

# **KNIGHTWATCH**

#### March 15, 2019





### **FROM THE PRINCIPAL . . .** God has chosen you to FORGIVE

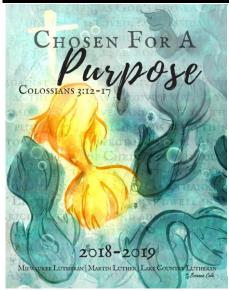
There may be no harder concept to put into practice in our lives as Christians than to display forgiveness. The reality is that, because of sin, we will hurt and harm each other – sometimes unintentionally. And also because of sin, we become pretty adept at holding grudges when we have been hurt or wronged. We clutch onto the pain and refuse to move on often because we don't believe the other person deserves to be forgiven or because our hurt is too deep.

This was probably the motive behind Peter's question to Jesus in Matthew 18:21-22. "Then Peter came to Jesus and asked, "Lord, how many times shall I forgive my brother when he sins against me? Up to seven times?" Jesus answered, "I tell you, not seven times, but seventy-seven times.""

Jesus's response shows that we are called to forgive each other. Not based off a specific numeric formula, but with the mercy that we have been shown. Jesus Christ came to earth to forgive each of us. It is completely undeserved. He doesn't treat us as we deserve to be treated and we don't have to endure the spiritual effects of our sins, but instead He offers us complete forgiveness (see Psalm 103:8-12). And He calls us to do likewise. He has chosen us to do likewise.

"To be a Christian means to forgive the inexcusable in others because Christ has forgiven the inexcusable in us." -C.S. Lewis

Adam Kirsch



### **UPCOMING EVENTS...**

Mar. 18-22	Spring Break
Mar. 29	Spring Activity Night, 4:00 – 7:00 pm
Mar. 29 & 30 Jubilee Concert, 7:00 pm	
April 12	38 <sup>th</sup> Annual Dinner Auction
April 19-22	Easter Break
April 26-28	Spring Musical, Godspell

### **SCHOOL CALENDAR CHANGES**

With the cancellation of school days due to extreme weather, we have found ourselves with the need to make-up additional hours. We will be eliminating our Thursday late starts with classes starting at 7:50 am. We appreciate your understanding and flexibility as we work out the best options to make sure that we meet our requirements and serve our students.

### 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:**

E. JANOUSKY: Freshman CUCINELLO: Sophomores OECHSNER: Juniors & Seniors - Career STEINKE: Juniors & Seniors - College L. KOEBERT: Transition

**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.

- > Tuesday, April 9th, Trinity Internat'l University, 4th hour
- ▶ Wednesday, April 10<sup>th</sup>: UW-La Crosse, 3<sup>rd</sup> hour



Milwaukee Lutheran's U.S. Army representative, SSGT. Livingston, will be in the cafeteria all three lunch hours every 4<sup>th</sup> Monday of the month. Please look for him along the windows to answer any questions you may have about serving our amazing AMERICA. Thank you!



Joel Bahr Assistant Principal

### **OFFICE of SCHOOL CULTURE/Dean of Students**

#### **10 MINUTE RULE**

Due to the excessive number of school tardies, even on late start Thursdays, we have instituted a new morning procedure. Students who arrive after 8:00 AM will no longer be given passes to their first hour classes. They will instead be sent to a holding room for the hour. Repeat offenders will be given detentions and writing assignments to complete. We cannot continue to allow the classes and instruction to be interrupted by late students. We ask that you make an extra effort to have your students arrive before 7:45 AM.

#### Spring Break

Appointments, choir tours, band concerts, ball games, vacations, naps, the mall, good books, video games, quality family time might fill your week; Travels to exotic locales: Mexico, Florida, Texas, South Carolina, Jamaica, California, Colorado, or just Up North, if it's time away you seek. No classrooms, no homework, no heavy tomes to carry, Now it's laundry, the dentist, clean my room? Scarey! No discipline forms, no detentions, not even a Dean to force it, when everyone already knows I'm not mean. I leave out this Friday for my well earned rest, I leave all behind me, which I think is best. 'Cause I've got things to do; maybe embark on a quest. Maybe I'll jog, or write, or climb a big tree, There's one thing for sure I always carry with me. One thing it's clear I need along on my ride, it's my faith, my trust, and God's grace already inside. Whatever you do and where ever you go, Don't forget to let Your "light" show. That it's time for a break is blatantly obvious to most; Just don't leave behind the Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Please read Psalm 121 and enjoy a great Spring Break!





Marcus Jackson Dean of Students



Joe Kalkopf Dean of Students



Chip Wylie Counselor

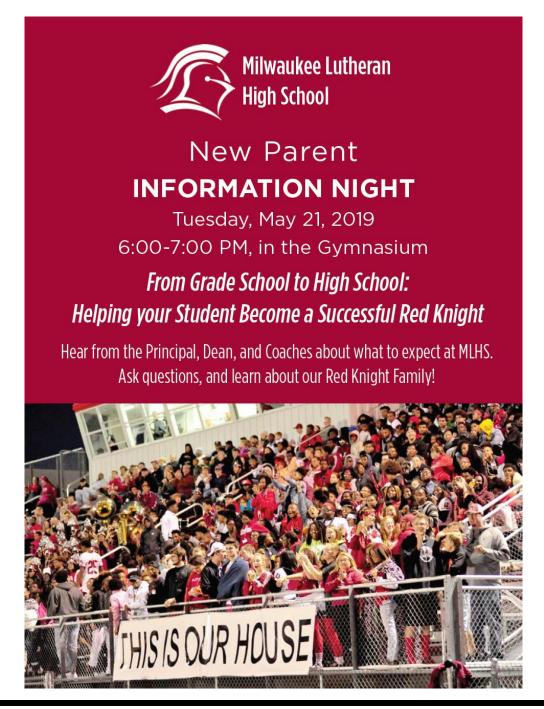
## ADMISSIONS...

#### **IMPORTANT ADMISSIONS DATES FOR THE CLASS OF 2023**

Milwaukee Parental Choice Program (MPCP) Enrollment Period: March 1-20, 2019

**Class of 2023 -Freshman Course Registration Nights**: Pick one to attend: April 8 or May 6

(For students who have taken a placement exam AND have a payment plan (MPCP seat or tuition) setup.





Rachel Janousky Director of Admissions



October 3, 2018

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 15, 2018 from 6:00-6:30pm at Milwaukee Lutheran in the Red Knight Room
- Thursday April 25, 2019 from 6:00-6:30pm at Martin Luther in the Library Martin Luther HS is located at: 5201 S. 76<sup>th</sup> 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,

Adam Kirsch, Principal

MILWAUKEE LUTHERAN HIGH SCHOOL 414-461-6000 (EXT. 242) akirsch@milwaukeelutheran.org www.milwaukeelutheran.org

### Jr. Red Knight Soccer Club



#### FOR GIRLS AGES 9-12

The program offers competition at both club and recreational levels in order to challenge skilled player and give an opportunity for beginners to learn and develop their soccer skills. No experience is required, and the price is the most affordable in the area.

> To Enroll please contact: Email: <u>Irredknightsoccer@gmail.com</u> Phone: <u>262-225-8691</u> Website: <u>www.jrredknightsc.com</u>

Important Dates: May 31<sup>st</sup>, Parent Interest Meeting, 6:30 pm, at MLHS in the Red Knight Rm June 24-28, Free Soccer Camp, 8:30 am-12:00 pm August 12-16, Jr. Red Knight soccer tryouts (No cuts!)

# STUDENT ACTIVITIES . . .

**STUDENT COUNCIL EXECUTIVE BOARD APPLICATIONS:** Are you interested in joining our Student Council Executive Board? Miss Vonderheide is looking for dedicated and passionate students to take on leadership responsibilities while helping build a fun and engaging student culture! Applications are due by 3:06 pm on March 28<sup>th</sup>!

**SPRING ACTIVITIES NIGHT:** Friday, March 29<sup>th</sup>, Student Council will be hosting our Spring Activities Night! Come join us from 5-7pm for an evening of open basketball, games, and food! We will also have a football toss, obstacle course, and bags! Hope to see you there!

**DRESS DOWN FOR PROM:** We will be having a handful of "sweatpants days" in the next few months. Students are able to purchase stickers during lunch the day before the dress down day. The stickers are considered their dress down passes, and they must be visibly worn for the entire day. Stickers cost \$3, with \$2 going towards prom and \$1 going towards a local charity. The remaining dress down opportunities will take place on March 29 and April 26.

**PROM INFORMATION:** Juniors and Seniors were given information regarding Prom during lunches Thursday, March 14. Extra copies will be available in the main office for students who were absent.

SAVE THE DATE! Prom and Post Prom will be on Saturday, May 4th! Fellowship Day will be on Friday, May 17th! Senior Farewell will also be on Friday, May 17th!

Congratulations to the Blanco Ballers for winning the NHS dodgeball tournament and to the Lucky Ducks for winning the costume competition!





Vonderheide Student Activities Director

### ATHLETICS . . .

Milwaukee Lutheran Athletics Week of March 4th to March 9th :

#### Please refer to our website for Athletic events:

### www.RedKnightAthletics.org

#### SWIM INSTRUCTOR NEEDED

Milwaukee Lutheran is looking for a swim instructor for our summer swim programs. Swim lessons will be scheduled based on the instructor's schedule. Please contact Jerad Luedtke if interested. jluedtke@milwaukeelutheran.org or 414/461-6000 ext. 208



Jerad Luedtke Athletic Director

### **CURRENT NEWS**.

**ATTENTION SENIORS:** Cap and gown packages and senior orders will be delivered on Wednesday, March 27, during 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> lunch periods. If you have a balance due, make your check payable to Jostens.

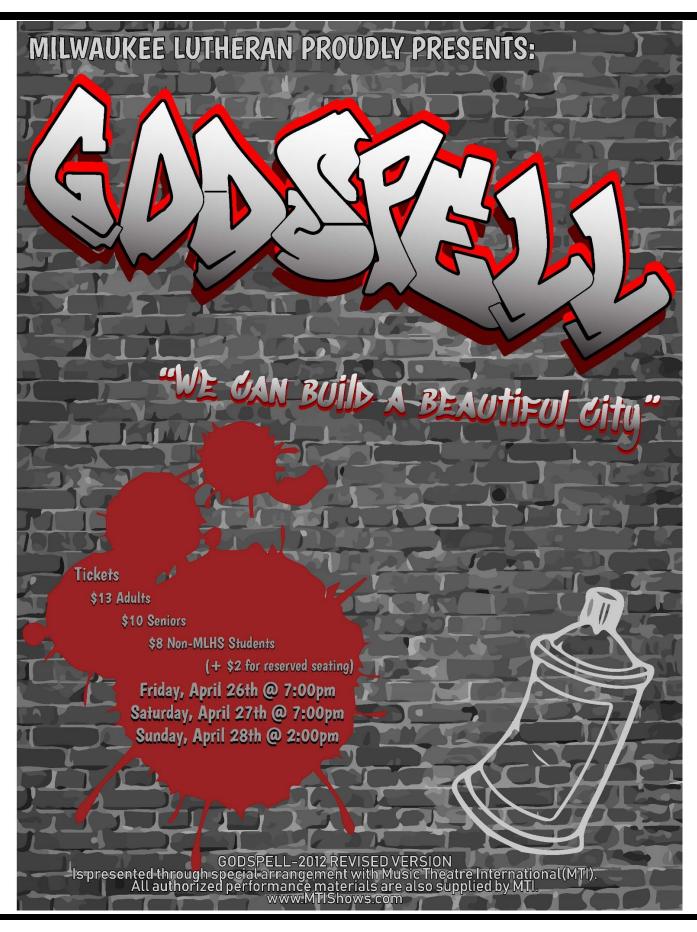
**STUDENT EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY:** The Lutheran High School Association of Greater Milwaukee is looking for Cashiers to work at 3 in 1 Thrift Store in West Allis! The 3 in 1 Thrift Store mission is to serve individuals in the community by providing an excellent experience in volunteering, donating, shopping and interacting with others while financially supporting the continued success of Christian education at our three high schools - Milwaukee Lutheran, Martin Luther and Lake Country Lutheran. This is a part-time position working up to 15-20 hours per week. Available shifts are after school around 3:30PM-5:30PM on weeknights and Saturdays 12PM-5PM. Interested students, please visit <u>http://weteachtruth.org/about/apply</u> to apply or contact Jessie Taylor at JTaylor@LHSAGM.org.

**LENTEN WORSHIP OPPORTUNITY:** Milwaukee Lutheran will be providing transportation to and from Wednesday Lenten Worship at Immanuel Lutheran Church in Brookfield. The bus will leave from school at 3:30 PM and **return about 5:30 PM**. The Worship Service begins at 4 PM with a Lenten Supper provided for the worshipers after the service. We will stay for the meal and then return to school. **Sign up in the main office** if you wish to join us. If you have questions, email Mr. Pankow at <u>epankow@milwaukeelutheran.org</u>. The bus will be going Wednesday March 27th, and April 3rd and 10th. We will not be providing a bus on March 20th due to Spring Break. Encourage your child to come and join us!

**SPRING MUSICAL** The spring musical is *Godspell*, a musical retelling of the Gospel of Matthew; this musical depicts the story of Christ: His teachings to the disciples, His lessons to the people, and His journey to the cross...with a modern twist. Come join in the celebration of the greatest love story ever told and see what can happen when we come together. Through basketball, stories, and various musical genre, this show focuses on the uplifting message of how, with Christ as our foundation, we can make our city a beautiful city.

Play dates will be April 26 & 27 @ 7 pm and April 28 @ 2:00pm.

Tickets prices are \$13 Adults, \$10 Seniors, \$8 Non-MLHS Students. (Add \$2 a ticket for reserved seating) Reserved seating e-mail B.D. Forke: <u>bforke@milwaukeelutheran.org</u> or <u>cihm@milwaukeelutheran.org</u> Include dates and attendees. Regular seating tickets at the door.



### CURRENT NEWS CONTINUED ...

<u>38th ANNUAL DINNER AUCTION</u> Did you know all the proceeds we raise at the Dinner Auction go directly towards Student Aid? Did you know over half of our students need Financial Aid? YOU can make a difference! *Counting on You* is this year's theme for the 38<sup>th</sup> Annual Dinner Auction on April 12, 2019 at The Pfister Hotel. This is our largest fundraiser of the year. Last year, we hit a new record and raised \$300,000 for our kids. How can YOU help? You can donate an item, become a Sponsor, or give a monetary donation. Your gifts are tax deductible and a letter acknowledging your gift will be sent to you. You can register or donate by going to this website: <u>lhsagm.ejoinme.org/countingonyou</u>. Thank you for supporting our kids at Milwaukee Lutheran, Martin Luther and Lake Country Lutheran High Schools.

**PRAYER REQUEST BOX:** We have a group of faithful, prayer warrior parents who meet to pray for students, faculty & staff each Friday morning that school is in session. (See "Do You Want to Make a Difference" on page 8.) They have provided a prayer request box, located in the main office, for anyone who would like to submit a request to be prayed for.

**DO YOU WANT TO MAKE A DIFFERENCE AT MLHS?** Come and join us, a group of parents 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 7:45-8:45 in Room 212 every Friday that school is in session. For questions or more information, please call or text Julie Goodman at (414) 731-7890 and jimjuliegoodman@sbcglobal.net or Trish Kirkendoll at (414) 406-2275 and tpkirk3@gmail.com.



Store Hours Tuesday-Friday 10:00AM-6:00PM Saturday 9:00AM-5:00PM 3117 S. 108th Street, West Allis, WI 53227 414-914-9225

#### **VOLUNTEERS WANTED!**

We are looking for servant-minded people to help at the store. Sorting, tagging, working the cash register, organizing displays, and more. 3-hour shifts are ideal, but come for as little as an hour or stay the whole day! No special skills required. Just bring your smile and heart to serve!

Contact the Association offices to schedule a time to volunteer. Call 414-421-9100, ask for Jen Lau.

We are still accepting donations – all of your slightly used items that we could sell at 3in1 Thrift - clothing, furniture, jewelry, tools, dishes, etc. can be dropped off at any of our three Lutheran High Schools (Milwaukee Lutheran, Martin Luther or Lake Country Lutheran) during school operating hours. Larger items may be scheduled for pick-up, if necessary.



MONDAY, Mar. 25 – Brats, Hash Brown TUESDAY, Mar. 26 – BBQ Ribs WEDNESDAY, Mar. 27 – Chicken Patty THURSDAY, Mar. 28 – Hot Pocket FRIDAY, Mar. 29 – Chicken Quesadilla MONDAY, Apr. 1 – Sloppy Joe, Tator Tot TUESDAY, Apr. 2 – Cheeseburger, Hash Brown WEDNESDAY, Apr. 3 – Salisbury Steak, Noodles THURSDAY, Mar. 28 – Mashed Potato Bowls w/Chicken FRIDAY, Mar. 29 – Pizza

# <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"

