

# Tuesday Note

December 17, 2019

"Do not be afraid. I bring you good news of great joy that will be for all the people. Today in the town of David a Saviour has been born to you; He is Christ the Lord."

Luke 2:10-11

# LAST DAY OF SCHOOL, EARLY DISMISSAL, FIRST DAY BACK

Our last day of classes before the Christmas Break will be this Friday, December 20. <u>Please note that dismissal will be at 2pm and there will be no After School Care that day</u>. Also, we want to be sure that all of our students take home any winter outerwear that they may be keeping in their lockers ... so that they can enjoy any snow that falls during the break; no one wants to miss the opportunity to play outside! Our first day back to school following the Christmas Break will be Monday, January 6, 2020. Students may sign up for Monday's hot lunch of hot dogs on that day if you wish.



#### CHRISTMAS RECITAL

As we have in years past, we will end 2019 with a Christmas Recital in our Chapel on Friday, December 20 at 1pm. Students from Grade 1 through Grade 8 will have the opportunity to share some of the songs and instrumental pieces they have been working on at home with the other children in our school. This, coupled with the singing of some of our favourite Christmas carols, is just a beautiful way to end the calendar year, and prepare for the celebration of Jesus' birth at Christmas. Of course, you are all welcome to join us...we'd love to have you!

# GLORY TO THE NEWBORN KING

Those of you who were able to join us for our Christmas pageant this past Tuesday were thrilled to witness a wonderful production of the Christmas story by our students from PK to Grade 8 ...we know you enjoyed it from your enthusiastic responses. I'd like to take this opportunity to thank all of our children for their hard work and joy in sharing the special message of the birth of Jesus so beautifully in words and pictures and songs. Thank you also to Mrs. Farren, Miss Procknow and to all of our staff for their efforts on behalf of the children. You were all inspirational!



### **UPCOMING EVENTS**

#### Wednesday, December 18

- Chapel 8:30
- Boys' Basketball Practice
   3:30 5:00 p.m.

#### Friday, December 20

- Christmas Recital 1:00 p.m.
- Early Dismissal 2:00 p.m.
- No ASC

#### **LUNCH CHANGE**

The lunch menu for Friday, Dec. 20<sup>th</sup>, will be as follows:

# Perogies, salad and cake.

There was a bit of a mix up and pancakes were served last

Friday. Sorry for any inconvenience arising from this change.

# MARK YOUR CALENDARS

January 6	Epiphany
	First Day Back to School
	Girls' Basketball Practice
January 7	Chess Club resumes
January 8	Boys' Basketball Practice
January 15	Class Photos, Grad Photos
	Individual Photo Retakes
January 24	P.A. Day (No School for Students)
February 11	FLCA Open House
February 18	Family Day
February 21	Basketball Tournament at ASC
February 25	Shrove Tuesday
February 26	Ash Wednesday

EXCELLENCE IN EDUCATION IN A CHRIST-CENTRED LEARNING ENVIRONMENT

If you are looking for a place to worship this Christmas season, you are welcome to join us at First Lutheran Church, on the corner of Victoria Ave. & Giles Blvd. W.



Sunday School Carol Service Sunday, December 22 at 11 a.m.

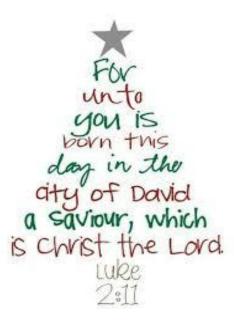
German Service of Lessons and Carols Christmas Eve, Tuesday, December 24 at 5 p.m.

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English Service of Lessons and Carols Christmas Eve, Tuesday, December 24 at 7 p.m.

Festival Holy Communion Service Christmas Day Wednesday, December 25 at 11 a.m.

May God bless you and your loved ones this Christmas! Merry Christmas and Happy New Year





From the Staff of First Lutheran Christian Academy

# Please support our Advent Appeal

Our annual Advent Appeal is still underway, and we continue to see some much needed funds from friends of our Academy who understand how vital it is that we receive donations in order to support the work we do here.

At this Christmas season, won't you consider a donation to the First Lutheran Christian Academy Advent Appeal? We thank you in advance for your generosity!

# LEGO RESULTS UPDATE

As we reported last week, our Lego team had excellent results at the First Lego League Tournament at St. Clair College on December 7<sup>th</sup>.



It seems that we were even better than we said. Rather than being 8<sup>th</sup> out of 16 teams, we were 8<sup>th</sup> out of 19 teams! Way to go, Eagles!

# **BASKETBALL PRACTICES**



Girls' Team

Mondays 3:30 – 5:00 p.m.

Boys' Team

Wednesdays 3:30 - 5:00 p.m.

The WECSA Basketball Tournament will be held this year at Academie Ste. Cecile, on Friday, February 21<sup>st</sup>.

What Child is this, Who laid to rest,
On Mary's lap is sleeping?
Whom angels greet with anthems sweet,
While shepherds watch are keeping?
This, this is Christ the King,
Whom shepherds guard and angels sing;
Haste, haste, to bring Him laud,
The Babe, the Son of Mary.

