

Westside Christian Wave Weekly

April 14

Update on school closure

At the time of this publication, the information from the State is that schools may resume on-site instruction after April 24. That means we are currently operating with the assumption that school will resume in our building on April 27, unless Governor Evers announces another plan. We realize there are now more than 20 other states that have determined they will close school for the remainder of the year and that the absence of a confirmed reopening date leaves some uncertainty for all of us.

As a staff, we have discussed long-range planning to last through May 22, if necessary. We will remain committed to supporting our families through this time and will continue offering online learning opportunities for students as long as we need to. If we are allowed to hold operations on site at any point this school year, we will follow the safety guidance of the local public health officials.

As always, we encourage families to stay informed, ask questions if you are struggling or unsure about academic expectations for your child, and let us know how we can best support your family through this trying time.

The 2019-20 yearbook is happening!

We are now taking orders for anyone interested in purchasing the WCS 2019-2020 yearbook. The full-color yearbook includes all grades (Pre-K3 – 8th) and captures the many events and activities held this past year. Consider ordering one for each child.

To Order: Complete the fillable yearbook order form below and email it to Ellie Roekle at roekle@hotmail.com **no later than Thursday, April 23, 2020**. Payment will be collected via TADS, nothing is required on your part. Note: order forms received after the deadline will result in higher prices.

Distribution: Yearbooks will be provided to Westside for distribution. Pick up dates and times will be provided once known.

Contact Ellie Roekle with questions at roekle@hotmail.com.



Call update

Continue to keep Joe Blum in your prayers, as he seeks the Lord's guidance on where his gifts can best be used in service to Him. We have called Joe as a middle school teacher. Kim Gnewuch has returned her call to serve as teacher at St. John's in Montello.

Dear members of St. Andrew and parents of Westside Christian School,

I thank all of you for your prayers and words of encouragement in the last few weeks as I contemplated my calls both here in Middleton and also to St. John's, Montello. My prayer has been to see where God would have me serve Him to the best of my abilities. After looking at each individual calling, I feel there is still work for me to do in His kingdom here in Middleton.

I joyfully look forward to continuing service to our Lord and His lambs here at St. Andrew and WCS. I find it a true blessing to work together with such a loving congregation and school family as we feed God's precious lambs and share the victorious news that He is risen indeed!

May He continue to bless both our school and St. John's by keeping us firm in His Word and mission to "Go into all the world and preach the gospel to all the nations."

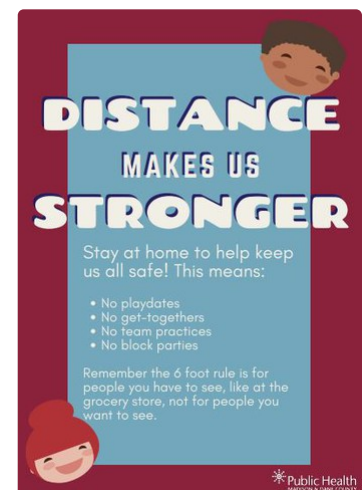
*In Christian service,
Kim Gnewuch*

No flower sale this year

Each year, just before Mother's Day, Westside middle school students sell potted flowers and hanging flower baskets as a fundraiser for their class trip. Unfortunately, we will not have that sale this year. We plan to bring it back next year at this time, though!

Distance makes us stronger

We know these are tough times, and that having your kids get together with other kids brings a sense of comfort (and gives you a break too)! However, it's extremely important that you and your family maintain physical distance from other people who live outside of your home. Do not host play dates, meet up at the park, or let your children hang out with their friends during the day, evening, or on the weekends.



The deadline to submit an application for WPCP is this Thursday

The deadline to submit an application and **COMPLETE** the application process for the WPCP is this **Thursday, April 16**. Completion of the process includes the submission of certain documents. We need to have received all required documents from you no later than April 16.

Contact [Meredith Pucci](#) ASAP if you have questions about the program.

Seeking classroom assistants for 2020-21 school year

Westside Christian School is growing and will be looking for part-time classroom assistants beginning in the 2020-21 school year! Positions could be available in one of our preschool, kindergarten, or 3rd & 4th grade classrooms. We are looking for people who are flexible, have a positive attitude, and love working with young children. Job duties will vary depending on the grade level. Reach out to Principal [Meredith Pucci](#) if you or someone you know may be interested in joining our team.



Information for your taxes

Tax season is upon us. You will probably need our Federal EIN: 39-1437079. Also, you can find a record of your tuition expenses for 2018 using the following steps:

- 1) Log into TADS.
- 2) Navigate to the Billing area.
- 3) Click on the link titled "Household Paid Tuition Tax Report".


If you do not remember your login credentials for TADS, you will need to call them at 800-477-8237.




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