

Principal Report to Conference of Delegates

February 8, 2023

YOUR LUTHER HIGH SCHOOL: School Year Theme—In Christ Alone

YOUR LUTHER HIGH SCHOOL: Faculty and Staff

Mr. Jonathan Witte has received a call to serve as band, choir, and music instructor at Illinois Lutheran High School. We keep Jonathan and his wife Carley in our prayers.

Mr. Brad Schaper will retire at the end of the 22-23 school year.

YOUR LUTHER HIGH SCHOOL: Student News

Senior, **Miriam Larson**, was recognized by the La Crosse Tribune with the Extra Effort Award. Miriam, also received the Herb Kohl Student Initiative Scholarship.

Mallory Towne and Luke Rosenbaum accompanied a group of Luther students and chaperones to Washington, DC for the annual Right for Life March.

Jonathan Witte accompanied a group of jazz band students to Wisconsin Luther College who participated in Jazz Fest.

Winter Extra-Curriculars—Our winter sports team will begin post season play in the upcoming weeks. Our drama department is preparing for our spring musical *Chitty Chitty Bang Bang* which will take place on March 10-12. Luther High School will also host WELS National Band Fest from March 16-19.

YOUR LUTHER HIGH SCHOOL Administration:

Promotions

John Byus, our Mission Advancement Director, continues to lead chapel at our association grade schools. John and **Principal Phil Punzel** continue to visit our association congregations for weekend worship.

Recently, Luther High School hosted our association 7th grade students and 4th grade students on campus. Special thanks to **Greg Schibbelhut** for organizing these events.

John Byus is working with Channel 8 in producing two television commercials that will promote Luther High School. He also organized a direct mail campaign that will be used to communicate with families in the Holmen and West Salem school districts.

Enrollment Planning for 23-24 School Year

Below are the current enrollment numbers in our 13 association LES grade schools.

Association Grade School Enrollment for 21-22 School Year

8th	7th	6th	5th	4th	3rd	2nd	1st	5K	4K
92	114	100	116	128	113	115	136	124	161

Association Grade School Enrollment for 22-23 School Year

8th	7th	6th	5th	4th	3rd	2nd	1st	5K	4K
117	101	117	128	108	121	141	124	128	136

Currently, we have 57 freshmen enrolled for the 23-24 school year. We are anticipating a freshmen class between 70-80 students. Our overall enrollment goal is 237 students. Thank you for your help in promoting Luther High School.

Ministry Planning for the 23-24 School Year

The Board of Control is calling for a campus pastor, a full-time instructor who will serve in our practical arts department, and a full-time instructor who will also serve as our boys' varsity basketball coach. Please continue to keep the call process in your prayers.

Conference of Delegates

Thank you for the work that you do at your local congregation. The Lord continues to bless us with opportunities to serve students and families at Luther High School. May the Lord keep all of us rooted in God's Word.

Acts 4:12 Salvation is found in no one else, for there is no other name under heaven given to mankind by which we must be saved.