

Parent Bulletin

Connecting with our Principal

I pray that all of you enjoyed your holiday weekend! This short week at school has been filled with a lot of learning and a lot of fun.



A reminder for all of you that utilize our *Extended Care* program. Please be sure to complete the link EACH WEEK found in the parent bulletin. Are your students involved in something after school first and then they will head to Extended Care? We have updated the link for you to mark that option. Our Extended



Care staff is trying to plan activities for each day and knowing the number of students that will be present is helpful in their preparations. Please feel free to contact our Extended Care Director, Ms. Candy Lawler, if needed—773-746-9626 or xcare@stjohnschicago.org.

Are you a parent looking to get involved? We are still looking for someone to be our **concession stand coordinator** for sporting events. Please contact Mr. Benedict (jbenedict@stjohnschicago.org) to learn more. We are also looking for an **after school club coordinator**. Or do you have a talent to share with an after school club? Please contact me at mrunge@stjohnschicago.org.

Calendar Connection

Map Testing 1st-5th	9/11-15
2nd Grade Field Trip	9/15
Scholastic Book Fair	9/21
Scholastic Book Fair	9/22
Quarter 1 Mid Term	9/22
Mentor Movie Night	9/23
Coffee and Convo & See You at the Pole Day	9/27

Connecting with Prayer

Ethan Acosta (8th), Hayley Friend (8th), Makenzie Modzelewska (4), Orien Roberts (1), Aveline Maurer (K)

Reminders

- Interested in Band? You may enroll your student here: <https://app.enrollsy.com/enroll/walther-christian-academy>
- The 1st tuition payment is due September 15th. Also a one time \$50 PTL fee is due.

I am the vine; you are the branches. Whoever abides in me and I in him, he it is that bears much fruit, for apart from me you can do nothing. John 15:5

Connecting with PTL

- ◆ A "Thank you!" to all who came to our well-attended 1st meeting. We feel the enthusiasm and are excited to connect with the families to have a great year.
- ◆ **Save the Date** for our **Food Truck Fund-raiser!** Friday, September 29th from 3-6pm. Trucks will line up out front and families have the chance to grab & go or dine on site. St. John's will receive 10-20% of all sales. Spread the word to family and friends.

Admissions & Marketing

With 161 students enrolled, we are excited that our enrollment is the highest it's been since the 2018-19 school year! Thank you for your continued support with spreading the good news of St. John's!

If you are a new family or a mentor family at St. John's, we welcome you to attend our **Mentor Movie Night** on Saturday, September 23rd at 6:30pm.

We invite **all** St. John's parents to join us for **Coffee Conversation AND See You at the Pole Day** on Wednesday, September 27th. Coffee and Convo will begin at 8am on our school playground. Following Coffee and Convo, please join us for chapel at 8:45am and then time for prayer around our flagpole. This is a wonderful way to support our school community and build relationships with school families!

Connecting with Ex Care

September 11th—15th

If you will be using Extended Care this week, please sign up with this link by Sunday evening :

<https://forms.gle/EbzL7HWZAFMW4sTQA>

Connecting with Sports

9/11 Cross Country practice 3:15 to 4:00pm
9/11 Girls Volleyball vs Walther 4:15pm
9/12 Cross Country meet @ Walther * 4:30pm
9/12 Girls/Boys VB practice 3:15 to 5:00pm
9/14 Cross Country practice 3:15 to 4:00pm
9/14 Boys VB @ St. Paul, Mt. Prospect** 6:30pm
9/16 Girls VB @ Moody Bible Institute*** TBD

* Walther, 900 W Chicago, Melrose Park

** St. Paul, 18 S School St., Mount Prospect

*** Moody 820 N LaSalle Blvd

St. John's Spiritwear is on sale through Sept. 21.
<https://1stplacespiritwear.com/schools/IL/Chicago/St.%20John's%20Lutheran%20School>

Candy Drive

World's Finest Fundraiser is going strong. We have sold nearly 2/3 of our chocolate cases already! Our prize list is growing daily—prizes include a variety of toys and electronics and gift cards! Every participant will automatically receive a prize and also be entered into our raffle.

This Monday, 9/11: **Five Golden Tickets** go out in cases!

Those who find a golden ticket will receive 5 extra entries into the raffle.

GOLDEN TICKETS ON MONDAY!

5 Lucky winners will
receive bonus raffle tickets
(more chances to win!)

Last day to take out a case of chocolate: Friday, 9/15.

Chapel Connection



Celebrating September
Baptismal Birthdays in
Chapel



Chicagoland Lutheran
EDUCATIONAL FOUNDATION

LEARNING • GOOD NEWS • FOR LIFE