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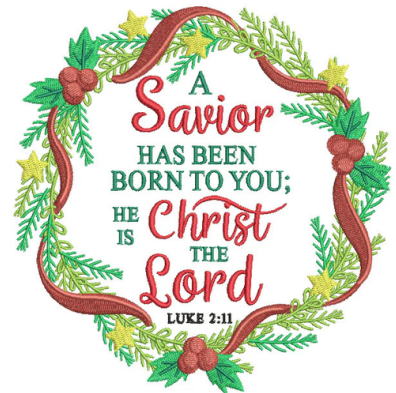
# ***THE KNIGHTLY NEWS***

**JANUARY 18TH, 2025 | VOLUME 1, ISSUE 20**

## **The Knights Are Off! 🏡**

We are already half-way through January! As we continue to move through the 2024-2025 school year, it's important to look back and recognize the positive growth that your child has experienced spiritually, socially, and academically. Please take some time to share any notes with us as we move down the home-stretch.

Please continue to read through this newsletter, which will hold all of the key moments of a jammed-packed spring semester.



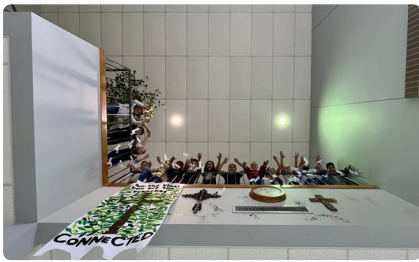
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## ***JANUARY'S MEMORY VERSE***

"But God shows his love for us in that while we were still sinners, Christ died for us." Romans 5:8

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## ***PICTURES OF THE WEEK!*** 📷



**Paper Helicopter Drop!** 🚁  
Ms. Bridgewater's 4th grade Art class experiments with paper helicopters!



**Knights of the Week!** 🏰  
**Front:** Alvino Llanas, Kate Christian, Raylee Weiss  
**Back:** Cason Mersiovsky, Paxton Schimank, Charlie Horne, Kaelia Brashear



**Robotics Club** 🤖  
Lily Behrens and Karma Mittasch create a robot cat during their afterschool Robotics club.



**DAEGHYN EXNER (1/13) AND KATE SIEGMUND (1/20)** 🎉

**🍕 NEXT WEEK'S LUNCH MENU**

Tues.	Jan. 21	Wed.	Jan. 22	Thurs.	Jan. 23	Fri.	Jan. 24
Tacos	Pizza	Oven Fried	Hamburger				
Refried Beans	Garden Salad	Chicken	French Fries				
Spanish Rice	Corn	Mashed Potatoes	Lettuce, Tomato				
Lettuce, Tomato	Jello w/ Fruit	Broccoli w/ Cheese	Pickles, Onion				
Strawberries	Fresh Apple	Peaches	Fruit				
Milk	Milk	Milk	Milk				

Event Information

**Read-A-Thon**

Bring your comfy pillows and blankets!

When?

**Tuesday, Jan 21, 2025, 12:45 PM**

Where?

**Immanuel Lutheran School, North Grimes Street, Giddings, TX, USA**

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Event Information

**Robotics Club (2nd-8th Graders)**

When?

**Tuesday, Jan 21, 2025, 03:15 PM**

Where?

**Immanuel Lutheran School, North Grimes Street, Giddings, TX, USA**

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Event Information

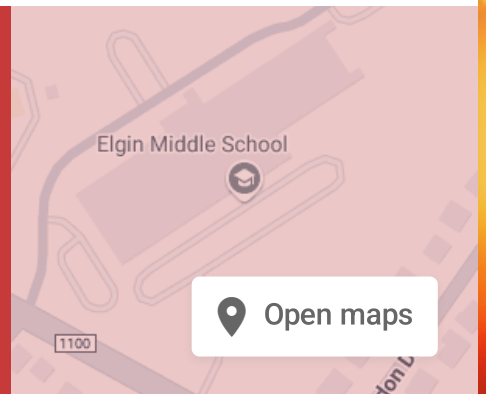
**JV Boys Basketball @ TNT (Elgin MS)**

When?

**Tuesday, Jan 21, 2025, 05:00 PM**

Where?

**Elgin Middle School, North Avenue C, Elgin, TX, USA**



Event Information

**Lifetouch Pictures (Basketball & Cheerleaders)**

When?

**Wednesday, Jan 22, 2025, 01:00 PM**

Where?

**Immanuel Lutheran School, North Grimes Street, Giddings, TX, USA**

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Event Information

## Pep Rally

When?

**Thursday, Jan 23, 2025, 02:30 PM**

Where?

**Immanuel Lutheran School, North Grimes Street, Giddings, TX, USA**

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Event Information

## Puzzle Club (All Grades)

When?

**Thursday, Jan 23, 2025, 03:15 PM**

Where?

**Immanuel Lutheran School, North Grimes Street, Giddings, TX, USA**

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Event Information

## Boys Basketball

JV Boys vs 1st Baptist (5:00 pm)

Varsity Boys @ Dime Box (5:00 pm)

When?

**Thursday, Jan 23, 2025, 05:00 PM**

Where?

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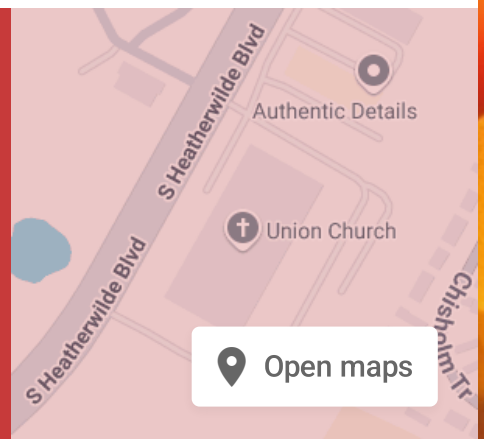
## Spelling Bee @ Concordia HS - Pflugerville

When?

**Friday, Jan 24, 2025, 12:45 PM**

Where?

**Concordia High School, South Heatherwilde Boulevard,  
Pflugerville, TX, USA**



## REMINDERS

**1. Online 2025-2026 Registration Begins** 

We will be moving to online registration for the 2025-2026 school year. You may access all registration documents online through our [FACTS Family Portal](#) (a.k.a. RenWeb) beginning **February 1st**.

If you have any questions, please call (979 542-3319) or email ([jfierro@ilgtx.com](mailto:jfierro@ilgtx.com)).



## 2. Spring Accelerated Reader Challenge (1/21-2/28) 📖

We are joining the national AR Challenge this Spring to develop our readers! This 6-week reading challenge will include:



- **Drop Everything And Read (DEAR) time.** Mondays, Tuesdays, & Thursdays, 8:00-8:10 am.
- **Read-A-Thon.** January 21st, 12:45-3:00 pm. Bring a comfy blanket and pillow to read in the gym.
- **Reading Picnic Day.** February 13th, 1:45-2:15 pm.
- **Family Literacy Night.** February 25th, time TBD.
- **Book Character Day.** March 3rd.
- **Mystery Readers.** TBD.

## 3. Donate your GREEN Christmas Trees! 🌲

Our VBS theme this summer is: True North!

Ms. Katie is asking for help collecting GREEN artificial Christmas Trees of all shapes and sizes. If you have a tree you are willing to donate, please contact Ms. Katie at [kotto@ilgtx.com](mailto:kotto@ilgtx.com)



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## *PEERING THROUGH THE PORTCULLIS!* 👁️

**January 27th:** 100th Day of School (Dress-Up Day)

**January 31st:** Faith Lutheran - Warda 5th-8th grade Writers Workshop

**Jan. 31st-Feb. 1st:** Immanuel's JV Basketball Tournament

**February 1st:** Online 2025-2026 Registration Begins

**February 3rd:** Gala Tickets Available @ School & Classic Bank

**February 5th:** Gala Meeting

**February 13th:** Pep Rally

**February 14th:** Basketball State Tournament

**February 17th:** School Holiday

**February 19th:** Gala Meeting

**February 21st:** PSIA @ Immanuel

**March 3rd-7th:** Lutheran Schools Week (Book Fair, Grandparents Day, Wax Museum, Roller Skating)

**March 8th-16th:** Spring Break

**March 25th:** Spring Open House

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