## Our Savior Lutheran School News

## May 1, 2020

## "Getting To Know You - 8th Grade Edition"



### Jade Fang

What are your plans for high school? I am going to East Lansing High School

Where do you see yourself in 10 years? In collage possibly studying computer animation.

Who has had the greatest impact on your faith and learning? My parents, teachers at OSL, and my close friends.

**What is your greatest memory of being a student at OSL?** *7th grade Out Door Ed. was a fun and fascinating experience for me.* 



## **Emanuel Florian**

What are your plans for high school? I am going to Grand Ledge High School.

Where do you see yourself in 10 years? Anywhere other then Michigan.

**Who has had the greatest impact on your faith and learning?** *My parents by putting me in Our Savior Lutheran school and learning more about God.* 

**What is your greatest memory of being a student at OSL?** *Playing basketball throughout 7th and 8th grade.* 



## Chapel Schedule Wednesdays @8:30am

May 6	Vicar Mussell
May 13	Mrs. Engelbrecht (Grade 1)
May 20	Mrs. Seling (Kindergarten)
May 29	Pastor Wangelin (school closing service with class blessing)

Check out the chapel services as well as Sunday worship at <u>www.oursaviorlansing.org/</u> <u>livestream</u>



#### Teacher Appreciation Week is May 4-8th.

Haven't our teachers been fantastic with devotions, lessons, and relationships!! Our Savior would love to shower our faculty with words of gratitude. You may directly send our teachers emails, letters, videos of appreciation the week of May 4th. You may also send them in advance to Mrs. Walworth (dwalworth@oursaviorlansing.org) as she will be gathering these appreciations for us to share with teachers. Thank you for helping celebrate the blessings and impact of our teachers.

#### **Quick Links**

Please visit the Our Savior School Website for updates on our Distance Learning/At-Home Initiatives and response to COVID 19: <u>www.oursaviorlansingschool.org</u>. K-8 Class Meeting Schedule on Zoom (PDF), aculty Email Addresses (PDF), OSL YouTube Link for chapel access, Google Classroom Access, Weekly School Newsletter, and more.

#### The last day of school instruction will be Friday, May 29th.

This lines up exactly with our initial school year calendar. K-8 homeroom teachers will host virtual closing conferences with parents during the month of May. Look for sign-up information in the coming weeks. This conference will recap the growth and progress of your child for the school year. It will also serve as a time to discuss learning plans for the next grade and next school year. Thank you for your partnership in this culminating activity for your child.

#### Status of End-of-the-School Year Activities

Our staff is considering logistics for concluding the school year including awards assembly, final chapel, graduation, computer and textbook return, student belonging pickup, and more. We await guidance from the State of Michigan at the conclusion of the StayAtHome executive order that has been extended through May 15th. Like many schools and businesses, when we are able to make concrete plans, we will communicate to you the logistics.

#### Survey: Distance Learning at Our Savior - https://forms.gle/yWPQu6kLjwpv5kRk6

As you are able, participate in the following survey to better inform our faculty as we complete the remaining weeks of the school year. We thank you for your initial feedback on March 20th. The partnership between teachers, parents, and students has been amazing. We value your perspective so that we (Our Savior) may grow as we do faith and learning together.

#### Our middle school teacher search is underway and has been blessed.

The search committee is in the midst of multiple interviews with exceptional teacher candidates. Please continue to pray for the committee and the teacher who will impact our students and ministry at Our Savior. God is at work in this process! Lord willing, stay tuned for updates in the coming weeks.

#### Preschool-8th Grade Virtual Open House on Facebook, May 14th (5pm)

Our Savior will host a virtual open house to share our school ministry with the community and any prospective families. Invite your neighbors and friends to join Mr. Couser and Mrs. Carroll that evening at the Our Savior Facebook Page <u>https://www.facebook.com/oursaviorlutheranchurchandschool/</u> as we highlight and share our wonderful school.

#### **Faith Resources**

We now have several bible studies as well as Christ Connections and other faith resrouces available at <u>www.oursaviorlansing.org/faith-resources</u>. For those of you with young children, Family Life Director, Dave Wright has begun a facebook group for resources, ideas and support. <u>Check it out here!</u>

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