



This and That



From my desk

I am personally inviting all parents to our next PTL (Parent Teacher League) meeting on Monday, November 7 beginning at 6:30 pm. We meet in the school library. Bethlehem's PTL meets monthly to discuss upcoming fundraising events, financial strategies, community outreach, volunteer opportunities, and communication between school and families. Active involvement from parents ensures all encompassing decisions are made.

We look forward to our annual Thanksgiving Lunch on Friday, November 18. This is also Grandparent's Day! Grandparents will meet with me in the cafeteria at 9 am for light refreshments, sign in, and receive a name tag. A program of events will be given to you at that time. Then meet your grandchild's teacher and classmates where special activities have been planned. I look forward to meeting each of you then.

In Christ,

Michelle Fischer
Principal

Coats for Colorado

The 8th grade is collecting coats and heavy sweatshirts for the underprivileged in our Denver Community. Please drop off your unwanted coats by November 11 (adult or children's) in Mr. Breidert's 8th grade classroom or the school office.



2011/2012 Tuition Assistance

Tuition assistance forms for the second semester are now available. Please stop by the **finance office** to pick up your forms. Forms are due back to Sherry Glaubitz in the finance office **by Friday, November 11, 2011.**

Operation Christmas Child



Again this year you are invited to put together a shoe box of gifts for Operation Christmas Child. This is an easy and fun way to help spread the joy of the saving gospel to thousands of children around the world! Shoe boxes should be completed **by November 14th** and taken to the school office or Mr. Breidert's 8th grade classroom. Ask your teacher for more information!

Book Fair

A big thank-you goes out to all the parents, students and staff that helped make the 2011 Book Fair a success. If you missed it, online orders can be made until November 6th, with delivery to Bethlehem by November 10th. Go to <http://bookfairs.scholastic.com/homepage/bethluth> and click the "shop online" link. Thanks to everyone who made purchases, which will allow the school library to buy new books and supplies. Thanks to anyone who donated money for Mean Street Ministries. They received \$300 worth of books.

A special Thank YOU to Mrs. Karen Eggers for all the hours she spent coordinating this year's 2011 Book Fair. Bethlehem's Volunteers "Rock!"



Borrowed Clothing Needs Returned

If your student borrowed clothing from the school office, please wash and return so other students may have the same opportunities.



Wednesday School Chapel Service

Join us Wed., Nov. 9 at 8:30 am as Mr. Adam Winterhof, Director of Student Life Ministries, leads us in worship services. We encourage parents, congregational members and all others to join the children and staff as we call upon the name of our Lord. Offerings will support our Love Fund at Bethlehem Lutheran Church.

Prayer and Praise

A Great Way to Start Off your Thursday Mornings! Join the Prayer and Praise Group as we pray for those students and their needs in 6th grade. All 6th graders are encouraged to submit their prayer thoughts to Prayer & Praise by Wed., Nov. 9 (box is located in the school office).



Bobcat Boogie Looking for Kohl's Employees

Kohl's has an outstanding community service/volunteer program which their employees are associated with and the Bobcat Boogie would like to see if we can get some Kohl's volunteers to help with the race. If you work for Kohl's and would be willing to help the race committee reach out to this group, please contact Kim Renquest at 303-883-4628. Thanks!

Parents/Grandparents Thanksgiving Lunch

The Bethlehem Lutheran School's traditional Thanksgiving dinner will be served on Friday, November 18th. Tickets are available through the school kitchen. Adults are \$5.00 and non-school age children are \$3.00. Tickets must be purchased by Friday, November 11th. Only 260 tickets are available for purchase due to limited space and time.

DINING OUT/SOCIAL TIME

Flyers will be going home (must accompany you) for our next dining out on November 8, from 4-9pm at Little India Restaurant, 425 S. Teller St, Lakewood. This is a Bethlehem family as well, so let's help them out! See you there!

PTL Hosted Parents' Night Out

Parent's Night Out is TOMORROW from 5-10 pm! If you still need to pay for your student to attend Parent's Night Out, **cash must be received** when you check in. If your student is in Childwatch or the Early Learning Center, you must check them out from that program and check them into Camp Run a Much. Registration for Camp Run a Much is in the School Cafeteria. Students will receive name tags and be directed to the correct area.

TOPS FOR TURKEYS

Collect those box tops! Students were given their sheets to begin collecting, and turning in their box tops. There are new directions this year so please let me know if you have any questions. You may turn in as many sheets as you want. The two students who turn in the most box tops will receive a turkey for Thanksgiving. The top class will receive a cookie party. Please make sure and **CHECK THE EXPIRATION DATE** as we cannot send in expired ones! Vicki Lyons 303-736-9201

OPEN POSITIONS

Bethlehem's Before and After School Program will have an opening starting January 1, 2012 for a Group Lead in Childwatch. The hours are 6:30 am - 8:15 am and/or 3:00 pm - 6:00 pm Monday - Friday. We are looking for someone who loves building relationships with kids, is creative, and fun! Please fill out an application and leave it in the church or school office.

The Early Learning Center has an immediate opening for a 14.5 hour a week position from 3:30 - 6:00 pm Tuesday through Friday, and 1:30 - 6:00 pm on Monday. All applicants must be Early Childhood Teacher qualified, love the Lord and children. We are looking for someone who understands the preschool student, challenges and nurtures growth and development of each child and can work in a team environment. Please fill out an application and leave it in the church or school office. No calls please.



Lunch Menu

11-04-2011 Lasagna Salad French Bread Fruit Vanilla Pudding Milk	11-07-2011 Bean Tostada Cheese Breadstick Corn Fruit Cherry Cobbler Milk
11-08-2011 Chicken & noodles Crescent Roll Green Beans Fruit Misc.Desserts Milk	11-09-2011 Sloppy Joe on a Bun Tater Tots w/Ketchup Fruit Ice Cream Cookie Milk
11-10-2011 Macaroni & Cheese Broccoli Fruit Brownie Milk	11-11-2011 Chicken Patty Mashed Potatoes w/Gravy Roll Fruit Chocolate Chip Cookie Milk

Coffee Cart

November Specials	Hours/Closures
*Hot Buttered Rum Latte/Steamer	M-F 7:45am-9:00am M-F 3:00pm-3:30pm Sunday 7:30am-12Noon
Caramel Apple Cider Latte/Steamer	Closed November 23-25

Gift Cards (Scrip)

Did you know that another name for gift cards is scrip? This is a perfect chance to order gift cards for the holidays and receive money back for your tuition, or tuition assistance. All you need to do is fill out an order form and return it to the school office by November 16 with payment for the cards. It takes about a week to get the cards and I will make sure the correct amount gets credited to your school account. Look for the order form on digital locker (titled Scrip Form 112011).

Sports Corner

Schedules coming next week!

School Calendar

November	ELC Conferences	All Month
Nov. 4	Parent's Night Out	5-10 pm
Nov. 6	Daylight Savings Time	
Nov. 7	Moms in Touch	
Nov. 7	PTL Meeting	6:30
Nov. 8	Field Trip	
Nov. 8	Dining Out/Social Hour	4-9 pm
Nov. 9	Field Trip	
Nov. 10	School VIT Meeting	6:30
Nov. 11	Early Release 1 pm	K-8
Nov. 11	Club Friday	1:00-3:30
Nov. 11	Childwatch	3:30-6:00
Nov. 18	Thanksgiving Luncheon Grandparent's Day	
Nov. 23-25	NO SCHOOL	K-8
Nov. 24-25	NO SCHOOL	ELC
Nov. 24-25	Childwatch	Closed

Moms in Touch Prayer Group

All moms are invited to be a part of the Moms in Touch prayer group as we gather to pray for our children, Bethlehem community, its staff, students, and teachers! We meet every Monday in the Resource Library. For more information, contact Rita Feldmann at 303-235-0590 or Amy Landgraf at 720-981-4071.

