



ST. JOHN'S LUTHERAN SCHOOL – LOMBARD
Parent Bulletin
March 4, 2021



Perseverance † **K**indness † **C**haracter † **H**ope
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Friends Forgive

EAGLE NATION
The Weather

*“Everyone talks about the weather, no one does a thing about it.
Will it be fair, will it be rain, we sit around and just complain.”*

It sure has been awhile since we have seen the sun! Winter seemed like it lasted forever this year, and someone told me that there may be a huge snowstorm later this month. I certainly hope not.

The sun just brightens the day and it brightens my heart. Everything looks better to me. I have a bounce in my step and just seem to feel better overall. People that I meet seem to be in a better mood. Is it that way for everyone or is it just me?

Are there people who actually love winter and do not like summer; those who like the cold, crisp, damp air? Are there folks that like to shovel not only their driveway, but the neighbors, too? I bet there are.

The good thing for all of us midwesterners, is that if you don't like the weather, you won't have to wait too long until a new season comes around. So, no matter how bad the weather may be, there is always a new season right around the corner.

That's the way it can be in our lives too, I think. Sometimes our life's "weather" is great and everything is going just fine. Other times, our life's "weather" is just like a bad blizzard. We don't know what to do or which way to turn. In both types of weather, remember that God is in control and if you don't like your life's "weather", let God guide your ways and know that a new life "weather" season is right around the corner.

Enjoy your weekend.

Mr. Kalal

ATTENTION ST. JOHN'S LOMBARD ALUMNI

We are very excited to reach out to all our SJS Alum with this link. We are working on a way to better communicate with, and include SJS Alum in some of our events. If you graduated from St. John's School, please use the link below. If you know anyone who may be interested, please forward the link to them. Thank you! [Alumni Form](#)

Reminders...

IMPORTANT CHANGE IN CALENDAR

FRIDAY, MARCH 12- NO SCHOOL

Most of our teachers are scheduled to receive their second dose of the COVID 19 vaccine on Thursday, March 11. We anticipate that some may have a reaction and not feel well on the following day. We are sorry for any inconvenience this change in schedule may cause. Thank you for your understanding.

ATTENTION ALL PARENTS WHO DROP OFF & PICK UP

Drop off and pick up reminders. We have had some very close calls in the last few weeks in the morning at drop off. Just a reminder that ***no one*** should pull into the parking spots along the school side during drop off or at pick up. Lincoln Ave is meant to be a drop off area in the morning. If you must get out of your car to assist your child please park in the parking lot or on Maple Ave and use the crosswalk to walk your child to the patio. We understand that with the cold weather, snow and slush this is not the most convenient or desirable idea, but it is necessary for the safety of our students and parents.

At pick up we ask that you remain in your car, however, if you have to get out to buckle your little one in, please do so in a safe and quick manner.

SPREAD THE GOOD NEWS...TELL YOUR FRIENDS

If you're happy and you know it...tell your friends!! St. John's School enjoys a long-standing history and excellent reputation in the community. We gladly serve students from all over DuPage County. Do you have friends who are looking for a solid, reliable, Christian education for their children next year? Do you know other parents who are looking for stability and a sense of belonging for their child? Let them know we are giving tours and taking applications for enrollment now! We appreciate all you do to help our school!

WE'VE GOT SPIRIT WEAR YES WE DO....

SJS ONLINE SPIRIT SHOP IS OPEN!

We are so excited to announce our new SJS Spirit Wear ONLINE Shop is OPEN! We have partnered with Positive Impressions in Villa Park to bring you an awesome variety of spirit wear clothing and accessories. Simply click on this link <http://sjspositiveshop.com>

All orders will be shipped directly to your home, most orders ship in 7 days.

SUMMER CAMP REGISTRATION TIME IS HERE!

Let's think about warm, sunny weather!! John's Summer Day Camp could be the answer and cure to summer boredom for your child. We offer flexible scheduling, affordable pricing, and fun times! We will adhere to Illinois Department of Public Health and DuPage County Health Department guidelines for safety. Whether you need a few days during the summer or several weeks...we are here for you. Please let your friends and family know about this opportunity. Camp is open to children who are or will be three years old by September 1, 2021 through those

entering 4th grade. For more information, or to request a registration packet, please call or email the school office. 630-932-3196 msalzman@sjleagles.com.

COVID REMINDER We are following IDPH and DuPage County Health Department regulations regarding the mitigation protocols for COVID. We communicate with the Covid-19 Team at the County weekly, to remain up to date with our procedures and policies regarding quarantining students and staff at St. John's. Therefore, it is imperative that if anyone in your home feels any symptoms and/or if anyone in your home is awaiting COVID test results you should **KEEP YOUR CHILD(REN) HOME!** keep this virus from entering our school. Contact the school office as soon as possible and let us know what is happening. Your information will be kept confidential; and our teachers will work with your child(ren) to make sure they are getting their assignments. Please keep us aware of any contact your child has with a COVID positive person. Stay home if you have any cold or flu symptoms, if you have a fever, if you feel sick...We are working extremely hard to keep this from affecting our school in a negative way, and we need everyone's help. Thank you

2021 Updated Calendar - REVISED

March	12	NO SCHOOL
	26	EARLY DISMISSAL 11:30 AM , End of 3rd Quarter
	29-April 5	NO SCHOOL - Spring Break
April	6	School Resumes
	9	Report Cards
	23	EARLY DISMISSAL 11:30AM
	24	Confirmation 8th Grade
May	5	Mid-term
	28	Last Day for Preschool Students
	31	NO SCHOOL - Memorial Day
June	2	11:15 8th grade Clap out
	2	11:30 7th grade dismissal
	2	8th Grade Banquet - tentative
	3	EARLY DISMISSAL 11:30 AM
	3	8th Grade Graduation 7:00 PM
	4	Closing Chapel Service (Awards)
	4	LAST DAY OF SCHOOL K-7 10:30 DISMISSAL

EVERY MONDAY – DISMISSAL IS AT 2:00PM

NEWS FROM OUR CHURCH

REGISTRATION for Sat., March 6th 5:30p, Sun., March 7th 8:00a & 10:30a and separate link for Lent Wednesday services can be found below. Those with limited web access may call the church office and leave a message to be put on the registration. Not registered? No worries, we would love for you to come even if last minute!

*Regular Worship services Saturday 5:30p Contemporary; Sunday 8:00a Traditional & 10:30a Contemporary
Sunday Adult Small Groups at 9:15a (At this time no Kids of the King "Sunday School")*

As a reminder:

- Masks are to be worn at all times by persons 2 years and older over both the nose and mouth.
- No food or drink is allowed
- If members of your household are or have been traveling, we expect that you take all necessary precautions while traveling and if there is any question of exposure while traveling we ask that you delay your return to in person worship.

IN PERSON REGISTRATION SIGNUP for *this* coming Saturday and Sunday here. Please include ALL names attending in the comment section:

[St. John's Lombard: Worship Service Registration \(signupgenius.com\)](https://www.signupgenius.com)

PAST WEEKEND ONLINE VIEWING (not present in church) ATTENDANCE LOG below (deadline to enter is following Monday by 8a):

Sunday, Feb. 28th **ONLINE Viewing** Worship Attendance log link:
<https://sjl.breezechms.com/form/c54b9d63846560201624284495636022866897>

UPCOMING WEDNESDAY SERVICE REGISTRATION

IN PERSON LENTEN WEDNESDAY March 10th 6:30p (Contemporary) Registration:

[St. John's Lombard: Lenten Worship Service \(signupgenius.com\)](https://www.signupgenius.com)