



A Family
Growing
in Christ



EV. LUTHERAN CHURCH AND SCHOOL

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Dear Parents,

July 11th, 2022

Greetings to you and your family! The faculty and staff have been working hard to ready ourselves so we can provide your family with a positive experience this coming school year. There are some significant changes heading into this school year.

- School Speak will no longer be utilized by Mount Olive for communication, grades, announcements, lunch, tuition – everything.
- We'll be switching to a new system called TADS/Educate, a product by the group *Community Brands*.
 - TADS will manage all of the admissions, enrollment, and financial pieces of attending Mount Olive. You will receive an email and be asked to 'enroll' your family into the TADS system. Rest assured, all of your children already have seats at our school but we need you to complete the process so we have all of your family's current information. At the end of that process, you'll have a copy of your tuition bill for the upcoming school year.
 - EDUCATE will be used for all announcements, communication, grades, lunch ordering, etc.
- This transition will not be without its bumps. Please be patient and flexible with us. We'll ensure that all financial pieces will be correct as we head into the school year. We're open to feedback.
- Forms & Fees Day will still happen on **Tuesday, August 9th, from 8:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m. and 3:30 p.m. – 6:30 p.m. in the Mount Olive gymnasium.** We need at least one parent there and the kids don't have to come but are certainly welcome. Please bring along any questions/corrections to the tuition bill presented to you after you complete your TADS enrollment process, or bring any questions at all. On Forms & Fees Day, you'll be given information and you'll also sign up for a home visit from your child's teacher so bring your calendar. If you cannot make August 9th work, plan to come on August 16th from 3:30 – 6:30 p.m.
- Please note that, on or before Forms & Fees Day, one of the following are required:
 - Families are signed up on a payment plan with an EFT from their checking account or credit card. Understand that the credit card payment plan will come with a surcharge. OR
 - Families pay a down payment of 25% of their total tuition amount.
- All SCRIP or tuition assistance credits will be applied to your tuition statement by our financial office.

May our Lord Jesus Christ be with you and bless your family this summer. The teachers are excited to have the students back in the classrooms! Worship regularly this summer, remembering that it is God who gives us our earthly blessings as well as eternal life.

Important Dates

- DROP SCHOOL SUPPLIES OFF: Monday, August 22nd
- FIRST DAY OF SCHOOL: Wednesday, August 24th

Yours in Christ,

Landon Zacharyasz
Principal

Mount Olive Lutheran School assists parents with Christian training of children for life and eternity, provides academic excellence in the light of God's Word, and reflects the light of Jesus in the community and beyond.