



PTL POST



PTL Post Introduction

Welcome to the first edition of the *PTL Post* for the 2009-10 school year. Each edition includes profiles and highlights of school activities and other important information.

Please take special note to read the [Teacher Wish Lists](#) that are included in this edition. If you can help, we know the teachers would sincerely appreciate your contributions and donations of supplies and funds to support their classroom activities.

We also hope you have enjoyed the Welcome-Back-to-School Dance, Family Hoedown and Movie Night. We have had terrific turnouts for each, and we hope to connect with many more families and faculty during the year.

We also like to extend a "thank you" to our advertisers *Father & Son Carpet Cleaning Services* and *Z Services*, who helped support this publication!

And as always, thank you for your continued support of our efforts and events. We couldn't do it without you! ~ *The St. Paul PTL*

"If God is for us, who can be against us? (Romans 8:31)



Introducing Pastor Roberts, Ms. Kosman and Mr. Rogers

Pastor Todd Roberts believes he was led to St. Paul by the Holy Spirit and is inspired by people who have

a deep love for Jesus. Prior to coming to St. Paul, Pastor Roberts served at St. Paul Lutheran in Melrose Park, IL; Good Shepherd Lutheran in Mexico City, Mexico; and Cristo El Redentor in Phoenix, Arizona. Pastor likes spending time reading, and he enjoys preaching, teaching and visitation. He considers himself an optimistic, caring, and realistic person who looks forward to being involved in all aspects of St. Paul Lutheran Church and School.

Ms. Bethany Kosman, St. Paul's new 3rd grade teacher, is a graduate of Miami University in Oxford, Ohio. Before coming to St. Paul, Ms. Kosman taught 2nd grade for four years at St. Matthew Lutheran School in Hawthorn Woods where she went to school as a child. Ms. Kosman is interested in working within the athletic program and participating in enrichment programs. She also enjoys sports, especially ice skating, basketball, football and softball. She feels very blessed to be a part of St. Paul and thanks everyone for making her feel so welcome.

Mr. Steve Rogers is St. Paul's new Resource teacher and a graduate of Concordia University. The atmosphere and sense of community brought Mr. Rogers to St. Paul, who previously worked at Hephzibah, as well as at Lutheran summer camps and a foster shelter. He will be involved with St. Paul's cross-country and track & field sports programs, and considers himself very handy and always willing to lend a helping hand.

We welcome all of them to the St. Paul family and wish them God's blessings in their teachings and work.



Teacher/Classroom Wish Lists

Mrs. Nowak, Pre-K 3 & 4

- * Money toward a new CD/cassette player
- * Audio children's books, CDs or cassettes
- * Classical or instrumental music on CD or cassette
- * Moon sand
- * Yearbook page designers (4 pages total)
- * Crayola model magic modeling materials in fun colors

Mrs. Wo, Kindergarten

- * Big stereo boombox with separating speakers (tape & CD)
- * Money towards a big stereo boombox
- * White tub buckets for my library books (Come look in my room for an example.)
- * Lego people/cars/trees, etc.

Mrs. Palmer, 1st Grade

- * Wordless picture books
- * Paper Pro stapler (long-arm stapler)
- * What's Gnu? (reading game)
- * Scrabble Apple (reading game)

Mrs. Graf, 2nd Grade

Money toward:

- * Solar System set (\$20)
- * Simple Machines set (\$40)
- * Root-vue Farm Plant Kit (\$35)

Ms. Kosman, 3rd Grade

- * Pencil sharpener
- * Computer games (educational)
- * Money towards science videos
- * Books
- * Guinea pig supplies (bedding-Carefresh ...\$40 for a large bag)

Mrs. Johnson, 4th Grade

- * Bean bag chair
- * The following books:
 - * *Dr. DeSoto* by William Steig
 - * *Amanda Bean's Amazing Dream* by Cindy Neuschwander
 - * *The Midnight Fox* by Betsy Byars

Mrs. Bejot, 5th Grade

- * BrainPop.com classroom membership (\$195)
- * Smartboard with projector
- * White Board (to replace chalkboard)
- * Bill Nye the Science Guy (Science DVDs)
- * Multiple copies of newer books to use for literature circles
- * Rabbit supplies! ☺

Mr. Lingel, 6th Grade

Please see Mr. Lingel for how you can help!

Mrs. Gyllstrom, 7th Grade

- * 1,000 drinking straws – not bendable ones
- * 16 dropping bottles - \$1.45 each plus shipping
- * 50 ml screw top containers – pack of 50 - \$21
- * 7 – 100 ml graduated cylinders - \$3.50/each
- * Filter paper - \$5/box
- * Cash donations for consumables science supplies

Mrs. Townsend, 8th Grade

Please see Mrs. Townsend for how you can help!

Mr. Rogers, Resource Teacher

- * Books of Comprehension Short Stories for 5th-8th grade students
- * Basic Reading Inventory (BRI) or Qualitative Reading Inventory (QRI)
- * Junior High Social Skills Curriculum (Boys/Young Men)
- * 1-2 gallon bins for storage
- * More die-cuts
- * Wide-rule notebooks and folders

Kitchen

- * Cans of coffee (regular and decaf) for teachers
- * New dish towels and dish rags
- * Ziploc bags – any size
- * Rubbermaid to Tupperware food storage containers
- * Large-sized rolls of aluminum foil
- * Paper towels
- * Spray kitchen cleaners
- * Bottles of dish soap

Office

* White copier paper ... lots of it! ☺



Labels and Box Tops

for Education Contest

St. Paul will once again run the "Classroom Label Contest" for the 2009-2010 school year. The labels and box tops for this contest are counted as one for each piece that is turned in, except for special bonus items. Don't forget to mark your bag or envelope of labels and box tops with the grade you would like the credit to go to! Returning coordinators Sue Loose (773) 792-8709 and Kim Raye (773) 792-3982 are happy to answer any questions you may have.

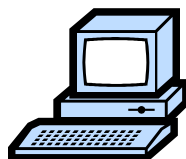


Thanks to the support of all our St Paul school families, church members and customers from the community. We hope to keep our Market Day program successful with your monthly orders and by volunteering your time on the scheduled grade day to help pack orders. Please continue to check out the regular Market Day flyers that are sent home with *News & Notes*. Every new order form features new products and sale specials which change every month.

Thank you for your support! Please contact Vicki Simpson at (773) 205-2574 or Sue Loose (773) 792-8709 if you have any questions.

MONTH	SALE DATE	HELPERS
December	December 15	4 th Grade
January	January 16, 2010	3 rd Grade
February	February 13	1 st Grade
March	March 13	7 th Grade
April	April 17	5 th Grade

May	May 5	Kindergarten
June	June 12	6 th Grade
July	July 10	Help needed
August	August 14	Help needed



St. Paul Web site News!

St. Paul's Web site continues to be updated and provides a link to the church calendar, which includes bible study opportunities, mission trip information, all of the school's activities, and much more. Thanks to Ray Bennett, St. Paul's webmaster, who has done a WONDERFUL job keeping the site updated, but he's always looking for folks who are willing to "adopt" a page and assist in its upkeep. See Ray if you are interested. Please visit us at:

Church Web site: www.stpaulcanfield.org

School Web site: www.stpaulwildcats.org

E-mail: stpaulweb@stpaulcanfield.org



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Thank you for your support of the St. Paul Lutheran Parent-Teacher League!

Alison LaValley, President
Jo Lynn O'Connell, 1st Vice President
Debbie Durovic, 2nd Vice President
Lisa Idak, Secretary
Mrs. Johnson, Faculty Representative



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Thanksgiving Food Collection for Uptown Ministries

The collection of donated non-perishable food items will continue through Thanksgiving weekend for Uptown Ministries.

Food items can be placed on the collection table in the Narthex. Any food items that you can donate would be greatly appreciated.

Thank you for your help!