



CLS NEWS

March 21, 2025

Today marks the end of the 3rd quarter. Report cards will be sent home next Friday, March 28.

The MLC College Choir concert at **Christ Lutheran, N. St. Paul**, on Saturday, **March 22**, at 7p. You are invited to attend! Those students singing with the choir, please arrive by **6:15p** to rehearse with the choir.

Calls Received Mr. and Mrs. Olson continue to deliberate their calls to teach at First Lutheran School in LaCrosse, WI. Mrs. Olson would be teaching 2-year-olds at their daycare center. Mr. Olson is called to teach 8th graders and assist with athletics. Please keep them in your prayers as the Lord guides their deliberations. Please feel free to contact either of them regarding their calls.

Minnesota author Mary Bleckwehl will be presenting to our students on **Tue., March 25**. She is an award winning author and former teacher who has written picture books, nonfiction, and middle school and young adult novels. She will give a 50 min. presentation at 10:15a for Gr. 5-8, a 25 min. presentation at 11:30a for Preschool, and a 35 min. presentation for Gr. K-2 at 1:30p. Parents and friends are welcome to attend. She will have a variety of her books for sale and signing after each presentation.

March 26 Preschool—Grade 4 Sing in the 4:30p Lenten Service The students will sing at the beginning of the service and then will sit with their families. The CLS dinner will follow the service. Please join us for soup, salad and breadsticks!

Wednesday Lenten Services Please join us for worship (4:30 or 6:30p) and dinner after the 4:30p service. The Hugo service is at 6:30p. Students are welcome to stay after school and meet their parents in the narthex at 4:20p. **Please notify your child's classroom teacher.**

Twin Cities Lutheran Grade School Fine Arts Festival—Grades 3-8 Our area grade school festival will be held at St. Croix Lutheran Academy on **Saturday, April 5, 2025**. The events include: Choir—grades 3-8; Art—grades 5-8; Band—grades 4-8; Solo/ensemble musicians—grades 5-8. Contact Mrs. Ponath for more information annponath@christlutheran.us

Vittles Submittal Food Drive Please bring your non-perishable food items anytime from Mar. 31-Apr. 11. Items go to the North St. Paul Food Shelf.

The Lenten Journey at Christ Lutheran Church

Reflections on Repentance

March 26 NSP Remembering God's perfect demands
Hugo Revealing our sinful nature

April 2 NSP Relying on God's grace
Hugo Removing our guilt

April 9 NSP Removing our guilt
Hugo Relying on God's grace

April 17 Maundy Thursday

April 18 Good Friday

April 20 Easter NSP 6:30a, 8:30a Na 10:30a Hugo 9:30a



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Coming Up:

- Fri., Mar. 21** End of the Third Quarter
- Sat., Mar. 22** MLC Concert 7p
- Mon., Mar. 24** Gr. 3-8 NWEA Spring Testing Begins
- Wed., Mar. 26** PK-4 Sing in 4:30p Service
- Fri., Mar. 28** 3rd Q Report Cards go home
- Mon., Mar. 31-Apr. 11** Food Drive

Field Trips:

- ♦ **Mar. 25** PreK—8 In-House Author Mary Bleckwehl
- ♦ **Apr. 11** K-4 Winged Wonders Presentation at SCLA
- ♦ **Apr. 16** K-4 MIA



Chapel on Friday,

March 28, will be led by Pastor Roecker from St. Andrew's Lutheran, St. Paul Park. The theme is "Who's Afraid?" Josef Mendoza will be playing for chapel.

2nd Semester Mission:

Huntersville Lutheran Church, Cornelius, S.C. Offerings to date: \$414.22.

Chapel begins at 9:25a. All families are invited to attend!



Cougar Sports:



Bowling

Coed bowling is offered in the spring for students in grades 5-8. Practice begins in late March/early April. Practices are at Sun Ray Lanes twice/week on Mondays and Thursdays from 4-5 PM. The cost is \$70/person for the season.

Matches are played on Friday nights or Saturday afternoons at different bowling lanes throughout the metro area. Match play will run through April and the early part of May. Match play is usually 2 hours in length.

If you have any questions about signing your student up, please contact Mr. Olson: chrisolson@christlutheran.us

This Week at CLS

CLS is back from spring break to end the third quarter, travel to Orchestra Hall for Musical Ups and Downs with the Minnesota Orchestra (5-8) and sing with the Martin Luther College Choir in their Saturday concert! Meanwhile, down the hall...

Learning and singing about the "wee little man" Zacchaeus (preschool);

Jesus raises Lazarus, P.E. jump rope unit (K);

enjoying MLC student, Ms.

Frantzen's visit all week, math regrouping (1);

spelling with oy/oi, different kinds of heroes, even/odd/repeated addition/arrays (2); predicting weather, measuring with rulers, pronouns (3); multiplying with fractions, pronouns (4); conversion of matter when heating and cooling (5-6);

Death of John the Baptist/Jesus Continues His Ministry, inheriting genes, presenting persuasive speeches to the class (7-8)!

Thank you for your support of Christian education!



2025 Lenten Sermon Themes

Realizing Our Need for Repentance
Recognizing Against Whom We Sin
Revealing Our Sinful Nature
Remembering God's Perfect Demands
Relying on God's Grace
Removing Our Guilt
Renewed Through the Gospel
Restored by His Sacrifice
Rejoicing in Resurrection Hope

Christ Lutheran Church Worship Schedule:

Sunday: 8:30a in NSP
2475 17th Ave. E., NSP
10a in Hugo
4790 Rosemary Way, Hugo, MN 55038

Monday: 7p in NSP

Join Us in Praising Our LORD!

