August 2025 Newsletter St. John's Lutheran School

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Stay updated at our School Website: www.school.stjohnslutheransi.org

Summer Office Hours: Monday: Email Only 9am - 12 pm

Tuesday: 9 am - 1 pm, Wednesday: 9 am - 1 pm

Thursday: 9 am - 1 pm; Friday: Closed

Please Call or Email to Make an Appointment before Visiting



August monthly tuition payment is due

Students may not start school with an outstanding tuition balance.

If you would like to request a school bus stop or metro card for the next school year, please email the school office.

School calendars, summer work and supply lists can be found on our website. Please click the Printable Forms tab to locate them.

https://school.stjohnslutheransi.org/printable-forms.html

Policies and Procedures

Can be found under the Information Packets tab on our school website.

Please read all information carefully Teacher welcome letters will be posted soon

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Registration

If you have a friend or family member that is interested in St. John's Lutheran, please ask them to contact the school office.

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Any Medical paperwork can be mailed in over the Summer or handed in on the first day of school in September.



If you are interested in being a class parent this school year, please email the school office.

If you can help out during lunch, please contact the school office. Weekly lunch volunteers, as well as substitutes, are needed.

After School Activities

St. John's will host after school programs such as Music, Jujutsu, Zumba, Fencing, Homework Help, Arts & Crafts, Legos and more.

Programs will begin in October

September

The First day of school will be Thursday, September 4th.

A yearly calendar is available on our school website.

School supplies do not have to all be in on the first day. You may take the first full week to get everything in.

Arrival/Dismissal

Stop and Drop!

<u>Arrival</u>- Vehicles are to line up in the front of the school building where students will exit the car to enter the building. Faculty will be outside to greet them. Please <u>do not</u> park or get out of the car. This is for **ALL** grades.

<u>Dismissal</u> - Vehicles are to line up in the front of the building and their child will be called out and escorted to the car.

Please DO NOT park or exit the car. This holds up the line, creating traffic and safety issues.

<u>School Bus Service</u> will begin Thursday, September 4th. Bus Routes will be completed and shared at the end of August.

Extended Care Services will begin Monday, September 8th. Please be sure your extended care registration, calendar, and payment are in.



Meet and Greet

Join us for our Meet and Greet/Orientation on Wednesday, September 10th. Grades K-4 will meet in the classrooms at 6pm and grades 5-8 will meet in the gym at 6:30pm



School Lunch



There will be a Hot Lunch option from Bario's beginning on Monday, September 15th. Lunch ordering instructions will be available on the *Printable Forms* page on our school website. Bario's School Lunch orders must be placed 2 days prior to the date of the lunch.

Friday pizza lunch from Pizza Parlor will start September 19th. Pizza orders are given directly to your child's homeroom teacher the Thursday before.

St. John's will have 2 lunch periods. Kindergarten - 4th grade will eat at 11:30 am. 5th - 8th grade will eat at 12 Noon.

Students in Kindergarten - 8th grade must bring a bag or box lunch from home during the week of September 8th - 12th.

Important Information

★ Tuition Payments for the 2025 - 2026 School Year began in July 2025. Blackbaud Tuition Management Parent hotline number: (888)-868-8828



★ If you miss a Summer tuition payment, it will roll over to your future payments and you will be charged a late fee.

Please be sure to view your Account at Blackbaud Tuition

Management (formerly Smart Tuition) https://www.blackbaud.school/



★ Tuition Balances must be current in order for children to attend school in September.



★ Please be sure to hand in all registration forms that are requested.



Visitors

All visitors MUST have an appointment. You may contact the person you need to speak with to schedule accordingly.

We hope everyone enjoys the rest of their Summer. We look forward to seeing everyone in the Fall.

School Fundraiser

Remember to collect Box Tops! Please download the free Box Tops mobile app https://www.boxtops4education.com, in order to scan receipts and submit digital box tops.

If you are a ShopRite customer, please consider registering online at www.shopRiteForMySchool.com. Select St. John's Lutheran as your school and get extra Box Top points when you buy certain items.

St. John's Lutheran Church

216 Jewett Ave. Staten Island, 10302 Church Office Phone: 718-761-1600

Sunday Summer Church Services are at 9:30 am Through August 31st, 2025

10:30 am Services will commence on September 7th.

If you would like to receive more information or videos of the Church Service,

please Visit the church website at www.stjohnslutheransi.org

Call 718-761-1600, Or Email SJLchurchoffice@gmail.com