

KNIGHTWATCH

January 29, 2021





Adam Kirsch

FROM THE PRINCIPAL . . .

Q) Why is Jesus' death and resurrection so important? A) To give thanks

Our theme for the year focuses on the idea that we need to be prepared to answer the questions for the reason for the hope that we have. There are questions that non-Christians have of Christians in relation to our faith. Throughout the year we will focus on answers to these questions through a lens on the central figure to our faith – Jesus Christ.

We have spent much of the year focusing on the action of Jesus Christ – His divinity, His presence in this world, and His actions that led to our salvation. So what is our response? We were created to worship. We were created to proclaim His wonderful deeds. Our first response, after acknowledging our own shortcomings is to give thanks for what God has given us – both material items as well as the daily spiritual blessings he showers upon us.

Rejoice always, pray without ceasing, give thanks in all circumstances; for this is the will of God in Christ Jesus for you. (1 Thessalonians 5:16-18)

In the midst of the storm, we can't always see the sun. When we are going through trials, we may not be able to appreciate the blessings. However, we are called to give thanks – in all of life's situations. Rejoicing always means giving thanks for the gifts as well as the challenges. We know that God is working for our good. We know that our reward is promised to us. We worship Jesus and give Him thanks because of our current situation but also because of our future – a future loaded with promise and abundant with hope (1 Peter 3:15).



UPCOMING EVENTS...

CANCELLED January 29: Paint Night, 4 – 6 pm

February 5: No School, Professional Dev.

February 16: Roller Skate Night, 6:30 – 8:30 pm

SNOW DAYS In the event severe weather conditions would occur, please check one of the local media

outlets for information on school closings. Our recommendation is that you check the WTMJ website (www.todaystmj4.com) for the earliest and most up-to-date information. Other media outlets broadcasting school closings include:

Television: WTMJ-4, FOX-6, WISN-12, CBS-58 Radio: 94.5 KTI Country, 620WTMJ

Internet: fox6now.com/weather, WISN.com, cbs58.com

Since our students come from many parts of the metropolitan area, weather conditions may vary from one area to another. Please use discretion in sending your child to school even though school may be in session. A guideline to use in making your decision would be the decision that your local public school district has made. (Example: If you live in Cedarburg and the Cedarburg school district has closed due to the weather, consider keeping your child home from school that day.)

In the event that a sudden snowstorm forces school to close before the regular closing time, make certain that your child knows exactly where to go and what to do should no one be home during the school day.

ATTENDANCE PROCEDURES . . .

FOR ALL STUDENTS - REPORTING A STUDENT ABSENT OR LATE Absences must be reported to the Attendance Office by email attendance@milwaukeelutheran.org OR (414) 461-6062 by 9 AM on the day of the absence.

EARLY RELEASE If you need to have your student released early, please Email attendance@milwaukeelutheran.org or call the attendance office (414) 461-6062 AT LEAST ONE HOUR IN **ADVANCE**. Last minute calls may result in a delayed dismissal.

GETTING A MESSAGE TO A STUDENT If you need to get a message to a student, please attendance@milwaukeelutheran.org OR call (414) 461-6062 and a message will be sent to the student through student mail.

Please note that due to the large volume of calls and activity in the attendance office you may have to leave a message. Messages are checked often and the call will be handled accordingly.Thank you for your assistance in this matter!

ACADEMIC ADVISING . . .

STUDENT/COUNSELOR ASSIGNMENTS:

E. JANOUSKY: Juniors GUTTER: Freshmen SINCLAIR: Sophomores STEINKE: Seniors

L. KOEBERT: Transition

Week of February 1 - February 5







OFFICE of SCHOOL CULTURE/Dean of Students

A reminder that we have a different schedule next week due to Professional Development on Friday. Group A will be in the building Monday and Tuesday (Feb 1 and 2). Group B will be in the building Wednesday and Thursday (Feb 3 and 4). There will be no school on Friday, Feb 5.

According to our plan that we submitted to the Milwaukee Health Dept., our building is open to students from 7:15-4:15. With it being colder outside, it is very important that students are picked up from school before 4:15.

In regards to any policies/procedures, please feel free to contact me. My contact information is jkalkopf@milwaukeelutheran.org and 414-461-6000x205.

Arrival To School

- -The earliest students can enter the building is 7:15.
- -Please aim for arrival by 7:50 as classes begin at 8:00. Students need to be on time.

Dress Code

- -Masks must be worn in the building. If a student is a repeat offender of not bringing a mask to school, they will be charged \$2 for a mask.
- -Rips/Tears/Frays are not allowed in jeans or any other clothing
- -No writing on shirts is allowed unless it is a Christian message, a team/school, or a name brand. T-shirts with musicians, movies, and tv shows are not allowed.
- -If a student is out of dress code, they will not be allowed in class.

Parking Permit/Driving

- -If a student is parking in the school parking lot, they need to either renew their permit from last year or get a parking permit. The cost is \$10. Please see Ms. Adams regarding parking permits.
- -Students that are driving should review our Parking Lot Regulations/Violations on p. 127 in the school planner.

After-School Procedures

- -Please continue to arrange for pick-ups to be as close to 3:20 as possible.
- -Students can be on school property until 4:15.

The verse of encouragement I chose for today is from Lamentations 3:22-24: "Because of the Lord's great love we are not consumed, for his compassions never fail. They are new every morning, great is your faithfulness. I say to myself, "The Lord is my portion; therefore I will wait for him." Have a great weekend!

God's Blessings,

Mr. Joe Kalkopf, Dean of Culture



Dean of Culture



Dean of Students



Counselor

ADMISSIONS...

Do you know anyone that has a current 8th grader in their family? If so, here is the MLHS Admissions process that you are welcomed to pass onto them. If they have any admissions questions, they should reach out to Mrs. Janousky, Director of Admissions, at rjanousky@milwaukeelutheran.org



Rachel Janousky Director of Admissions



Checklist to Become a Red Knight

MILWAUKEE LUTHERAN HIGH SCHOOL 2021-2022 School Year

ALL STEPS must be completed for your child to attend MLHS.

You need both <u>ACADEMIC ACCEPTANCE</u> and a <u>CHOICE SEAT or</u> <u>TUITION PLAN</u> to be accepted and enrolled at MLHS.

Complete an online application at www.milwaukeelutheran.org . Click on Admissions tab at the top and "Get Started."
Register for a Placement Exam. Students will register to take the Placement Exam on the online application.
Take a VIRTUAL Placement Exam at MLHS (upcoming dates are either December 5th or January 23)
After a Placement Test has been taken, you will receive your test results and a Next Step Letter . If academically accepted, you will be prompted to finish an enrollment form. To enroll, either log back into your online application or use the link found in your 'New Student Welcome' email.
Remember to set up a payment plan in February! (see next step)
Starting February 1, 2021, apply for a Choice Seat OR set up a Tuition Payment Plan :
☐ Choice: Apply online for a MPCP seat (February 1 – 22, April 1 – 20, July 1 – 20, 2021) or a WPCP seat (February 1, – April 15, 2021). When Choice Seats are filled, a wait list will be started. APPLY EARLY! (see Milwaukee/Wisconsin Parental Choice Programs sheet)
☐ Tuition : After being academically accepted, enroll & set up a billing agreement. To enroll, either log back into your online application or use the link found in your 'New Student Welcome' email.
Select Classes. We will contact you in the Spring to sign up for a Freshman Course Selection Night only AFTER <u>Academic Acceptance</u> AND a <u>Choice Seat or Tuition Plan</u> are verified.

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2021-2022 School Year CHOICE Programs Application Process Begins Soon!

This is a reminder to all our current families that our first MPCP Open Enrollment Period begins February 1, 2021 and ends February 22, 2021 (WPCP is February 1 - April 15, 2021). The online application process remains the same as last year and you will be able to log in starting **MONDAY**, **February 1**, at the following link with the email and password that you used last year: www.dpi.wi.gov/choice

EVERY CURRENT CHOICE STUDENT MUST RE-APPLY EVERY YEAR!

If you aren't a current Choice family and think that you may qualify for the CHOICE program this year, go to the above link and click on 2021-2022 Income Limits to see if you qualify. It is STRONGLY recommended that you apply for CHOICE during the February open enrollment period, as all our MPCP seats will be filled during that month, and you will be on a wait list if you apply after February – we can NOT guarantee your student a CHOICE seat at Milwaukee Lutheran if you apply during a later open enrollment period! Please email me at choice@milwaukeelutheran.org with any questions.

Debbie Janke, Choice Coordinator Milwaukee Lutheran High School

ATHLETICS . . .

Milwaukee Lutheran Athletics Week of February 1st to February 5th:

Please refer to our website for Athletic events: www.RedKnightAthletics.org



STUDENT ACTIVITIES . . .



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Vonderheide Student Activities Director

Roller Skate Night: Join us for more skating fun at Butler Skateland on Tuesday 2/16 @ 6:30-8:30pm. This event is for current MLHS students only, and school IDs will be checked at the door. The cost per student is \$10, which includes your skate rental and 2 hours of skating. A portion of proceeds will go towards funding this year's Prom! Students must pre-register for the event. Registration is now open and will close on 2/12. *Please note: masks will be required at all times.

To register and pay, follow this link to access

Efunds: https://payments.efundsforschools.com/v3/districts/56396/

- Select "Pay for Optional Fees"
- Select "Login", "Create Account", or "Continue as Guest" and follow the prompts
 - o If needed, the 5-digit "student number" can be found in Skyward → Student Info → Other ID or on the student's School ID
- Select the event and follow the checkout prompts

Mental Health Week: During the week of February 22nd, we will have some fun and mindful activities planned to help you relax, laugh, and breathe!

CURRENT NEWS CONTINUED...

LAST CALL TO BUY AN AD IN THE YEARBOOK FOR YOUR SENIOR OR BUSINESS!! Do you want to shout out your senior son or daughter in the yearbook for them to remember for years to come? Or advertise your company/business for future prospects in high schoolers? You can purchase a full page, half, quarter, or even an eighth of a page, in full color. Contact Mrs. Tennies @ ktennies@milwaukeelutheran.org for more information and the form to fill out. "Yearbook Ad" deadline is extended until February 19th, 2021.

LAST CALL TO BUY A YEARBOOK - is March 1st, 2021! Purchasing a yearbook is fast and easy! Visit www.jostens.com/yearbook to purchase your child a yearbook for this year. The cost is only \$65 - but you must purchase one before March 1st! We have limited available after March so check that off the "to do list" now before it's too late! Questions - email Mrs. Tennies the Yearbook Advisor at any time at ktennies@milwaukeelutheran.org

HEY JUNIORS!

COLLEGE POSSIBLE IS RECRUITING STUDENTS AT YOUR SCHOOL

IF YOU ARE...

- + A junior (graduating in 2022)
- + Have a cumulative GPA of 2.0+
- + Interested in pursuing a Bachelor's Degree



We offer support on:

- College exploration
- ACT registration and preparation
- College applications
- Financial aid & more!

...APPLY FOR COLLEGE POSSIBLE TODAY!

Go to CollegePossible.org/Join and complete the online application.

Questions? Email AMiner@CollegePossible.org

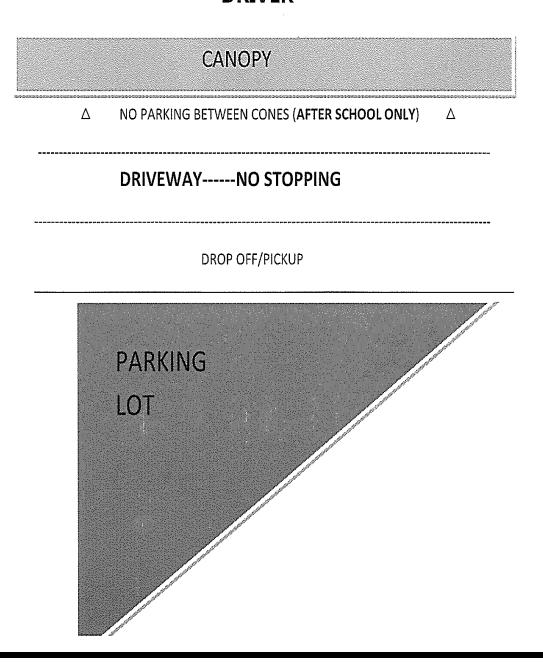


MONDAY, Feb. 1 – Chicken Alfredo, Bosco Stick TUESDAY, Feb. 2 – Beefy Nachos, Pretzels w/Cheese WEDNESDAY, Feb. 3 – Chicken Alfredo, Bosco Stick THURSDAY, Feb. 4 – Beefy Nachos, Pretzels w/Cheese FRIDAY, Feb. 5 – No School, Professional Development MONDAY, Feb. 8 – No Lunch, Virtual Instruction TUESDAY, Feb. 9 – Chicken Patty, Hash Brown WEDNESDAY, Feb. 10 – Quesadillas THURSDAY, Feb. 11 – Quesadillas FRIDAY, Feb. 12 – Chicken Patty, Hash Brown

<u>PARKING LOT SAFETY:</u> For the safety of all our students and parents, please find below a few reminders about dropping off/picking up your student(s) in the morning and after school.

- 1. When picking up after school, please DO NOT park between the orange cones. This area is designated for the buses.
- 2. When dropping off in the morning, you may pull up next to the canopy or next to the parking lot. Please DO NOT stop in the middle of the driveway this causes congestion.
- 3. Please **DRIVE SLOWLY** at all times and watch for pedestrians crossing.

"THANK YOU FOR BEING A COURTEOUS AND SAFE DRIVER"



2020/2021 1st Semester - Academic Recognition

High Honor Roll - Class of 2021

(G.P.A.: 3.50-4.00) 4.0 Students Indicated in Bold

Baas, Lydia
Barnes, Tianna N.
Bell, Naomi E.
Blue, Kenasia K.
Brown, Myah A.
Buchanan, Kallei A.
Chan-Viramontes, Mia
Deal, Odis L. Jr.
Everett, Aaron I.
Goodman, Jordan R.

Gray, Karon
Grayson, Christian M.
Heard, Jailah C.
Huynh, Kevin T.
James, Tyesha M.
Jiles, KaiJanae D.
Johnson, Alexis N.
Johnson, Carlito N.
Knight, Kathleen A.

Landingham, Sa'Nya
McKibbins, Taylor L.
McNeail-Grace, Antoine I
Morgan, Zion D.
Neal, Elysa J.
Nguyen, Phuong Uyen D.
Nicholas-Long, Deavion L.
O'Neil, Deaveion M.
Owens, Indya M.

Pula, Jasmine R.
Sanchez, Lori E.
Semons, Jayla P.
Springer, Nala P.
Steinke, Amanda M.
White, Armonie T.
Williams, Demetrius K. II
Willis, Alexander C. Jr.
Yang, Faith B.

Honor Roll – Class of 2021

(G.P.A.: 3.0-3.499)

Barley, Isaiah Bean, Jamera Bell-Holloway, Ter'Vonr Bohn, Leona R. Bonds, Chardonnay Burkes, Zyhair M. Campbell-Carson, Keina Daniel, Kaleb L.
Davis, Markayla E.
Dixon, Zara R.
English, Jamille D. Jr.
Gray, Sania L.
Harris, Cory A.
Johnson, Amarae S.

Johnson, Deshawn
Jones, Caleb J.
Jones, Kevin D. Jr.
McCroy-Nelson, Aniyah D.
Nkulu, Stephie F.
Pulanco, Alexis E.
Richardson, Quinnay C.

Scott, Devin J.
Stubbs, Eriana K.
Taylor, Alexandria D.
Vang, Valerie
Ward, A'taesha B.
Webster, Anecia R.
Williams, D'Marius

High Honor Roll – Class of 2022

(G.P.A.: 3.50-4.00) 4.0 Students Indicated in Bold

Adam, Victoria K.
Aderele, Adetofunmi N
Armstead, Genesis
Bansemar, Amalia K.
Cronce, Claire
Dodd, Amiyah A.
English, Jamarkis S.
Gordon, Meziah A.
Granston, Rahul

Griffin, Isaiah Griffin, Tiara S. Jackson, Ashanti S. James, Katelynn M. Jones, Anaya Khoelisho, Julia Lewis, Jaylen A. Muhammad, Anyah J. Nguyen, Danny Patterson, Asiah S.
Perkins, TaDarion
Prado, Jade K.
Reh, Lee
Rossa, Camryn M.
Rossa, Chloe
Rush, Breia S.
Schmidt, Isaac P.
Seymour, Sophia J.

Shafer-Thornton, Taylor S. Strelow, Clara G. Thiemer, Abigail C. **Thiemer, Joshua I.** Williams, Saniah M. Williams, Terrence L. II Yang, Ping Ger I.

Honor Roll – Class of 2022

(G.P.A.: 3.0-3.499)

Barnes, Nellijah M. Bitters, Dylan J. Chambers, Isaiah L. Curtiss, Raymond Davis, Courtney E. Jr. Dunn, Aryana A. Evans-Gray, Shayla Flowers, LaSierra Hernandez Miranda, Nicole Kato, Mariah M. Knox, Zekeyiah Lewis, Jada N. Mitchell, Malikai J.
Nabors, Terrence Jr.
Ornelas, Andrea
Perry, Serenity S.
Rhodes-Winfrey, Jaiden J.
Roberts, Christiana A.

Sampton, Naomi Townsell, Stephanie T. Tucker, Anaiyah N. Tyler, Jeremiiah Weber, Emily J.

Robinson, Christasia L.

		- Class of 2023 Students Indicated in Bold	
Belcher, Lamareana D. Bennett, Cameron X. Booker, Emory H. IV Cole, Franklin M. Coleman, Sania A. Getty, Jayden J. Hunter, Jasmine P.	Hurndon, Fabian Marshall, Jerrold J. JR Martin, Derrick J. JR Matuszewski, Madison May, Brooklynn A. Nash, Micael A.	Newman, Gisele N. Osuji, Augustine U. Phillips, Tatiana D. Pringle, Nevaeh C. Scruggs, Jazmine D. Siong, Michael L.	Smith, Alexis M. Strickland, Aeriel N. Taylor, Alison M. Townsend, Nevaeh M. Weddle, Le'Ajah Q. Wolff, Caleb A.
		Class of 2023 3.0-3.499)	
Anderson-Williams, Anmya M. Bonds, Ciara R. Brooks, Kaleaha U. Chatman, Ariel M.	Duckworth, Camariana M. Feliciano, Noemi R. Fisher, Matthew IV Giles, Carlos JR Mims, Terri A.	Porter, Shatyra L. Reel, Janijah H. Rivera, Lola E. Rutherford, Jalen M. Senesom, Jaylen S.	Smith, A'Iyana A. Smith, Telilah Stephens, Aaliyah Whitney, Jeremiah I.
		- Class of 2024 Students Indicated in Bold	
Allen, Alivia Armstead, Zaniah Avant, Zaniya Bealer, Tierrah Brown, Darnell Jr. Clay, Bryanna M. George, Nevaeh Gepner, Caleb	Hood, Jeremy Hood, Summer Johnson, Harmony Johnson, Jayla Kouakou, Schekina Malonga, Dora Massey, Michael III McNeal, Khalil	Ogunsina, Oyedunmola Rittmon, Nia Robinson, Mariyah Rogers, Myana Seymour, Greta Simmons, Leia Sledge, Torie Smith, Nickia	Sow, Boubakar Stewart, Tianna Travis, Amaya Webb, Nivea Willis, Camia Wilson-Wiley, Kaleea Wright, Jordan Yang, Alana
		Class of 2024 3.0-3.499)	
Adeniyi, Ayomide Allen, Ja'Leah L. Anderson, Jayda Bates, Amirah Bratchett, Mister II Brister, Javari	Brown, Kathryn Bruce, Nariah Byrd, Carjereia Davis, Alysia Edwards, Malek Evans, Arianna	Greer, Telia Johnson, Rodney JR Jones, Elijah Knox, Keyera Knox, Zanieya Moore, Lialonie	Nash-McCarty, Natash Smith-Coleman, Husha Taylor, Alaina Townes, Jamay Weinberg, Madison Williams, Skye