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### **Loudonville Christian School** THE EAGLE



"Let the message about Christ, in all its richness, fill your lives. Teach and counsel each other with all the wisdom he gives. Sing psalms and hymns and spiritual songs to God with thankful hearts. And whatever you do or say, do it as a representative of the Lord Jesus, giving thanks through him to God the Father. "Colossians 3:16-17 (NLT)



## NOVEMBER CALENDAR



FOR THE MOST UP TO

DATE CALENDAR, CHECK

THE LCS WEBSITE.

Click Here

### **DECEMBER**

6-Seventh and Eighth Grade Field Trip to Russell Sage, 9:30 am – 12:00 pm

7-Spelling Bee, 9:00 am, Grades 4-8

8-Fifth Grade Field Trip to Cap City Rescue Mission, 8:30 am - 10:00 am

11-Progress Reports

14-Elementary Fine Arts Performance Dress Rehearsal

14-Elementary Concert, 6:30 pm,

14-Secondary Concert, 8:00 pm,

14-PTF Cookie Extravaganza

15-School Banking

15-All School Christmas Dress Chapel, 9:29 am – 10:09 am

15-Ministry Day, Grades 7-8, After Chapel

19-Second Grade Field Trip to Loudonville Adult Home, 9:45 am – 11:15 am

19-Sixth Grade Field Trip to Eastwick Village, 10:45 am – 11:45 am

19-Fourth Grade Field Trip to Atria Living Center and Visit Refugee Family, 8:30 am - 11:30 am

21-Jan 1, Christmas Break

### **JANUARY**

2-School Resumes



### ATHLETICS



### DECEMBER.

5-Girls' Varsity Basketball @ Emma Willard, 6:00 pm, DT 4:45 pm, RT 8:00 pm

5-Boys' Modified Basketball @ Waterford, 4:30 pm, DT 3:15 pm, RT 6:30 pm

6-Boys' Varsity Basketball @ Berlin, 6:00 pm, DT 4:15 pm, RT 8:30 pm

7-Girls' Modified Basketball vs. Germantown, 4:30 pm

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8-Boys' Modified Basketball @ Germantown, 4:30 pm, DT 2:45 pm, RT 8:30 pm

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11-Girls' Modified Basketball @ Heatly, 4:30 pm

### SCHOOL CLOSINGS

Here in the northeast from time to time we find it necessary to close school due to the weather and hazardous driving conditions. When this occurs, we will do our best to get the information out to you as soon as possible.

If school is closed in the morning, here are the means by which you can/will obtain the information:

- An automated phone message will be sent out from the Head of School
- A message will be posted on the Loudonville Christian School website
- A message will be posted on the Loudonville Christian School Facebook page (be sure to "friend" LCS)
- Local TV stations will post the closing on their morning broadcasts and on their websites. (WRGB- CBS 6 will send you a text notice if you sign up on their website.)

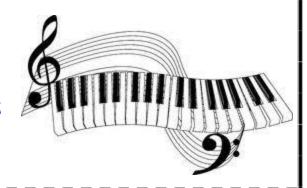
### AFTER SCHOOL ACTIVITIES CANCELLED

If a storm arrives during the day, Loudonville Christian School will not close early due to the number of school districts represented in our student body. Your local school district may close, however, and pick your children up early. Unless we hear from parents, students will be sent home on their bus. It's important to be on the alert to this possibility. On days such as these, Loudonville Christian School may find it necessary to cancel ALL after school activities. This includes games, practices, clubs, review classes, etc. Cancellation information will be found by viewing:

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#### **NYSSMA Piano Festival:**

Any student who is currently taking piano lessons and is interested in participating in the NYSSMA Piano Festival should contact Mrs. Wolfe at <a href="mailto:mwolfe@lcs.org">mwolfe@lcs.org</a> by January 5<sup>th</sup> to register. The festival will be held March 9-10 at the College of St. Rose.





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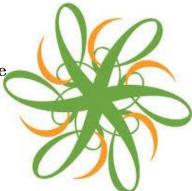
## PARK PLAYHOUSE PRESENTS "THE BEST CHRIST MAS PAGEANT EVER"

Our very own Aidan Halsey will be in Park Playhouse's "Best Christmas Pageant Ever" at Cohoes Music Hall the weekend of December 14-17th. Be sure to check out this exciting holiday event!

### Please help support LCS by shopping at Colonie Center!

Colonie Center Christmas Shopping

Tis the season of shopping for your loved ones! Colonie Center is your one-stop shopping place for that book for Aunt Mary, a gift certificate for Uncle Paul, a sweater for Jenny and a new Smartphone for Noah! Get all of your shopping done in one place! Then get your receipts stamped at Guest Services (by Moe's & Five Guys on the lower level) or drop them off at the School Office and LCS will get I school buck for every \$1 you spend -everybody wins!



Thank you for your support of this wonderful program!



Do you have a family member or friend in the military? If so, we'd like to honor and pray for them. Please email their name and a picture to Miss Crachi: ecrachi@lcs.org. Or you can drop it off in Miss Crachi's mailbox, located in the school office. She will be updating the bulletin board across from Mrs. Bigham's office.



# Support us when you shop this holiday season

Buy your gifts and holiday essentials at smile.amazon.com. You shop. Amazon donates.



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Shop for everyone on your gift list this holiday at <a href="mailto:smile.amazon.com/ch/14-1460899">smile.amazon.com/ch/14-1460899</a> and Amazon donates to Loudonville Christian School.





## Spelling Bee

The LCS Annual School Spelling Bee will be held on Thursday, December 7<sup>th</sup> in the Ministry Center at 9:00am. Our student participants are as follows:

4<sup>th</sup> graders: Joanna Kang, Ally Grace Ritter, Sam McCarty 5<sup>th</sup> graders: Everest Kuang, Josiah Mo, Jack Bibighaus 6<sup>th</sup> graders: Annabelle Root, Emmie Ashley, and Renee

graders: Lily Whitt, Thomas Obertubbesing, Elizabeth

Towers, and Kara Stallmer

8<sup>th</sup> graders: Ben Laflen, David Twombly, and Maggie Temple

### CHRISTMAS BLESSINGS



Please help us bless needy refugee (Burmese) children living in Albany!

Choose a tag from the tree in the school lobby. Buy the gift/s and return them unwrapped to LCS by the morning of Dec 15.<sup>th</sup>

These gifts will be wrapped on Ministry Day by the 7<sup>th</sup> and 8<sup>th</sup> graders and will be distributed to very needy refugee children in the Albany area. This ministry is almost always the ONLY source of gifts for this group of children. If you have any questions please email Lynne Smith at lsmith@lcs.org.

### WILLIAM K. SANFORD LIBRARY ART SHOW

Congratulations to LCS students whose artwork was selected to be on display for the month of December at the William K. Sanford Town Library. Each piece is an expression of their hard work and personal creativity. We hope that you will be able to visit this exhibit and celebrate the arts with your child, family, and friends. Thank you for supporting art education at Loudonville Christian School.

## SAVE THE DATE

## LOUDONVILLE CHRISTIAN SCHOOL

15th Annual
"Treasures of the Heart"
Auction

Thursday, March 22 at 5:15 pm The Century House



**WWW.LCS.ORG** ♥ 434.6051

### LOUDONVILLE CHRISTIAN BASKETBALL

### **Intramurals**

What – Basketball (skills, games, fun!)

Who - Boys and Girls in grades 3-6.

When – Saturdays starting 12/9 at 10:30 am—12:00 pm

Where – LCS Gymnasium

(You are not required to attend every session)



### PARENTS OF 3RD—6TH GRADERS:

This is a reminder that boys and girls intramural basketball starts on Saturday, 12/9 @ 10:30 am till 12:00 pm in the Loudonville gymnasium. The program will run through Saturday February 3rd. All are welcome to have some fun with basketball while learning to help build your basketball skill!! There is NO CHARGE for these events. We hope to see you there!! LCS Athletics Staff

Questions? – email Brian Johnson @ bjohnson@lcs.org

## PTF Cookie Extravaganza

Please help us treat our sweet LCS staff and faculty to delicious baked goods and treats this Christmas! The PTF is organizing our Annual PTF Cookie Extravaganza - this is a wonderful opportunity to thank our teachers and staff for all they do!

Our Extravaganza will take place on December 14. Please click here to complete the form and let us know what delicious goodies you'll be making - we ask that all items be dropped off or sent in with your child on the morning of December 14. Staff and faculty will have the opportunity to make a plate of delicious confections to take home and share with their family.

