:00PM

8:30AM – 12:00Noon 8:30AM – 12:00Noon 8:30AM – 12:00Noon 8:30AM – 12:00Noon 8:30AM – 12:00Noon

Apply online @ Milwaukeelutheran.org Admissions/Online APP

MPCP Students Apply online at dpi.wi.gov/sms/choice-programs

By Appointment Contact Advising

Milwaukee Lutheran High School 9700 W. Grantosa Drive Milwaukee, WI 53222 <u>www.milwaukeelutheran.org</u> 414-461-6000 Fax 414-461-2733



Jim Datka Director of New Student and Alumni Relations

# STUDENT ACTIVITIES . . .

YEARBOOK ORDERS: Place your order online at <u>www.jostenyearbooks.com</u> today.

**SENIOR YEARBOOK ADS**... ATTENTION PARENTS/GRANDPARENTS OF 2017-2018 SENIORS – don't forget to think about purchasing an ALL COLOR recognition ad for your Senior!!! The yearbook staff can even create the ad for you if you prefer. If this is something that you are interested in, please email or call Mrs. Janousky at <u>rjanousky@milwaukeelutheran.org</u> for more details or to reserve your space. The price of these ads range from \$40 to \$150 depending on the size ad you choose. The deadline for purchasing these ads is January 5<sup>th</sup>, 2018.

**STUDENT COUNCIL:** We have our November meeting on Tuesday, November 14<sup>th</sup> at 7:15am in the cafeteria. Please remember to bring your Thanksgiving food item that has been designated to your committee or a cash donation. If you have any questions, please see your committee member or Mrs. Janousky.

#### CO-ED, ALL 3 ASSOCIATION SCHOOLS VOLLEYBALL TOURNAMENT:

Congratulations to the winners of our third annual Volleyball Tournament, **Team ATK.** The team was made up of: Htay Reh, Ki Reh, Oo Reh, Lee Reh and Mr. Atkinson. The runners up were team, **Martin Luther Faculty**, made up of: Mrs. Erin Janetzke, ML Grad, Ms. Ally Kitten, ML Grad, Ms. Abbie Amling, MLHS Grad, Mr. Matthew Painter, Miss Jennifer Knox, Mr. Pete Froehlich and Mrs. Lisa Kamprath. Our costume contest winners were **Team Player 1**, made up of: Kalel Veasey, Danny Perdzock, Jonathan Janke, Demetri Rodgers, Keith Gigger & Daemetrius Brown. Thank you to everyone that came to watch and to those that played in our 3<sup>rd</sup> annual tournament. We are excited to give the \$600 raised to the Milwaukee Rescue Mission and help a great cause. A special thank you to Logan Alles for doing a large amount of work behind the scenes to make this night a success.

**LOOKING AHEAD AT COMMUNITY SERVICE OPPORTUNITIES:** We have several of opportunities to serve our community coming up in the next 2 months. Please save-the-dates on your calendar for these great events.

**Season of Giving Thanksgiving Feast-** Milwaukee Lutheran Alumni, Will Turner & Jacarrie Carr are organizing a family Thanksgiving feast for 5 less fortunate families. If you would like to help by donating food and/or money, please contact either Will (turnerjr.50@gmail.com), Jacarrie (jacarriekicksforkids@gmail.com) or Rachel Janousky (<u>rjanousky@milwaukeelutheran.org</u>) for more information. These gentlemen are also looking for nominations of families that would benefit from this Thanksgiving Feast. If you have a family in mind, you can nominate them by submitting a statement of why this family qualifies for the Thanksgiving Feast to one of the email addresses above. Please also include the families name, address and phone number. If the family you nominate is selected, they will be notified by November 18<sup>th</sup> and will receive their Thanksgiving Feast on November 23.

**Pack the Pantries - Annual Food Drive** – The annual Milwaukee Lutheran food drive begins on Monday, November 27<sup>th</sup> and runs through Friday, December 8<sup>th</sup>. Each class will compete against each other to win the coveted dress down day for bringing in the most non-perishable food items. The class that is winning at the half way point will be given free cafeteria chocolate chip cookies... yummy!!! All items brought in will be delivered to our local church and community food pantries. Thank you in advance to all those students that bring in non-perishable food items to help those in need.

**Pack the Pantry Basketball Game** – On Tuesday, December 12<sup>th</sup>, Student Council will be running a special event to collect more non-perishable food items to be included in our local church and community food pantries drop off. For every non-perishable food item that you bring to the girls' basketball games between 5:30pm-8:00pm, you will receive a raffle ticket. You can also bring cash donations. \$1=1 raffle ticket. Your ticket(s) will be put into a drawing for \$50 prizes from local businesses. Winners will be drawn at halftime of the Varsity game and you must be present to win.



Rachel Janousky Student Activities Director

## STUDENT ACTIVITIES CONTINUED...

**DECK THE HALLS** – Do you have old Christmas décor sitting at your house? If so, consider giving it to your student to bring to school and decorate our hallways. All students will have the opportunity to decorate designated locations throughout the school to bring some Christmas spirit to our building. Freshmen will decorate by the stairway entrance to the math hall. Sophomores will decorate by the Red Knight Statue at the start of the maintenance hallway. Juniors will decorate by the stairway outside of Mr. Forke's room. Seniors will decorate outside of the study center. Decorating will take place either before or after school the week of November 27<sup>th</sup> – December 1<sup>st</sup>. All décor must be taken down before students leave for Christmas break on Thursday, December 22<sup>nd</sup> or it will be thrown away/stored for next year. Here are the décor rules: ITEMS ALLOWED: Artificial Christmas tree, Plastic Ornaments, Tree skirt, Tree stand, Lights, Fake poinsettias, Artificial garland for mantels and/or staircase banisters, Stockings and stocking hooks, Nativity scenes, wooden nutcrackers, or other seasonal decorations, Wreaths, Extension cords, Christmas flag, Bows, Masking tape only. ITEMS NOT ALLOWED: No real Christmas trees, No Glass Ornaments, No Tinsel, No Lawn figures, No Scotch tape and No Duct tape.

# FROM THE OFFICE OF STUDENT LIFE. .

## **CAUTION - ROAD CONSTRUCTION**

**North 92nd Street, West Capitol Drive to West Hampton Avenue:** The North 92<sup>nd</sup> Street, West Capitol Drive to West Hampton Avenue, construction project will switch from the east side of the project to the west side on Friday, September 22, 2017, with one lane of traffic in each direction on the completed east side. The east side has been completed with the installation of new concrete pavement, curbs, gutters and driveway approaches. Businesses and organizations located on the west side of the project will maintain access to their property during the completion of the project. Driveway approaches will be completed one half at a time.



Justin Armitage Assistant Principal Of Student Life

# ATHLETICS . . .

Milwaukee Lutheran Athletics Week of November 13th to November 18th :

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

**WINTER SPORTS:** All students interested in participating in any of the following Winter Sports: Boys Basketball, Girls Basketball, Girls Dance/Poms, Boys Swim, or Boys Wrestling make sure you check with Mrs. Alles in the Athletic Office to see what forms you'll need completed **BEFORE TRY-OUTS**.

Noverber 13 - Boys Basketball, Wrestling & Swim begins



Jerad Luedtke Athletic Director

# **CURRENT NEWS ...**

**MILWAUKEE RESCUE MISSION:** This year will be the twentieth year Milwaukee Lutheran will partner will the Milwaukee Rescue Mission to help serve people in need. We will start next week Monday, October 23rd. Please meet outside room 404 by 3:15 p.m. We will leave promptly at 3:15 p.m., and should return between 6 and 6:15 each week. A weekly sign up can be found outside room 404, space is limited each week. We will serve each Monday that Milwaukee Lutheran is in session until our spring break in March. Please see Mr. Koebert if you have any questions. Parents may join us by meeting at school or at the Rescue Mission.

### Start Your Christmas Shopping at Our CRAFT FAIR on SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 11!

Parents, students and alumni ... be sure to come out to our annual Craft Fair and Bake Sale presented by the Music Boosters on Saturday, November 11 from 9 am -3 pm. You'll find a wide variety of items from over 60 Crafters & Vendors!

Come and find gifts for those hard-to-buy-for family members and friends, or for yourself ... One-of-a-kind gifts • Jewelry • Artwork • Hand-Sewn & Knit Crafts • Home Décor • Woodwork ... and much more! Yummy treats will be at the Bake Sale, and Concessions are available.

It's only 3 bucks to get in the door, so come and support the Red Knight Music Boosters! Please help us spread the word and encourage/invite your family, friends, and neighbors to come. You can even invite your local Facebook friends via our public event page at:

https://www.facebook.com/events/1993672540915023/

(1) Simply Click "Invite Friends" (2) Select Folks to Invite

(3) Click "Send Invites." Thank you for your help!

**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 whenever you are able. We meet from 7:45-9:00 in Room 212 every Friday that school is in session. For questions or more information, please call or text Jane Runnels at (414) 881-3328.



## BLC Presents MKE Rap VOL 1. 'START OVER'

Come out to support this Christian rap/hip-hop event held at Brookfield Lutheran Church.

This LIVE MUSIC Event is in partnership with ATK Ministry out of Milwaukee Lutheran High School, featuring flows by Josh ATKinson and Travis Stase, house band musicians, and other talented guest performers.

Greatest Hits from artists like: <u>Lecrae</u>, <u>Andy Mineo</u>, NF, & Christon Gray will be performed as well as originals from ATK and Travis Stase.

You won't want to miss this inspirational night of music and worship!

Free event T-shirt with any donation to Jacarrie Kicks for Kids of Milwaukee.

# **CURRENT NEWS CONTINUED...**

**FREE WILL PREPARATION:** 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! <u>http://www.milwaukeelutheran.org/willpreparation</u>



## MLHS Annual Citrus Fruit Sale

It's that time again. The citrus fruit sale is back! Offered this year are Navel Oranges, Juice Oranges, Mandarin Oranges, Grapefruit, Pears and Apples.

## All orders must be received by November 17<sup>th</sup>, 2017.

<u>Pick-up dates are still being determined, but will happen within the first two weeks of</u> December.

Ordering is simpler than ever. You may place an order by either:

1. Visiting http://www.riversweetonline.com/mlhs17

This is the easiest, fastest way to order!

2. Pick up an order form in the Milwaukee Lutheran High School main office.

If you have any questions, send an email to Mr. Bryan Oechsner at <u>boechsner@milwaukeelutheran.org</u> or call 414-461-6000 x260

**COATS AND COLD-WEATHER GEAR COLLECTION:** The MLHS National Honor Society Chapter will be collecting coats and cold-weather gear (hoodies, hats, gloves, new socks, scarves, etc.) November 13-December 1. Any size is accepted. Donations can be placed in the barrels under the main stairway on the 200 level. Please make sure all gently used items have been cleaned before they are donated. They will also be holding a collection at the girls' basketball game on Tuesday, November 21. All individuals who bring clothing items to donate will receive a raffle ticket for a halftime drawing.



### Some Physics Students float their ideas in the MLHS pool...

97 Physics students at Milwaukee Lutheran, under the direction of instructor Mr. Eric Pankow, made 29 building teams to compete in the 12th annual MLHS Cardboard Boat Contest. Hundreds of parents and friends showed up on Wednesday, November 8th to watch the students put their knowledge and bodies into the study of Archimedes Principle. The boats were made of cardboard, with duct tape allowed to support the seams or to decorate the boats. The students put their understanding of Archimedes' Principle to the test by getting into the boats they designed and paddling them across the Milwaukee Lutheran pool. Extra credit was given if more than one person got into the boat or if they "dressed up" with a theme. Of the 29 boats, 16 made it across the pool without sinking. The winning boat this year was the 1 person boat made by Juniors Tim Steinke and Xavier Fisher, paddled by Tim. Their cardboard Kayak themed "Formula One" set a new school and single paddler record of 13.6 seconds. Other Thematic boats included Sponge Bob, Star Wars, Moana, Mean Girls, Mario Kart, Pirates, Planet of the Apes, Mickey and Minnie Mouse, and many more. Special thanks to Mr. and Mrs. Koebert, Miss Bolz, Mr. Saugstad, Miss. Siebarth, and Miss Pfenning, the Maintenance Department, and the Administration for supporting this exciting use of our learning! If you want to watch the races, they are posted on You Tube under "2017 Milwaukee Lutheran Cardboard Boat Race" (the school record is set in the 3<sup>rd</sup> race).

# Milwaukee Lutheran High School CRAFT FAIR & BAKE SALE Presented by the MUSIC BOOSTERS of MILWAUKEE LUTHERAN HIGH SCHOOL

# Jump-start your Christmas shopping!

- One-of-a-kind Gifts = Jewelry = Artwork
  Hand-Sewn & Knit Crafts = Home Décor
- Woodwork Stained Glass and more!



# **SATURDAY NOVEMBER 11 Milwaukee Lutheran Gym** 9700 W. Grantosa, Milwaukee

**9am to 3pm** Only \$3 Admission

## **CURRENT NEWS CONTINUED ...** VOLUNTEERS NEEDED: RED KNIGHT BOOSTER CLUB:

The Red Knight Booster Club is asking that each family work 6 volunteer hours in the concession stand per child/per sport. Concession Stand volunteer hours may be completed by the athlete, their parents, friends or relatives. (Min. age requirement is 14 yrs. of age.) We offer many opportunities to get those hours in. Thank you for your service and Good Luck to all Red Knight Athletes on their upcoming seasons! LET'S GO RED KNIGHTS!

We're using SignUp.com. Here's how it works in 3 easy steps:

1) Click this link to see our SignUp on SignUp.com: http://signup.com/go/tmmb8a

2) Review the options listed and choose the spot(s) you like.

3) Sign up! It's Easy - you will NOT need to register an account or keep a password on SignUp.com. Note: SignUp.com does not share your email address with anyone. If you prefer not to use your email address, please contact me and I can sign you up manually.

Feel free to contact me with any questions Carrie Knight redknightconcessions@gmail.com



MONDAY, Nov. 13 – Chicken Patty TUESDAY, Nov. 14– Cheeseburger, Hash Brown WEDNESDAY, Nov. 15 – Mock Chicken Leg, Mashed Potato THURSDAY, Nov. 16 – Stir Fry, Egg Roll FRIDAY, Nov. 17 – No Lunch, Early Release MONDAY, Nov. 20 – Pizza Patty TUESDAY, Nov. 21– Chicken Quesadilla WEDNESDAY, Nov. 22 – Thanksgiving Break- No School THURSDAY, Nov. 23 – Thanksgiving Break- No School FRIDAY, Nov. 24 – Thanksgiving Break- No School

# **<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"

