

September 2026 Newsletter

St. John's Lutheran School

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

Please call or email to make an appointment



Thursday, 10th: 11:30 am Dismissal; No Extended Care; School Bus Service begins

Friday, 11th: 11:30 am Dismissal

Saturday, 12th: Rally Day at School Noon - 2 pm

Monday, 14th: First Full School Day; Bring bag lunch this week; Morning & Aftercare Begin

Thursday, 17th: Parent Teacher Meet & Greet
6:30 pm Parents Welcome in the gym

Sunday, 20th: School Staff Installation at 10:30 am service at St. John's Lutheran Church

Monday, 21st: Kindergarten - 8th grade Hot Lunch program begins

Friday, 25th: No School, Staff Development

Monday, 28th: October Extended Care Calendar Due

Arrival/Dismissal

Stop and Drop!

Arrival-Families 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 do not park or get out of the car.** Students dropped off from 8:30 - 8:45 am may go directly to the gym. After 8:45 am, students will ring the doorbell and receive a late pass from the school office. **Students may not exit the car before the door is open.**

Dismissal - Families are to line up in the front of the building and their child will be called out and escorted to the car. Parent Pick-Up starts at 3:15 pm, after school buses are dismissed. (11:35 am on half days)
Please DO NOT park or exit the car. This holds up the line, creating traffic and safety issues.

School Bus Service will begin Thursday, September 10th. Please let your child's teacher know if your dismissal plans change.

Extended Care Services will begin Monday, September 14th. Calendars, payment, and Care registration forms are due before use.



Tuition Information <https://www.blackbaud.school/>

Tuition Payments began in July. Please be sure to view your Account at Blackbaud Tuition Management (formerly Smart Tuition). All accounts must be up to date before children may attend class in September.

Welcome Letters and School Policies will soon be on our website under Information Packets.

School calendars, Extended Care forms, Hot Lunch Instructions, and more can be found on our website under Printable Forms

After School Activities

St. John's will host after school programs such as Fencing, JuJutsu, Zumba, Music Lessons, Arts and Crafts, Basketball Clinic, Legos and more. Permission slips will be posted on the school website, under Printable Forms.

Welcome Back!!!

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 week to get everything in.

Specialty Subjects such as Gym, Music, Computers, and Religion will begin the week of September 14th.

Please hand in any Medical paperwork now.

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 for Monday - Thursday, as well as substitutes for Monday-Friday, are needed.

Lunch

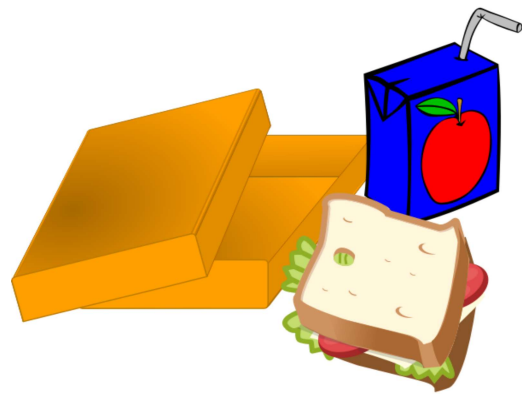
Kindergarten - 8th grade students must bring a bag lunch to school September 14th - 18th.

Bella Mama Rose Hot Lunch option will begin on Monday, September 21st. Ordering instructions will be

posted under Printable Forms on our website. *Drinks are not included. Snacks will be sold at lunch time (chips, cookies).*

The Snapple machine is available to purchase drinks.

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



Friday pizza lunch from Pizza Parlor will start October 2nd.
Pizza orders are given directly to your child's homeroom teacher the (Thurs)day before. \$3 per slice of pizza or \$5 for two slices.

Visitors

All visitors **MUST have an appointment.** You may contact the person you need to speak with to schedule accordingly. You will not be seen without an appointment.

Meet and Greet

Join us for our Meet and Greet/Orientation on Thursday, September 17th. At 6:30pm all parents will meet in the gym for announcements, fliers, and school information. Uniform Exchange clothes will be available to purchase. Afterwards, parents will meet with their child's teachers.

Important Information

- ★ Tuition Payments for the 2026 - 2027 School Year began in July 2026. 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.



School Fundraisers

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.

Events

You're Invited: Rally Day Ice Cream Social on Saturday,
September 12th from 12 noon - 2 pm at St. John's Lutheran
School: Games, Prizes, and Ice Cream

*Look under the Events tab on our website for the fliers.

<https://school.stjohnslutheransi.org/events.html>

St. John's Lutheran Church

216 Jewett Ave. Staten Island, 10302

Church Office Phone: 718-761-1600

***Church Services commence at 10:30 am
From September 6th - Until the end of May***

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



Sunday, September 20th, the staff of St. John's Lutheran School will be installed as Christian educators for St. John's Lutheran at the 10:30 am church service.

All are welcome to attend. St. John's Lutheran Church is located at the corner of Jewett Ave. and Catherine Court, 10302.

There will be Bingo on Friday, September 25th, 6 pm at St. John's Lutheran Church. Please email the church if you would like to join Bingo.