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The Power of Words

It seems to be a recurring pattern this year that many of my classroom devotions center around the idea of the Power of Words. Words can be very powerful in many ways – both positive and negative. I have heard some very inspiring speakers, and I have witnessed, and said some things that would not make God very proud. As you read the Bible, you see how powerful the words of Christ are. You can also see how powerful words can be in stories like mans fall into sin where Adam and Eve used words to “blame” someone else for their sin. Or when Peter uses words to deny he even knows Jesus. As Parents, Students, and Teachers, our words can be used to build each other up, to praise God, to offer prayers, and to tear others down. I for one will admit that I have sinned through words that have come out of my mouth. I have hurt people with words. I have also used the words “Please forgive me.” I strive to use words to build my students up. I use the phrase “I Love You”. Please look at how powerful words are and how you are using them. Say a prayer for guidance in your use of words. Blessings on the rest of your week.

– Mr. Kumm

St. Paul Marketplace

Ladies and Gentlemen of Immanuel, St. Paul, and Christ the King Lutheran School: Come One, Come All -St. Paul Fall Shopping Expo is planned for October 24, 2009 from 9:00 am to 4:00 pm at the CTK-Unionville Campus Gym. Home business vendors with homemade crafts, fancywork, plus Pampered Chef, Mary Kay, Avon, Usborne Books, etc., plus a mini bazaar “The St. Paul Marketplace” will be held. Special Featured Items include a homemade Baby Quilt and a handcrafted Oak Pendulum Clock. A luncheon will be served by the Ladies Aid starting at 10:30 am. For more information, please call the Church office at St. Paul Lutheran Church - 674-8681.

Proceeds will help with expenses related to the Church and School Repair projects.

CTK Spirit Wear

Almost all items have arrived. They are now beings printed or embroidered. Look for your items to be complete sometime next week. We will send your items home with your child unless you indicated otherwise when you placed your order. If you would like something else done with your order (if they are gifts), please notify the school office. If you noted this on your order, there is no need to contact the school.

Thank You

Thanks to Everyone for donating, working, and buying at the Moonlight Bake Sale. The profit was near \$800.

Christ the King Lutheran School would like to extend a Thank You to the Adam Families for organizing the Pumpkins for Jesus project.

The Adam Families would like to thank everyone who purchased a pumpkin at the Pumpkins of Jesus booth at Moonlight Madness. Proceeds of approximately \$400 will benefit CTKL. Thanks for your support.

MEAP Testing

October marks the annual MEAP test, which is administered to grades 3-8. Please be sure students get a good night sleep and eat a good breakfast prior to testing. Test schedule is as follows: **Tues, Oct. 13: Reading (3-8), Thur, Oct. 15: Reading (3-8), Wed, Oct. 21: Math (3-8), Thur, Oct. 22: Sci (Gr 5,8) Social Studies (Gr 6) and Writing (Gr 4,7)**

Thrivent Matching

If you haven't already heard, the Thrivent Giving Plus program will be coming to an end at the end of 2009. We are asking that you please consider giving a gift to Christ the King

Lutheran School, or Christ the King Lutheran Early Childhood Center before the end of 2009. Thrivent will match your gift \$0.50 for every \$1 up to \$600. Forms are available at the school office, outside the church office, and individuals will be present after church if you have any questions.

Technology Needs

We are looking to upgrade our Mavis Beacon Typing software. The cost of upgrading is about \$750. We would also like to look into some network licenses for software at the Unionville Campus, as well as chairs for the lab at Sebewaing. The chairs are about \$50 each. Contributions for these projects can be directed to the school office. If you have any questions, please see Mr. Kumm

Sports Corner

Upcoming Games:

Soccer: Th 10-8 at Frankentrost - 4:30
 T 10-13 at Home vs. Richville - 4:30
 Th 10-15 - TCLL Tourn. 1st Rd - TBA
 Sa 10-17 - TCLL Tourn. 2nd Rd - TBA

VB 8th/Silver: Sa 10-10 - VLHS Tournament - **8th Only**
 M 10-12 - at Akron-Fairgrove (Akron)- 4:00
 W 10-14 - at Frankentrost - 4:30
 W 10-21 at Home v. OwenGage and Caseville
 4:30 and 6:30 - **8th Grade Only**
 F 10-23 - TCLL Tourn 1st Rd - TBA
 Sa 10-24 - TCLL Tourn 2nd Rd - TBA

VB 7th/Blue: Sa 10-10 - VLHS Tournament - **7th Only**
 M 10-12 - at St. Paul-Flint - 5:00
 W 10-14 - at Peace-Saginaw - 5:00
 F 10-23 - TCLL Tourn 1st Rd - TBA
 Sa 10-24 - TCLL Tourn 2nd Rd - TBA

Bi-Weekly Calendar

Sun. 10-11 - Kind. And 7th Handbells at St. Paul - 10:30
 Sun. 10-18 - Cherub Choir and 8th Handbells at Imm - 10:30
 M-T 10-19/20 - On-Site Accreditation Visit
 Sa. 10-24 - St. Paul Marketplace - 9:00-4:00
 Sun. 11-1 - Jr. Children's Choir at Bach or Kilmanagh - TBA
 Th-F 10-29-30 - No School - MANS Conf.
 Sa 10-31 - Trunk or Treat at CTK-Sebewaing

School Lunch Menu

M 10-12 - Mac and Cheese	M 10-19 - Chicken Nuggets
T 10-13 - Hamburgers w/Fries	T 10-20- Hamb. Gvy w/ Mash.
W 10-14 - Pizza	W 10-21 - Lasagna
Th 10-15 - Sliced Ham	Th 10-22 - Ham/Cheese Bagel
F 10-16 - Walking Taco	F 10-23- Grl. Chs. w/ Tm Soup

Church Attendance

	9/27	10/4		9/27	10/4
Kindergarten:	78%	56%	Fifth Grade:	77%	69%
First Grade:	61%	56%	Sixth Grade:	76%	71%
Second Grade:	64%	73%	Seventh Grade:	71%	57%
Third Grade:	85%	46%	Eighth Grade:	94%	71%
Fourth Grade:	63%	69%	Faculty:	92%	92%

Hot Lunch Helpers

We would like to remind all parents that when they are scheduled as a **Hot Lunch Helper**, they are NOT to wear flip-flops, or open footwear when working. This could result in a health code violation on our records at CTK.

Pre-S/Pre-K Helpers

Parents of Pre-School and Pre-Kindergarten students are reminded that we need to schedule parent volunteers to be in the classroom in order to be in compliance with State Guidelines with Student/Teacher-Adult Ratio. **It is your responsibility to find a replacement and to notify Mrs. Vermeersch of a replacement if you cannot work your scheduled day.**

We are still having difficulty with this. Other action or policy will have to be put in place if we continue to have days with no volunteers, or no-shows.

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