



# ST. JOHN'S

## LUTHERAN SCHOOL

### On Eagle's Wings

December 12, 2025

#### Upcoming Events

##### December 14<sup>th</sup>

- Christmas Program
- K-3<sup>rd</sup> - 1:00pm
- 4<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> - 2:00pm

##### December 17<sup>th</sup>

- Preschool Chapel

##### December 19<sup>th</sup>

- Minimum Day - PS-8
- NO PM PALS

##### December 22 - Jan 2

- Christmas Vacation
- No School/PALS

##### January 5<sup>th</sup>

- Return to School

##### January 15-18

- HIT Tournament

#### News from the Principal's desk

Dear Parent,

Christmas preparations are in full force on campus this week. I invite you to attend our Elementary School Christmas Programs this Sunday, December 14 (1 p.m. for Grades K-3 and 2 p.m. Grades 4-5) and our Preschool will be presenting their program during Chapel on Wednesday, December 17 (8:40 a.m.).

Thank you to all who came and supported the APT Book Fair this week. A HUGE thank you to Tracy Griffin and your amazing team for all that you did to make this happen.

We will be having themed days next week (Monday-Friday). Please see page 2 for more information.

SAVE THE DATE- H.I.T. is coming soon - January 15-18.

Next Friday, December 19 is our last day of school before the Christmas Break. This will be a minimum day. We will return to school on Monday, January 5.

Blessings to you and your family!

#### Birthdays for the Week of December 15<sup>th</sup>

James Keyes Archie Schluter Samuel Bisconer Keevah House Lola Morris

#### SnapShots for the Week of December 15<sup>th</sup>

Maxwell Brown Ridley Ramsier Maverick Murdock Luca Montes Noelle Holdsworth  
Archie Schluter Ronan Coughlan Samuel Bisconer



# Christmas Theme Week



**MONDAY**  
**HOLIDAY**  
**ACCESSORY**  
WEAR YOUR FAVORITE  
CHRISTMAS THEMED  
HAIRBAND, SOCKS


**TUESDAY**  
**GREEN**  
**DAY**  
COME TO SCHOOL  
DRESSED IN YOUR BEST  
GREEN ATTIRE (JEANS  
MAY BE WORN)

**WEDNESDAY RED**  
**DAY**  
COME TO SCHOOL  
DRESSED IN YOUR BEST  
RED ATTIRE (JEANS  
MAY BE WORN)



**THURSDAY**  
**UGLY SWEATER**  
**DAY**  
WEAR YOUR FAVORITE  
UGLY CHRISTMAS  
SWEATER WITH JEANS.

**FRIDAY**  
**PAJAMA DAY**  
WEAR YOUR COMFY  
PAJAMAS TO SCHOOL  
AND CELEBRATE THE  
LAST DAY OF SCHOOL  
BEFORE BREAK  
EARLY DISMISSAL



# Maintenance Technician Needed

## Position Description

### Overview

The maintenance technician serves the church and school by contributing to the safe, reliable and cost-effective operation and maintenance of church buildings and grounds. He/she is primarily responsible for implementing and carrying out the preventive and routine maintenance tasks to prolong and ensure appropriate operation of equipment and systems; identifying repair/replacement needs necessary to maintain equipment and systems; and ensuring adequate materials are available to complete assignments in a timely manner. Ideally, this team member will have skill and experience supporting maintenance functions of a business or private entity and will have general knowledge of facility maintenance best practices.

### Qualifications

- Must have good interpersonal skills and familiarity w/ SJLC
- Willing to serve
- Attention to detail
- Ability to climb and descend ladders
- Capable of lifting up to 100 pounds
- Preferred
  - o 3-5 years facility maintenance experience in a public or private organization
  - o General knowledge of building maintenance, carpentry, plumbing and electrical skills
  - o Troubleshooting competence

### Duties and responsibilities

- Assist with maintaining a preventative maintenance program
- Make basic repairs to:
  - o Plumbing equipment
  - o Electrical systems
  - o Drywall, brick and wood work
  - o Light fixtures
  - o Hardware (doors, locks, gates, etc)
- Ensure basic fire equipment is operational:
  - o Fire extinguishers are regularly inspected
  - o Smoke and carbon monoxide detectors are routinely checked and batteries properly charged
  - o Emergency exit signs are functioning
- Make certain roofs, rain gutters and drains are well-maintained and clear of debris
- Perform basic carpentry including cabinet and furniture repair
- Paint small areas when “touch ups” are needed
- Keep all general storage areas and the workshop area clean and organized
- Regularly inspect church campus and correct/repair and or replace needed items around church
  - o Assist facility manager to organize and retain maintenance and/or inspection records
  - o Use checklists to systematically (weekly/monthly/quarterly/annually/seasonally) inspect buildings, equipment and real property
- Notify facility manager of discrepancies and other matters requiring additional resources to resolve problems (eg. professional contractor, large financial obligation)
- Complete any other duties as required to sustain a safe, functional and beautiful campus

### Position Details

- o Regular Work Schedule: 10-20 hours per week

# DECEMBER HOT LUNCH

## Tuesday

\$5.00

Penne Pasta  
w/Marinara or Butter  
Garden Salad, French Bread  
and Hello Panda

\$7.00

Penne Pasta (double serving)  
w/Marinara or Butter  
Garden Salad, French Bread  
and Hello Panda

SUPPORTING 8<sup>TH</sup> GRADE

## Thursday

\$5.00

1 - Slice of Pizza  
with salad and ice cream

\$7.00

2 - Slices of Pizza  
with salad and ice cream



# OPERATION: *With LOVE* *From HOME*



**Help us!**

...fill care packages  
in time for  
the Holidays



## Care Packages *For our troops*



**Assembly Date:**  
Saturday  
December 13, 2025

**Location:**  
UNIDOS Middle School Gymnasium  
1850 Salvador Ave  
Napa CA, 94558

**New Location**

**Time:**

10:00am-2:00pm

General registration & check in  
begins at 9:30am

Event begins at 10:00am

**Collection Dates:**

November 1 - December 5, 2025

For more information contact Liz Alessio at  
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## Memory Verse for December 15-19



### **Galatians 4:4-5**

*But when the set time had fully come, God sent his Son, born of a woman, born under the law, to redeem those under the law, that we might receive adoption to sonship*

The memory verse for next week is once again a Christmas verse. In this verse, Paul provides a very brief summary of the “why” for Christmas. Jesus was born to redeem us and to enable us to be adopted as children of God.

Beyond all the traditions of Christmas, the lights and the parties, the presents and the food, there is this truth: We need a Savior. If we could save and redeem ourselves, then Christmas would not have needed to happen. But because we cannot achieve the perfection the law demands, God in His love and mercy, has provided a way. His Son, born of Mary, would redeem us by His perfect life, innocent suffering and death, and resurrection to new life.

Jesus is the reason for the season. But looked at from another perspective, we are the reason. He came for us.

### **Questions for Discussion**

- Why do you think the Savior came as a little baby?
- How can we celebrate Christmas in a way that honors what it is really, truly all about?



**\$ 85 per Person**



**ST. JOHN'S LUTHERAN SCHOOL GROUNDS  
APRIL 25, 2026 5:00 PM**

**THROW ON SOME BOOTS AND  
JEANS AND GET READY FOR  
SOME LIVE MUSIC!!**





# New! Princess Ballerinas®

## Dance Classes For Ages 4–8 Years

**What:** New Princess Ballerinas classes launching in Napa this January! Princess Ballerinas is a joyful, imagination-rich dance program where young dancers step into a new magical adventure each week—learning age-appropriate dance skills, building confidence, and having a blast.

**Who:** Classes available for children ages 4–5 and 6–8.

**Where:** Lucky Penny Community Theater — Dance Room  
1758 Industrial Way, Napa. (Plenty of parking, a spacious lobby, and a professional dance studio.)

**When:** *Classes meet once per week for 50 minutes.*

- Ages 4–5: Tuesdays 3:30–4:20 OR Thursdays 3:30–4:20
- Ages 6–8: Tuesdays 4:30–5:20 OR Thursdays 4:30–5:20



**Instructor:** Classes are led by Megan Meyers, creator of The Princess Ballerinas Dance Program—a Napa mom and experienced children’s dance educator with over 20 years of experience helping little ones grow, shine, and fall in love with dance.



## Grand Opening Event!

**Enjoy a FREE 4-week session of Princess Ballerinas classes in January (a \$99 value!).**

During this special introductory month, your child will experience the full magic of Princess Ballerinas—weekly themed adventures, confidence-building activities, and a warm, encouraging environment.

**Free Session Dates: 1/13–2/5**

*Space is limited. Reserve your spot today!*

**Register online: [www.PrincessBallerinasNapa.com](http://www.PrincessBallerinasNapa.com)**







# RaiseRight™

## Fast and Easy Fundraising with RaiseRight

Turn your everyday expenses into earnings! Simply buy gift cards and shop online through St. John's RaiseRight program, and brands automatically give up to 20% back to the school. Use gift cards to pay for everyday things like groceries, gas, clothing, coffee, or dining out!!

***\*\*Last Day to special order: December 11th\*\****

### IT'S AS EASY AS 1-2-3

1) Download the RaiseRight App from the App Store or on Google Play or enroll online at

**[www.raiseright.com/Enroll](http://www.raiseright.com/Enroll)**

2) Insert Enrollment Code 912E7L6F9161

3) Buy e-gift cards, gift cards and make day to day purchases through the app or online. Physical gift cards can also be purchased at the SJL office.



**DUTCH BROS**  
Coffee

**ULTA**  
BEAUTY



**OLD NAVY**  
BANANA REPUBLIC

**TJ-maxx**  
Marshalls  
HomeGoods



**THE HOME DEPOT**

**GAP**

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