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# Emmaus Chronicle

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### All School News



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#### **Upcoming Events**

- Tue, 1/30 Hot Lunch – Chicken Alfredo
- Fri, 2/2 8:30 am Chapel & mission collection
- Fri, 2/2 Hot Lunch Pizza
- Sun, 2/4 Worship 8:00/10:30 am
- Tue, 2/6 Hot Lunch Salad Bar
- Fri, 2/9 8:30 am Chapel & mission collection
- Fri, 2/9 Hot Lunch Mini Chimis
- Fri, 2/9 6:00 pm
   Father/Daughter
   Dinner & Dance
- Sun, 2/11 Worship 8:00/10:30 am
- Tue, 2/13 Hot Lunch – Pasta
- Wed, 2/14 8:30 am Chapel & mission collection

#### **Upcoming Sports**

- Tue, 1/30 3:30 pm A Girls at Pilgrim
- Tue, 1/30 3:30 pm A Boys at Grace
- Wed, 1/31 3:30 pm B Girls home vs Emmanuel
- Wed, 1/31 4:30 pm
   B Boys home vs
   Emmanuel



Arizora Lutheran Schools Week 2018 #WELS

#### **Arizona Lutheran Schools Week 2018**

More than 41,000 students attending WELS schools have heard about the love their Savior has for them within the 519 schools in our synod. Praise the Lord for this blessing!

Here in Arizona, over 650 students are currently enrolled in our WELS schools. These families partner with us to help their children continue to grow in their faith, hearing God's Word daily, reminding them they while they are still sinners, they are forgiven. Their great God is truly the Rock of their lives.

Arizona Lutheran Schools System Week provides us the opportunity to come together to celebrate the treasure we've been given: our schools, God's gift to our churches and our families.

We serve a diverse population in Arizona. God continues to open doors in various ways throughout the communities we serve allowing more families to hear his message. Our students might be life-long Christians or they may be hearing about Jesus for the very first time. No matter where they fall on that spectrum, the power of God's Word is at work in our school. The curriculum in our schools is permeated with the foundation of the Rock, Jesus. Students hear the good news of Christ crucified and lives are being transformed.

Our mission is to provide an excellent education that is firmly grounded on God's Word. Everything we do within our schools is about impacting hearts and lives with the love of Christ. God is blessing our ministry every day. We praise him for his amazing love and celebrate this work that has everlasting significance.

Father/Daughter Dance – All girls and their dads are invited to come for an evening of food, dance and fun at the Emmaus Father/Daughter Dance. It is on Friday, February 9<sup>th</sup>, from 6:00 – 8:00 pm. This free event is hosted by Emmaus Lutheran Church. Dinner will be provided. Please sign up in the school office by February 6<sup>th</sup> if you would like to attend.

#### Basketball - Games this week:

**Tuesday,** A GIRLS at Pilgrim at 3:30pm We will leave Emmaus at 2:15pm and plan to return to school between 5:30pm and 6:00pm.

**Tuesday,** A BOYS at Grace at 3:30pm. We will leave Emmaus at 2:45pm and plan to return to school around 4:45pm

**Wednesday,** B TEAMS HOME against Emmanuel. Girls play at 3:30pm and Boys play at 4:30pm.

Concession Stand Help – We would like to run a concession stand during our home basketball games. We will need adults to run the stand. There is a list in the office where you can sign up to help at any of the home games. If you could help or have questions, please speak with Mr. Plocher or Mrs. Conklin.

Concession Stand Donations – We need donations of items for the concession stand. Examples of items are – Gatorade, candy bars, individual bags of chips, etc.... Items can be brought to the office. If you have any questions, please speak with Mr. Plocher or Mrs. Conklin.

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<u>Call Extended</u> – The Holy Spirit led the voting members of Emmaus Lutheran Church to call Mrs. Ruth Vogt to teach 1<sup>st</sup> & 2<sup>nd</sup> grade and Mr. Darren Vogt to teach 5<sup>th</sup> & 6<sup>th</sup> grade and be our Athletic Director. Mr. & Mr. Vogt currently teach at East Fork Lutheran School in Whiteriver, AZ. Please keep Mr. and Mrs. Vogt in your prayers as they deliberate the call to Emmaus and their current call to East Fork.

Tuition Tax Credit – Have you talked to your friends and family about making a donation to ACSTO and recommending your child for a scholarship? Any AZ taxpayer can donate before they file their taxes (up to April 15th) and still claim a tax credit for 2017! If they make their donation before January 31st, we will receive those funds in late February or beginning of March. Don't delay - ask today!!

Feel free to share this information on Facebook or other social media. It's an easy way to ask friends and families to help you provide a Christian education for your child.

www.acsto.org is the site to send people to for making donations or for getting more information.

<u>Please join us for worship</u> - Our weekly church services are on Sunday at 8:00 and 10:30 AM, with Bible Study for children, teens and adults at 9:15 AM. We'd love to worship with you!

<u>Chapel</u> - Our Chapel service will be held on Fridays at 8:30 am. Parents are encouraged to join us if it works into your schedule. Mission envelopes are sent home every Thursday for chapel on Friday. Please help teach your child that it's not the amount that you give in chapel that is most important; it's a way for them to say thanks to God for all the things He has given us.

Our new mission project is for Law & Gospel Lutheran Church in the Philippines. This church was founded in 2015 by Pastor Alvien De Guzman. Our mission offerings so far total \$99.12.

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