

# THE COMET CONNECTION

Your weekly update of news and notes from  
*Christ Alone Lutheran School*  
For the week of: **April 10, 2018**

## Our Mission

*To know Christ and to make his love known  
in our homes, communities, nation and world.*

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**MISSION OFFERING:**  
Living Hope Lutheran -  
Chattanooga, Tennessee

**2017-18 Goal:** \$1,800.00  
**Last Friday:** No collection  
due to Easter vacation.  
**Current Total:** \$1232.28  
We are below where our  
offerings could be if we  
wish to meet the \$1,800 goal  
by the end of the year.  
Please consider how the  
Lord has blessed us, so that  
we in turn may share His  
blessings with others! Dear  
Lord, please bless our  
efforts.

**COMETS OF THE  
WEEK:** Congratulations to

the following Comets of the Week: Clara – 4K, Max – K, Harley – 1, Makenzie – 2, Brianna – 3, Silas – 6, Christian - 7. Look for their photo on the bulletin board outside the school office.

**CALL ACTIVITY:** Last Thursday, Mr. Albrecht received a Divine Call to teach at Minnesota Valley Lutheran High School in New Ulm, MN. His responsibilities would include teaching English and performing several other assigned duties. Please offer words of encouragement to Mr. Albrecht that he would weigh the two ministry opportunities carefully, both his present call to Christ Alone and the new one now presented to him. More importantly, pray that the Holy Spirit would lead Mr. Albrecht to see where his many gifts might be used for the maximum benefit of the body of believers.

Pray also for Mr. Brad Nommensen. On Monday, March 26, the voters of our congregation called Mr. Nommensen to teach full-time at Christ Alone in the 2018-2019 school year. His teaching responsibilities would be covering various subjects in grades 3-8, similar to what Mrs. Quinnett is doing this year, focusing on technology and STEM activities. Mr. Nommensen is currently teaching at St. Paul Lutheran School in Cudahy, WI. Please keep him and his family in your prayers also.

**PROPS NEEDED FOR 5<sup>th</sup> AND 6<sup>th</sup> GRADE PLAY:** The following items are requested for the upcoming 5<sup>th</sup> and 6<sup>th</sup> grade play: **a surf board and four big wheel tricycles.** If you have any of these items, **please bring them to Miss Baumann's classroom as soon as you are able.** Thank you.

**VISION SCREENING RESULTS:** Results of the vision screening today will come home this week. Once again, we thank Mr. Kickbush and the volunteers of the Mequon-Thiensville Lions Club for this service to the students at Christ Alone.

**KML GRADE SCHOOL FEDERATION MATH MEET:** This annual math competition will take place this evening, **Tuesday, April 10, beginning at 6:30 pm.** A 7<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> grade team will represent Christ Alone this year. Congratulations to Jude, Adam, James, Gracyn, and Christian for their willingness to crunch the numbers and push the pencils at this challenging event. Students are asked to bring a pencil and eraser. Also, please enter by the main office (not the cafeteria entrance).

**TADS OPEN ENROLLMENT FOR 2018-2019:** Current school families may enroll and new school families may apply to Christ Alone School using [this TADS link](#). Preschool families will also use TADS. Payment options this year will include one of the following: online payment through TADS or personal checks made out to TADS and mailed directly to TADS (110 N. 5<sup>th</sup> Street Second Floor, Minneapolis, MN 54403.).

**CARING FOR CHRIST'S CHILDREN APPLICATION FOR 2018-19 SCHOOL YEAR: due Monday, April 30.** Caring for Christ's Children is our congregation's own tuition assistance program.

**STAFF APPRECIATION WEEK:** A note will be going home this week regarding Staff Appreciation Week (May 7-11).

**SEVERE WEATHER AWARENESS WEEK: April 9-13** is Severe Weather Awareness Week in Wisconsin. A statewide tornado drill is planned for this **Thursday, April 12**. We will participate in the drill here at school. Please take the opportunity these next couple weeks to examine your escape routes or places of shelter in your family's situation so you can be prepared should severe weather strike.

**SCRIP ORDERS: Due this week Friday, April 13, by 3:00 pm.**

**KMLHS FAMILY MUSIC FEST:** Please plan to join us on **Friday, April 13**, from 5:00-9:00 pm for A Knight to Remember. This event will feature elementary school and high school musical performances. **Christ Alone's Jr. Choir will be singing at 6:20 pm.**

**HANDCHIMES:** This **Sunday, April 15**, the handchimes play at the **10:30 am service**. Please **arrive at 10:00 am**. You do not need to wear white and black.

**MAY HOT LUNCH: Tuesday, April 17**, is the deadline for ordering May hot lunch for your child(ren).

**SCHOOL PLAYS:** Grades 3-4 and 5-6 have been working hard on their performances. Please join us for Play Night, next **Friday, April 20, at 6:30 pm**. Dress rehearsals will be held Thursday, April 19, beginning at 9:00am.

**CALS MUSIC NIGHT:** Save the date – **Wednesday, April 25, at 6:15 pm**. We will close our year of chimes, bells and junior choir with a short program of favorite songs over at church.

**MLC TRIP FOR GRADES 7 & 8: Thursday, April 26 through Saturday, April 28.** More details will be emailed to our families soon.

**SCHOLASTIC BOOK FAIR:** Our book fair will be held in the church library at school from **Thursday, April 26 through Sunday, April 29**. This year's theme is "Paws for Books." The fair is open to everyone including parents, grandparents, teachers and others interested in children's literature.

If you would like to volunteer to work on any of the dates and help us at the fair, please click on this link: <https://volunteer.scholastic.com/#/signup/N2z7hUldy>

If you prefer to purchase your books online, please visit our book fair website available April 20 - May 3: <http://www.scholastic.com/bf/calvaryluthsch>

*Thank you!*

*The Christ Alone Book Fair Team*

**PHOTOS FOR THE YEARBOOK:** If you have photos of Christ Alone School activities from this year and would like them considered for the 2017-18 yearbook, please provide the photos to Mrs. Scherzberg.

**FREE CLS T-SHIRTS:** Please help yourself to free Calvary Field Day t-shirts located outside the school office.

**FUTURE FRESHMAN NIGHT AT KMLHS:** We will be holding our *Future Freshman Night* on **Tuesday, April 17, at 7:00 pm** in our **Performing Arts Center**. This evening is an opportunity to share important information about the transition to Kettle Moraine Lutheran High School in preparation for the upcoming school year. Feel free to contact Principal Jamie Luehring at [jamie.luehring@kmlhs.org](mailto:jamie.luehring@kmlhs.org), if you have any questions.

**JR. CHARGER FOOTBALL:** Students going into grades 5-8 next school year are eligible to play. The fee for participation is \$200. **Click [here](#) to sign up.** **Click [here](#) for a more detailed registration letter.** We have not completed next year's practice and game schedule, but we plan to soon. For reference, here is the [2017 season practice/game schedule](#). If you have questions, contact program coordinators: Dave Mueller ([muellers5@charter.net](mailto:muellers5@charter.net)) or Sean Rodriguez ([rsean8885@gmail.com](mailto:rsean8885@gmail.com)), or KML representatives: Jamie Luehring ([jamie.luehring@kmlhs.org](mailto:jamie.luehring@kmlhs.org)) or Dave Kren ([david.kren@kmlhs.org](mailto:david.kren@kmlhs.org)).

**FOR SALE: Roland EP7** digital piano. This has a damper pedal and bench too. Good sound and all the keys work. It would be a great practice piano. Our three kids each used it. Asking \$100 or best offer. Pastor and Mary Weinrich [414-416-9352](tel:414-416-9352).

	Tues., April 10 Vision Screening 2:30-3:15 Jr. Choir Faculty Meeting 6:30 KML Math Meet	Wed., April 11 2:00-3:00 ELC	Thurs., April 12 Statewide Tornado Drill	Fri., April 13 Chapel 5:00-9:00 KML Science Fair/Family Music Fest
Sat. & Sun., April 14-15 Handbell Festival Sun., April 15 10:30 Service – Handbells Play				
Mon., April 16 3:00-3:45 Handchimes	Tues., April 17 2:30-3:15 Jr. Choir	Wed., April 18 2:00-3:00 ELC	Thurs., April 19 9:00 Dress Rehearsals – School Plays	Fri., April 20 Chapel 6:30 School Plays
Sun., April 22 8:00 Service - Jr. Choir Sings				