



KNIGHTWATCH

October 9, 2020



**Adam
Kirsch**

FROM THE PRINCIPAL . . .

Q) How do we know that Jesus is God?

A) Confirmed by Himself

Our theme for the year focuses on the idea that we need to be prepared to answer the questions for the reason for the hope that we have. There are questions that non-Christians have of Christians in relation to our faith. Throughout the year we will focus on answers to these questions through a lens on the central figure to our faith – Jesus Christ.

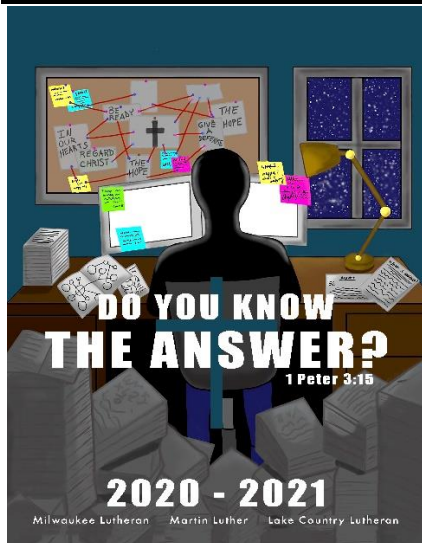
For those who have read the Gospel accounts, this answer may be confusing. Did Jesus ever claim to be God? Numerous times in the accounts of Jesus ministry, it records that a miracle by Jesus was quickly followed up with a command to not tell anyone what had been witnessed. Wouldn't someone who is God want everyone to know and spread the message of what they had seen and who they believed this man to be?

I think that is exactly the point. While Jesus was completely God, His time had not yet fully come. The Jews had a very different expectation for the purpose of a Savior than what Jesus was there to do. They believed an earthly conqueror would come to restore Israel to political power and to overthrow their Roman oppression. Jesus came instead to establish a Heavenly Kingdom and to overthrow the oppression of sin. Having everyone proclaim Him to be their version of a Savior would only inhibit His true work.

So, did Jesus ever actually say He was God, or have we just put words into His mouth? Facing sure death and recognizing that the events were in proper motion to fulfill His salvation purpose, Jesus makes a resounding proclamation during His trials before crucifixion, not to the political rulers but to the religious leaders.

Again, the high priest asked Him, "Are you the Christ, the Son of the Blessed?" And Jesus said, "I AM, and you will see the Son of Man seated at the right hand of Power, and coming with the clouds of heaven. (Mark 14:61-62)

His claim "I AM" goes all the way back to Old Testament where God reveals who He is. The word was so revered by the Jews that everyone who heard this proclamation knew immediately that He just declared without hesitation that He was indeed God. If Jesus makes such a bold proclamation just before His suffering and death, we too should be bold enough to proclaim the identity of God. Jesus Christ is the Savior of the world, has overcome sin and death, has established His eternal Kingdom, and gives us His hope (1 Peter 3:15)



UPCOMING EVENTS . . .

- 10/15 Parent/Teacher Conferences, 5:00 – 7:30 pm
(instructions on page 3, links will be sent Oct. 13)
- 10/16 No School, Parent/Teacher Conf., 7:30 – 9:30 am
(instructions on page 3, links will be sent Oct. 13)
- 10/27 Roller Skating Night, 6:30 – 8:30 pm
- 11/05 Open House, 6:00 – 8:00 pm

ATTENDANCE PROCEDURES . . .

FOR ALL STUDENTS - REPORTING A STUDENT ABSENT OR LATE Absences must be reported to the Attendance Office by email attendance@milwaukeeelutheran.org OR (414) 461-6062 by 9 AM on the day of the absence.

EARLY RELEASE If you need to have your student released early, please Email attendance@milwaukeeelutheran.org or call the attendance office (414) 461-6062 **AT LEAST ONE HOUR IN ADVANCE**. Last minute calls may result in a delayed dismissal.

GETTING A MESSAGE TO A STUDENT If you need to get a message to a student , please email attendance@milwaukeeelutheran.org OR call (414) 461-6062 and a message will be sent to the student through student mail.

*****Please note that due to the large volume of calls and activity in the attendance office you may have to leave a message. Messages are checked often and the call will be handled accordingly.***** Thank you for your assistance in this matter!

ACADEMIC ADVISING . . .

STUDENT/COUNSELOR ASSIGNMENTS:

GUTTER: Freshmen
 SINCLAIR: Sophomores
 E. JANOUSKY: Juniors
 STEINKE: Seniors
 L. KOEBERT: Transition

Week of October 12 – October 16

October 2020						
Su	M	Tu	W	Th	F	Sa
11	12	13	14	15	16	17

BLOCK KEY:
Yellow – EVEN
Green – ODD
Blue – ALL
Red – No School



Joel Bahr
Assistant Principal



REMOTE PARENT-TEACHER CONFERENCES PARENT INSTRUCTIONS

We are moving our Fall Parent-Teacher Conferences to a completely virtual format through Microsoft TEAMS. This will allow needed contact while helping to keep both our families and faculty safe. If you have a student who is struggling with learning or you would like to check in with a teacher, our teachers will be available for virtual meetings during the following times:

- Thursday, October 15 – 5:00-7:30 pm
- Friday, October 16 – 7:30-9:30 am

You will receive a full list of links to individual teacher meetings on Tuesday. There will be separate links for the Thursday evening and Friday morning sessions for each teacher. It will be helpful for you to determine the teachers you wish to speak with ahead of time. You do not need to have a Microsoft Teams account to access the links or the meetings.

When you click on a link to join a meeting, you will automatically enter a waiting lobby for that teacher. They will admit you as soon as they are able. Teachers will try and keep the waiting room aware of their number in line through the chat box feature.

If these times do not work, if you would prefer to talk by phone, or if an individual conference will run longer than just a **couple of minutes**, we recommend you make arrangements with the teacher to schedule a conference for another time.

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OFFICE of SCHOOL CULTURE/Dean of Students

Greetings,

Just a reminder that due to parent/teacher conferences there is a schedule change for next week: Group A students will be in the building on Monday and Tuesday, Group B students will be in the building on Wednesday and Thursday. Please contact me if you have any questions regarding policies/procedures. My contact information is jkalkopf@milwaukeeelutheran.org and 414-461-6000x205. There are a couple of items that I would like to emphasize:

Arrival To School

- The earliest students can enter the building is 7:15. Freshmen/Sophomores to the Main Gym Entrance and Juniors/Seniors to Main Office Entrance.
- Please aim for arrival by 7:50 as classes begin at 8:00.
- If a student is late (arrives past 8:00), they need to go to the Main Office entrance.

Dress Code

- Masks must be worn in the building.
- Rips/Tears/Frays are not allowed in jeans or any other clothing
- No writing on shirts is allowed unless it is a Christian message, a team/school, or a name brand. T-shirts with musicians and tv shows are not allowed.
- If a student is out of dress code, they will not be allowed in class.

Lunch

- Make sure your son or daughter has a lunch, has cash for lunch, or has money on their lunch account before they are dropped off. We want to avoid parents bringing money or lunch during the school day.
- If a parent has to bring money or lunch during the day (we do want to avoid this), we will have a staff member get that from you outside. We do not want parents entering the building during the school day.

Parking Permit/Driving

- If a student is parking in the school parking lot, they need to either renew their permit from last year or get a parking permit. The cost is \$10. Please see Ms. Adams regarding parking permits.
- Students that are driving should review our Parking Lot Regulations/Violations on p. 127 in the school planner.

After-School Procedures

- The school day ends at 3:20
- Students can be on school property until 4:15

The verse of encouragement I chose for today is from Romans 15:13 : "May the God of hope fill you with joy and peace as you trust in him, so that you may overflow with hope by the power of the Holy Spirit."

God's Blessings,
Mr. Joe Kalkopf
MLHS Dean of Culture



Joe Kalkopf
Dean of Culture



Marcus Jackson
Dean of Students




Chip Wylie
Counselor

ADMISSIONS...



Rachel Janousky
Director of
Admissions

SPIRITUAL LIFE	ACADEMICS	FINE ARTS	ATHLETICS
<h1>Open House</h1> <h2>MILWAUKEE LUTHERAN HIGH SCHOOL</h2>			
<p>Thursday, November 5th 6:00-8:00 PM</p>			
<p>Meet the Administration and Faculty. Talk to current students and parents. Learn about the excellent offerings.</p>		 <p>See how in each area at MLHS, Jesus makes all the difference.</p>	
<p>Register online at www.MilwaukeeLutheran.org/Get-Started.</p> <p>9700 W Grantosa Dr. Milwaukee, WI 53222 414.461.6000 www.milwaukeeLutheran.org</p>			

ATHLETICS . . .

Sports team picture day is coming up! Your athlete's photos will be posted online within a week of your photo day for viewing and ordering. Please click here to sign up for email notification when your photo is ready to view and order:

https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSepMi863ZVfVmAa7tK3lz7RdRmTodz2cJl4zAQFYtTrP57-fA/viewform?usp=sf_link

If you have any questions about sports team and individual pictures, please contact Visual Image Photography at support@vipis.com



John Ellenberger
Athletic Director

STUDENT ACTIVITIES . . .

Roller Skate Night: Mark Tuesday, October 27th on your calendars! MLHS is taking over Butler Skateland for an evening of skating, games, and music! The fun takes place from 6:30-8:30pm. The cost is \$6 per skater, to be paid at the door. Our theme for the evening is Glow Party! This event is for current MLHS students only, and **all attendees must sign up in advance!** (IDs will be checked at the door.) You can sign up on the form outside of the main office door or copy and paste this link into your

browser: <https://forms.office.com/Pages/ResponsePage.aspx?id=WxUMnmRGdEqXeJkPpqpAdio3Fzy9EpNOIOj6K4nUeZhUOUE0QTRaRDY3T0szUkE5VUpWSEJLVVvK3SS4u>

Looking Ahead: Your student council is busy planning fun events for this school year! Get excited for Paint Night, Pack the Gym, Talent Show, Basketball Tournament, and more!

Donate Blood & Save Lives! Our Student Council Community Service Committee is assisting with a blood drive at Mayfair Mall on Thursday, Oct 22nd. Please consider signing up to donate, as your blood donation will not only help save lives but also help provide a scholarship to one of our current seniors! More details will be available in next week's Knightwatch.



Rachel
Vonderheide
Student Activities
Director

CURRENT NEWS . . .

Congratulations to the newest members of the Milwaukee Lutheran chapter of the National Honor Society!

New members are:

Seniors – Jamera Bean, Lori Sanchez, and Armonie White

Juniors – Victoria Adam, Funmi Aderede, Amalia Bansemar, Claire Cronce, Raymond Curtiss, Jaedah Dixon, Nicole Hernandez, Katelynn James, Julia Khoelisho, Jaylen Lewis, Anyah Muhammad, Breia Rush, Isaac Schmidt, Sophia Seymour, Clara Strelow, and Stephanie Townsell

Congratulations also to the 2020-21 Executive Board

President – Kevin Huynh

Vice-President – Amanda Steinke

Secretary – Lydia Baas

Volunteer Coordinators – Aaron Everett and Sa’Nya Landingham

Spiritual Life Chair – Ella Nguyen

Junior Reps – Katelynn James, Julia Khoelisho, Clara Strelow, Stephanie Townsell

Attention Seniors and Parents of Seniors:

College Information Meetings with Mrs. Steinke:

Register for the Virtual Wisconsin Education Fairs Series!

Join one fair or attend them all once you're registered. Free to all visitors!

Over 150 colleges, universities, specialty schools, and military branches to explore. Filter through all your post high school options and interests, live chat and video conference from 3-5 pm followed by an interactive live financial aid session from 5-6 pm central time zone.

Fairs offered 3-5 pm followed by 5-6 pm financial aid session:

Sunday, 11/8

Register at: <https://gotocollegefairs.swoogo.com/WEFS>

SOPHOMORES: Class jewelry online orders are due on Friday, October 16. Jostens is emailing a short video announcement to you and your parents. You may pick up an information packet from your religion teacher this week that includes all the information you need. Orders can only be taken online.

ORDER YOUR YEARBOOK NOW . . .

EARLY BIRD SPECIAL AND A SALE ON PERSONALIZED ICONS GOING ON NOW: It is a great time to order the 2021 YEARBOOK! Orders for the yearbook will now be taken only online by visiting www.jostensyearbooks.com!!! There are multiple reasons why you should buy the yearbook now. **The first is you will receive the early bird price of \$55 for the yearbook if purchased before November 6th.** After that date, all books will cost \$65. The second reason is that you can take advantage of a special sale going on through Jostens right now. If you place your order for a yearbook that includes personalization, you will receive 4 free icons. **Finally, you can choose to spread out your payments for the yearbook.** You will be able to make 3 equal payments over 3 months to help make the book more affordable. **So, make sure to buy your yearbook online early so you can cross that off your list of things to do this school year and save some money in the process!!! Any questions - email Mrs. Tennes @ ktennies@milwaukee.lutheran.org**

CURRENT NEWS CONTINUED. . .

SENIOR PICTURES INFORMATION: Seniors/ Senior parents, the ONE image you choose to be included in the yearbook must meet the dress code rules and requirements listed below and can be turned in by emailing the JPEG to Mrs. Tennies at ktennies@milwaukeeelutheran.org by **November 6th**. ****NO PHYSICAL COPY PICTURES WILL BE ALLOWED THIS YEAR - ONLY SEND DIGITAL FILES****

Photo Preferences:

- ** Head and Shoulders Shot
- **Your photo MUST BE a Vertical Image
- ** No Black and White photos
- ** Traditional/Plain Background
- **JPEG format (at least 300 dpi)

Dress Code Rules:

- **No Midriff
- **No Cleavage
- **Modest Short/Skirt Length
- **No Hats
- **No Extreme hair color designs
- **No Clothing with offensive Message
- **Minimal ripped clothing
- **Minimal display of tattoos

*New this year, Mrs. Tennies will be offering her photography services for the seniors. For the low cost of \$25, she will gladly take your child's senior picture so they don't have their student ID as their senior picture. Please contact her if you are interested in senior pictures taken before the deadline of **NOVEMBER 6th**.*

WANT TO BUY AN AD IN THE YEARBOOK FOR YOUR SENIOR OR BUSINESS?

Do you want to shout out your senior son or daughter in the yearbook for them to remember for years to come? Or advertise your company/business for future prospects in high schoolers? You can purchase a full page, half, quarter, or even an eighth of a page, in full color. Contact Mrs. Tennies @ kkuehl@milwaukeeelutheran.org for more information and the form to fill out. **Yearbook ad deadline is February 12th, 2021.**

WE ARE HIRING!



Positions Available:
Cook - part-time
Prep Cook – part-time
Dishwasher – part-time

Contact Nathan Anderson at nanderson@lhsagm.org or (414) 296-5961

WEEKLY LUNCH MENU



MONDAY, Oct. 12 – (ODD day) Quesadilla
TUESDAY, Oct. 13 – (EVEN day) Chicken Patty, Hash Brown
WEDNESDAY, Oct. 14 – (ODD day) Quesadilla
THURSDAY, Oct. 15 – (EVEN day) Chicken Patty, Hash Brown
FRIDAY, Oct. 16 – NO SCHOOL- P/T Conferences
MONDAY, Oct. 19 – No Lunch, Virtual Instruction
TUESDAY, Oct. 20 – Breakfast for Lunch, Hash Brown
WEDNESDAY, Oct. 21 – Chicken Alfredo, Bosco Stick
THURSDAY, Oct. 22 – Breakfast for Lunch, Hash Brown
FRIDAY, Oct. 23 – Chicken Alfredo, Bosco Stick



How to Set Up a Pre-Paid Lunch Account



Follow the directions below if you are setting up a pre-paid lunch account at MLHS for the first time.

If your teen is a returning student and you already set up an account last year, your closing balance has transferred to the 20-21 school year.

How to set up a pre-paid lunch account:

1. Log in to **Skyward**—go to the MLHS website www.milwaukeekeelutheran.org. Point to **Quick Links** (upper right) and click on **Gradebook/Skyward**. (All families received their login information in their red folder.)
2. Open **Family Access** (right side)
3. Click on **Student Info** (left side); make note of your teen's **Other ID** number (You will need this number to set up your account.)
4. Click on **Food Service** (left side)
5. Click on **Make a Payment**
You are now in **e-Funds for Schools**, our online payment system.
6. Click on **Fund Lunch** and choose **Create an Account**
Fill in the required fields
7. Click on **Create Account**
8. Click on **Add Student(s)**
Add your teen's last name and ID number
9. Click on **Add Student(s)**
10. Click on **Continue on Home**
11. Click on **Fund Lunch**
Choose the student name
Enter the amount you would like to deposit
12. Click on **Add to Cart**
13. Click on **Begin Checkout**
Complete the requested credit or debit card information
14. Click on **Add Credit/Debit Card** to save your payment information to your account.
Follow the directions to complete your deposit.

(Note: If popups are blocked any time during the setup process, choose "disable" to continue.)

After the account is set up and money has been deposited, your teen may use their ID card to purchase food in the cafeteria.
You will be able to log in to Skyward at any time to add money, check your balance, and track your teen's cafeteria purchases.

PARKING LOT SAFETY: For the safety of all our students and parents, please find below a few reminders about dropping off/picking up your student(s) in the morning and after school.

1. When picking up after school, please **DO NOT** park between the orange cones. This area is designated for the buses.
2. When dropping off in the morning, you may pull up next to the canopy or next to the parking lot. Please **DO NOT stop in the middle of the driveway** – this causes congestion.
3. Please **DRIVE SLOWLY** at all times and watch for pedestrians crossing.

“THANK YOU FOR BEING A COURTEOUS AND SAFE DRIVER”

