



# CLS NEWS

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**Twin Cities Lutheran Grade School Fine Arts Festival**—Our area grade school festival will be held at St. Croix Lutheran on Saturday, April 11, 2025. The events include: Choir—grades 3-8; Art—grades 5-8; Band—grades 4-8; Solo/ensemble musicians—grades 5-8. All FAF registrations and fees are due to Mrs. Ponath by March 6! The FAF choir is still accepting singers! Contact Mrs. Ponath with questions: [annponath@christlutheran.us](mailto:annponath@christlutheran.us)

**Family Events!** You won't want to miss these family events coming up this spring/summer!  
**March 21** Family Bowling Day 2-5p Details below!  
**May 17** Family Outing to a MN Twins Game  
**July 25** CLS Golf Classic

Mark your calendar today!

**March 21 Family Bowling Day** 2:00-5:00pm  
Cost: \$15.00/person (includes games, shoes, and prizes)  
Sun Ray Bowling Lanes  
2245 Hudson Road, St. Paul MN 55119



Round up your family members & friends for an afternoon of fun and friendly competition – plus a Silent Auction to support Christ Lutheran School's Playground Fund. Use the QR code to sign up and pay!

Questions can be directed to Jenn Keppers at 651-470-2501.

**Open Gym** for grades K-7 will be hosted by our Christ Lutheran Church youth group on **March 20** from 4-6p. All CLS students are invited!



## March 9-13

### Coming Up:

- Feb. 28 Preschool and K Super Saturday at CLS 10-11a
- Mar. 1 Middle School Band Concert at SCLA 2:30p
- Mar. 4 Lenten Services 4:30 & 6:30p NSP; 6:30p Hugo
- Mar. 9-13 Spring Break! No School Preschool-8
- Mar. 18 Lenten Services 4:30 & 6:30p NSP; 6:30p Hugo
- Mar. 20 End of 3rd Quarter
- Mar. 21 CLS Bowling 2-5p

### Field Trips:

- ♦ Mar. 24 In House Author Visit Cary Bolstorff



## STAY CONNECTED—Follow CLS on Social Media



Help us spread the word about our amazing school!

If you haven't already, be sure to **follow us on social media** to stay up to date on school events, student achievements, and important announcements.

The more you **like, comment, and share** our posts, the more people will see them—helping us grow our school community and reach new families!



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**Our next CHAPEL on Friday, March 6,** will be given by Pastor Roecker from St. Andrew's and is entitled "Jesus Quenches Our Spiritual Thirst." Nicholas Harrington will play for chapel.

**2nd Semester Mission:** Immanuel Hmong Lutheran Church. Gathered to date: \$273.59. All visitors are welcome (9:25a)!

## Sports:



### Basketball

Coming Up:

#### February 27-March 1

MN State Lutheran Boys A Team Tournament held at Concordia University

Friday, February 27 at 4:30 vs, St. John's, Redwood Falls

### GO COUGARS!

### MN State High School League Wrestling

Former CLS student. Bryson Johnson, qualified for the MN state wrestling tournament! As a St. Croix Lutheran freshman, Bryson (24-11) faced off against Adrian Mincey (36-3) of Simley High School at Grand Casino Arena in the first round of the tournament. Bryson lost his match, but we congratulate him on his first State appearance!

## This Week at CLS

Preschool-grade 4 sang of their wonderful Redeemer on Wednesday! Band students practiced for and played in Sunday's SCLA concert! Fine Arts Festival sign ups and choir rehearsals are underway! A Super Saturday was held for Cornerstone/CLS preschoolers and K kids! The A boys competed in the state Lutheran basketball tournament and meanwhile, down the hall...

Jesus forgives Zacchaeus, dental health, rhyming practice (preschool); Dr. DeSoto and story beginnings, middles and endings, plants and what they need (K);

making kinetic sand, adverbs that tell when (1); reviewing three digit subtraction/regrouping, volcanoes, uppercase cursive (2); Jesus' parables, using the dictionary (with thanks to the NSP Rotarians for grade 3's new dictionaries) (3-4); the ten commandments' conclusion, constellations, ancient African religions/ governments, dividing fractions (5-6); Isaiah study, atoms, the periodic table, adverb/adjective test (7-8)! Thank you for your support of Christian education!

## 2026 LENTEN SERVICES It Is Finished— The Holy Week Prophecies of Zechariah

### March 4

#### *The One Pierced*

NSP 4:30 & 6:30 Pastor Wessel

#### *What's He Worth*

Hugo 6:30p Pastor Edwards

### March 11

#### *What's He Worth*

NSP 4:30 & 6:30 Pastor Edwards

#### *Scattered Sheep*

Hugo 6:30 Pastor Krueger

### March 18

#### *Scattered Sheep*

NSP 4:30 & 6:30 Pastor Krueger

#### *The Truth...*

Hugo 6:30 Pastor Lor

### March 25

#### *The Truth...*

NSP 4:30 & 6:30 Pastor Lor

#### **Kingly Priest**

Hugo 6:30 Pastor Wolfe

### April 2

Holy Thursday

### April 5

Easter Sunday

### April 3

Good Friday

## St. Croix Lutheran Academy Gala "Night at the Museum"

Saturday, April 25

The campus will be transformed into a mysterious museum filled with priceless artifacts to bid on and games to play!

\$100 Early bird tickets are on sale through Feb. 28, 2026.

\$125 Regular tickets go on sale March 1.



**KIX (Kids In Christ) continues every Sunday at both the NSP and Hugo campuses**

Children from Kindergarten to 6th grade in NSP and age 4—grade 5 in Hugo are welcome to attend after worship. See you there!

## 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!

