

# The Knightly Newsletter

*Colossians 3:15 Let the peace of Christ rule in your hearts, since as members of one body you were called to peace. And be thankful.*

## Finding Jesus

Even today, Abraham Lincoln is one of the most recognizable people of all time. His height. His hair. His hat. His beard. Even people with little interest in history can recognize Abraham Lincoln.

So here's a surprising stat: when Abraham Lincoln was running for president in 1860, it's estimated that only around 5 percent of voters knew what he looked like. With no internet and few photographs, Lincoln was nowhere near as recognizable as he is today. So how did people know whom to vote for? They had to read his words. They read the reports of his debates. They voted for him based on his word. Doesn't that sound strange? Today, everything's a spectacle. Everything's got to be entertaining.

That's why it's so easy to miss Jesus. Here's the only way to know your Savior: through his Word. Just like with Abraham Lincoln in 1860, our knowledge of Jesus doesn't come from pictures or videos. It comes from reading Jesus' words in the Bible. Jesus himself said, "You study the Scriptures diligently because you think that in them you have eternal life. These are the very Scriptures that testify about me" (John 5:39).

Want to find Jesus? Read his Word. Hear him describe his love for you that led him to a cross. Hear him talk of his plans for you, both here on earth and forever in heaven. Hear his promises that, unlike any politician, he always keeps. If you want to find Jesus, read his Word.

From Time of Grace - A WELS Ministry - written by Nathan Nass  
<https://timeofgrace.org/finding-jesus/>

**Picture Day:** Thursday, September 3.

**MAP TESTING:** September 14-17 for grades 5K-8. Homework Help

- Please make sure your child gets plenty of rest and a good breakfast.
- Please try not to schedule any appointments for these days.

## Parent / Teachers Conferences

Parent/Teacher Conferences are set for Tuesday, September 22 and Thursday, September 24. Please return the attached form to the office by Tuesday, September 8. The teachers will do their best to accommodate your request. Thank you!

**Missions** Missions collected in the months of September and October will go towards Manitowoc Lutheran High School and Fox Valley Lutheran High School. We are blessed to be served by both of these schools as our students continue their education. We collect our mission money weekly on Wednesday morning during our joint devotion.



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## Worship

### Services at Morrison campus:

- Thursday, Aug. 27 - 7 pm
- Sunday, Aug 30 - 8 am

### Services at Shirley campus:

- Sunday, Aug 30 - 9:45 am

## Bible Studies

- Thursday, Aug 27 at Shirley campus, 3 pm  
2 Peter
  - Thursday, Aug 27 Foundations of Faith at Morrison campus, 6 pm
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## **Worship services will change starting Thursday, September 10 & 13:**

- Thursday, 7 pm at Morrison
- Sundays, 8 am at Morrison
- 9 am at Shirley
- & 10:30 am at Morrison

*Communion will stay on the 1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Sundays  
at both Morrison & Shirley.*

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**Sunday School** will begin on September 13 at 9:15 am at school. For ages 3 (potty trained) through 6<sup>th</sup> grade. If you are interested in teaching or helping, contact Jen Enderle at [jen.enderle@Outlook.com](mailto:jen.enderle@Outlook.com)

**Women's Bible study** will begin on September 26 at 9:30 am and will meet at Ruth Zeamer's home. All ladies are welcome to join! Bring your Bible and invite a friend!

## Youth Group

**Sep 19, 2026**

8th grade welcome night 5-8:30 PM

**Sep 19, 2026**

Bible Study 6-8pm with snacks

**Sep 19, 2026**

Polly's Pumpkin Patch

**Oct 16, 2026**

Bible Study 6-8pm with snacks (BALC activity?)

**Oct 25, 2026**

Bible Study Blanket Making for Nursing Home 3-6PM

**Nov 22, 2026**

Bible Study 6-8pm with snacks

**Dec 5, 2026**

Bible Study & Escape Room 5-8PM

**Dec 19, 2026**

Bible Study Youth Group Christmas Party 5-8 PM

**Jan 2, 2027**

Volunteer at Food Pantry

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## FVL

The Cheer and Stunt Team is hosting the Daddy-Daughter Dance!

Girls (ages 3-13) and their dads (or other special guy) to dress up and spend an afternoon together filled with dancing, games, crafts, snacks, raffle baskets, and memories to last a lifetime!

DATE - Saturday, October 3, 2026

TIME - 1:30-4:00 PM

LOCATION - Fox Valley Lutheran High School (Commons Entrance)

COST (through October 1)

- Dad & 1 Daughter - \$30.00
- Dad & 2 Daughters - \$45.00
- Dad & 3 or More Daughters - \$50.00

Cost on the day of the event is \$20/person (cash only) with a maximum of \$60 per family.

The fee is non-refundable after October 1. Complete only one registration form per family.

Questions? Contact Angela Hoffman ([amhoffman12@yahoo.com](mailto:amhoffman12@yahoo.com))

Go to [fvlhs.org/news](http://fvlhs.org/news) for details and registration information.

# Class News

## Christ Light

Read on: Mon., Aug. 31: John is Born, Page 152  
Thur., Sept 3: Jesus is Born, Page 154

## 1 & 2 Bible Treasures

None

## 3 & 4 Memory Work

Friday, Sept 4: John 3:16

## 5 & 6 Memory Work

Due: Tue., Sept. 1: All the Old Testament books

Due: Thu., Sept. 3: All the New Testament books

## Gr. 7-8 Hymnology

Due: Wed, Sept 9: 833: I Run to Christ vrs. 1-3

## Tests/Projects

Due: Wed, Sept 2: Spelling Pre Test 1

Due: Fri., Sept 4: Spelling Final Test 1

## 7 & 8 Memory Work

None

## Grades 1 & 2

Thank you to everyone for the donations and for the help getting our classroom ready for the year!

**Spelling:** None

## Grades 3 & 4

Welcome back to school! Memory work and spelling lists for the year have been sent home. I will always include upcoming memory work and spelling tests in the weekly newsletter. If you have any questions, feel free to contact me at anytime! It should be a great year!

**Spelling-** Our first spelling test from List 1 will be on Friday, September 11th.

**List 2 will be taken on Friday, September 18th.**

## Grades 5 & 6

The 5th and 6th grade classroom is excited to kick off a new school year! We are looking forward to building friendships, growing together, and discovering many new things along the way. We are excited to see where God leads us this year. Please keep our classroom in your prayers as we begin a wonderful school year together!

## Grades 7 & 8

**AR checks every Monday:**

Points for 1st Quarter are due by 10/26. Individual rewards at the end of the quarter.

The current grade on Educate is updated at midterm, do not be alarmed if their grade percentage is low, that same grade will be updated as your child earns more points.

7th graders need 14 points • 8th graders need 16 points

**Spelling & Grammar:** PreTest on Wednesdays, Final Test on Fridays. Zero wrong on PreTest, students are exempt from Final Test. Test 1 Spelling and Practice 1.

**Spanish:** Will begin next week

Welcome back to school! We are excited to begin another school year. If you have any questions, reach out to Mr. Geidel at [jacob.geidel@mzls.org](mailto:jacob.geidel@mzls.org) or (262) 353-2859

# August/September

| Sun                                                                                                                 | Mon                                           | Tue                                                        | Wed                                                                                     | Thu                                                                                                                                                                | Fri                                                                    | Sat                                              |
|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------|
| <b>Food Pantry</b><br><b>920-246-5435</b>                                                                           |                                               |                                                            |                                                                                         | 27<br><b>A &amp; B volleyball practice 3:15 - 5pm</b><br><br><u>Worship</u><br>7pm Morrison                                                                        | 28                                                                     | 29                                               |
| 30 <u>Worship</u><br>8am Morrison<br><br>9:45am Shirley<br><br>7pm Book study Morrison                              | 31<br><br>CC practice @ Schuettepelz's 5:15pm | <b>1 September</b><br><br><b>First day for 4K students</b> | 2<br><b>A &amp; B volleyball practice 3:15 - 5pm</b><br><br>CC practice @ school 5:15pm | 3<br><b>Picture Day</b> 8:15am<br><br><b>A &amp; B volleyball practice 3:15 - 5pm</b><br><br>6pm Foundations of Faith<br><br><b>Worship</b> 7pm Morrison Communion | 4<br><b>Noon Dismissal</b>                                             | 5<br><b>Food Pantry 7am set up Hours 8-10 am</b> |
| 6 <u>Worship</u><br><u>Communion</u><br>8am Morrison<br>Child care<br>9:45am Shirley<br><br>7pm Book study Morrison | 7 <b>LABOR DAY</b><br><br><b>No School</b>    | 8                                                          | 9<br><b>A &amp; B volleyball practice 3:15 - 5pm</b><br><br>CC practice @ school 5:15pm | 10<br><b>A &amp; B volleyball practice 3:15 - 5pm</b><br><br><b>Worship</b> 7pm Morrison                                                                           | 11<br><b>Home Volleyball</b><br><b>B - 4:30pm</b><br><b>A - 6:30pm</b> | 12<br><b>Grand Pals 9- 11am</b>                  |

## Upcoming Events

It's Back! Save the date for A Morning with my Grandpals on Saturday, September 12 from 9-11am! This is a morning when children can bring a grandparent or older pal to enjoy games, snacks, a devotion, and show their special guest their classroom. This event is also open to the community to come and enjoy the morning and check out our school. Please use the QR code to register so we can plan accordingly. Hope to see you there!



Fun Day is a free program to help 3 and 4 year olds (potty trained) with school readiness and grow in many areas, especially of Jesus' love! Fun Day is held in the church basement classroom at the Morrison campus on Tuesday mornings from 8:30-10:30am. Our first day will be on Tuesday, September 15<sup>th</sup>. Please scan the QR code to register. If you have any questions, please contact Jen Enderle at [jen.enderle@Outlook.com](mailto:jen.enderle@Outlook.com) or 920-372-3818.

**Power Hour** is starting back up in September! This program is for kiddos ages 1-4 to come with their grown-up for an hour of fun. We will meet on **Saturday, September 19th at 9am**. Come for music, movement, a bible story, and craft! This is open to the community, so share with friends and family. Contact Jen Enderle at [jen.enderle@Outlook.com](mailto:jen.enderle@Outlook.com) with any questions. Sign ups coming soon. We look forward to seeing you there!

## 2026-2027 Singing Schedule

*Any changes to the schedule will be announced in the school newsletter*

September 13: 10:30 grades 1-4  
September 20: 8:00 junior choir  
September 27:  
October 4: 8:00 choir  
October 11: 8:00 grades 4K-4  
October 18: **Shirley** grades 4K-4  
October 25: 8:00 (&10:30) choir  
November 1: 10:30 junior choir  
November 5: 7:00 choir  
November 8: 8:00 & 10:30 choir  
November 15: 8:00 (&10:30) HS choir?  
November 22: 10:30 grades 1-4  
Thanksgiving eve: 7:00  
Thanksgiving: 9:00 choir  
November 29: 8:00 choir  
December 6: 10:30 junior choir  
December 13: 8:00 choir  
December 13: **Shirley** junior choir  
December 20:  
December 20: 4:00 gr. 4K-8  
Christmas Eve: 9:00 gr. 4K-8  
Christmas candlelight  
Christmas Day: 9:00 choir  
December 27:  
New Year's Eve:  
January 3:  
January 10: 10:30 junior choir  
January 17: 8:00 choir  
January 24: 8:00 gr. 4K-2  
January 24: **Shirley** junior choir  
January 31: 10:30 choir  
February 7: Trans. 8:00 (&10:30) MLHS Lancer Singers  
February 14:  
February 21: 8:00 choir  
February 28: 8:00 junior choir

March 7: 10:30 gr 1-4  
March 14:  
March 21: PS 8:00 choir  
March 28 Easter: 8:00 & 10:30 choir  
April 4: 8:00 gr. 1-4  
April 11: **Shirley** grades 1-4  
April 18: 8:00 4K-5K  
April 25: 8:00 CONCERT  
May 2: conf. 10:30 gr. 5-7  
May 6: Asc. 7:00  
May 9: 8:00  
May 16: Pent. 8:00 choir  
May 23:  
May 26: Grad. 7:00 gr.5-7  
May 30:

### MIDWEEK SERVICES LENT

Feb. 10: 11:00 Junior choir  
Feb. 10: 7:00 choir  
Feb. 17: 11:00 gr. 4K-2  
Feb. 17: 7:00  
Feb. 24: 11:00 gr. 5-6  
Feb. 24: 7:00  
March 3: 11:00 gr.3-4  
March 3: 7:00 choir  
March 10: 11:00 gr. 7-8  
March 10: 7:00  
March 17: 11:00  
March 17: 7:00

### HOLY WEEK

March 25: MT 11:00 junior choir  
March 25: MT 7:00 choir  
March 26: GF 11:00  
March 26: GF 7:00 choir  
March 27: EV 8:00



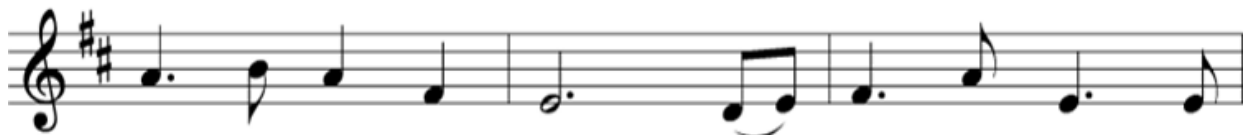
1 I run to Christ when chased by fear and find a ref - uge  
 2 I run to Christ when worn by life and find my soul re -  
 3 I run to Christ when stalked by sin and find a sure es -



sure. "Be - lieve in me," his voice I hear; his words and  
 freshed. "Come un - to me," he calls thro' strife; fa - tigue gives  
 cape. "De - liv - er me," I cry to him; temp - ta - tion



wounds se - cure. I run to Christ when torn by grief and  
 way to rest. I run to Christ when vexed by hell and  
 yields to grace. I run to Christ when plagued by shame and



find a - bun - dant peace. "I too had tears," he  
 find a might - y arm. "The dev - il flees," the  
 find my one de - fense. "I bore God's wrath," he



gent - ly speaks; thus joy and sor - row meet.  
 Scrip - tures tell; he roars but can - not harm.  
 pleads my case— my ad - vo - cate and friend.

## **Fall 2026 Hot Lunch Schedule**

**Friday September 11, 2026** Meatball Subs, Chips, Veggies, Fruit, Brownie Ice Cream Sundaes, Kool aid, Milk

**Friday September 18, 2026** French Toast Sticks, Bacon, Yogurt Parfaits, Fruit, Cheese Chunks, Cookies, Juice, Milk

**Friday October 9, 2026** Pizzaburgers, Chips, Salad, Fruit, Scotcheroos, Kool aid, Milk

**Friday October 23, 2026** Nacho Supremes, Pumpkin Bread, Fruit, Cheesecake, Kool aid, Milk

**Friday November 13, 2026** Mini Corn Dogs, Mac & Cheese, Salad, Fruit, Cake, Kool aid, Milk

**Friday November 20, 2026** Pancakes, Sausage Patties, Cheese Chunks, Yogurt Parfaits, Fruit, Rice Krispy Bars, Juice, Milk

**Friday December 11, 2026** Pizza, Chips, Salad, Fruit, Dirt Cups, Kool aid, Milk

**Friday December 18, 2026** Chicken Patty Sandwiches, Tater Tots, Corn, Fruit, Brownie Cookie Bars, Kool aid, Milk

### ***HOT LUNCH PAYMENT NOTES***

- 5K- Grade 4: \$3.00 per lunch or \$24 for 8 lunches
- Grades 5-8: \$4.00 per lunch or \$32 for 8 lunches
- Menus/Date are Subject to Change. No lunches will be reimbursed.
- Please make checks payable to Morrison Zion Hot Lunch.
- Questions with payment, contact Mrs. Zeamer: [jackie.zeamer@mzls.org](mailto:jackie.zeamer@mzls.org) or (920)864-2349.

**2026 Morrison Zion Lutheran School**  
**Cross Country Practice and Meet**  
**Schedule**

- **Monday, August 31:** Practice at Schuettpelz home, 5:15PM-6:30PM
- **Wednesday, September 2:** Practice at School, 5:15 PM – 6:30 PM
- **Wednesday, September 9:** Practice at School, 5:15PM-6:30PM
- **Monday, September 14:** **Cross Country Meet at Mt. Olive**
- **Wednesday, September 16:** Practice at Schuettpelz home, 5:15 PM – 6:30 PM
- **Monday, September 21:** **Cross Country Meet at FVL**
- **Wednesday, September 23:** Practice at School, 5:15 PM – 6:30 PM
- **Monday, September 28:** Practice at Schuettpelz home, 5:15PM-6:30PM
- **Wednesday, September 30:** Practice at School, 5:15PM-6:30PM
- **Monday, October 5:** **Cross Country Meet at First German**
- **Wednesday, October 7:** Practice at School, 5:15 PM – 6:30 PM
- **Monday, October 12:** **Cross Country Meet at MLHS**
- **Cross Country Party October 14th at School, 5:15 – 6:30PM;** pizza, snacks, desserts and drinks will be provided.

# Volleyball Schedule 2026

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## **B TEAM**

**September 11th- At Morrison**

4:30 Morrison vs Algoma

**September 18th- At Morrison**

4:30 Morrison vs Wayside

**September 25th- At Brillion**

4:30 Morrison vs Algoma Court 2

5:30 Morrison vs Rantoul Court 2

6:30 Morrison vs Brillion Court 2

**October 3rd MLHS B Tournament**

**October 10th Wayside B Tournament**

## **A TEAM**

**September 11th- At Morrison**

6:30 Morrison vs Wayside

**September 18th- At Morrison**

5:30 Morrison vs Wayside

**September 25th- At Brillion**

6:30 Morrison vs Brillion Court 1

**October 2nd- At Newtonburg**

4:30 Morrison vs Brillion Court 2

5:30 Morrison vs First German Court 2

6:30 Morrison vs Newt/Reeds Court 1

**October 9th- At Wayside**

4:30 Morrison vs Newt/Reeds Court 2

5:30 Morrison vs Immanuel Court 2

6:30 Morrison vs Wayside Court 1

**October 17th- MLHS A Team Tournament**

## **Athletics**

Volleyball practices begin today, August 27th. Practice will run from after school until 5pm on Wednesdays and Thursdays.

A signup for concessions and the two home volleyball games has gone out.

We are looking for Thrivent Cards to be used towards the cost of running concessions of our home games. If you have one that you'd like to use towards this, please contact the office or Michaela Hagenow. Thank you so much!

*We are in need of concession donations for our home games. Thank you!*



### ***Volleyball Parent Volunteer Signup***



# Parent/Teacher Conference 2026-2027

***Please return by Tuesday, September 8***

Dear Parents:

It is time once again for Parent/Teacher Conferences to discuss the progress of your child at school. We, the faculty, ask that you fill out and return this sheet to aid us in scheduling the conferences for the day. The more flexible you can be, the easier it will be for us to schedule the conferences.

If, however, you do need a specific time, feel free to specify below and we will try to schedule you at that time.

- 4K and 5K are required to meet with Mrs. Geidel
- Grades 1 and 2 are required to meet with Mrs. Kuchenbecker
- Grades 3 and 4 are required to meet with Mrs. Hagenow
- Grades 5 and 6 are required to meet with Miss Bigelow
- Grades 7 and 8 are required to meet with Mr. Geidel

**Student's name:** \_\_\_\_\_

For my consultation I can come: **Tuesday, September 22**, 3:30-5:30pm. \_\_\_\_\_

**Tuesday, September 22**, 5:30-8:30pm. \_\_\_\_\_

I can only come this time on Tuesday \_\_\_\_\_

**Thursday, September 24**, 3:30-5:30pm \_\_\_\_\_

**Thursday, September 24**, 3:30-5:30pm \_\_\_\_\_

I can only come this time on Thursday \_\_\_\_\_

**Any time** either evening is fine \_\_\_\_\_

**Neither date** works for me at this time \_\_\_\_\_

I would like to meet with the following teachers:

Mr. Geidel \_\_\_\_\_

Mrs. Geidel \_\_\_\_\_

Mrs. Kuchenbecker \_\_\_\_\_

Mrs. Hagenow \_\_\_\_\_

Miss Bigelow \_\_\_\_\_