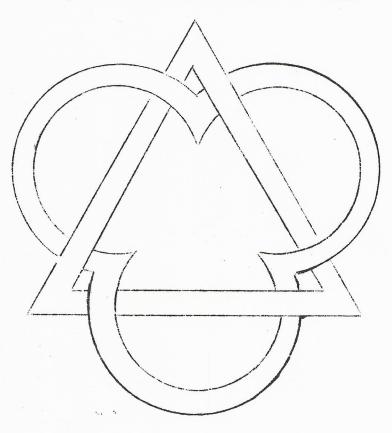
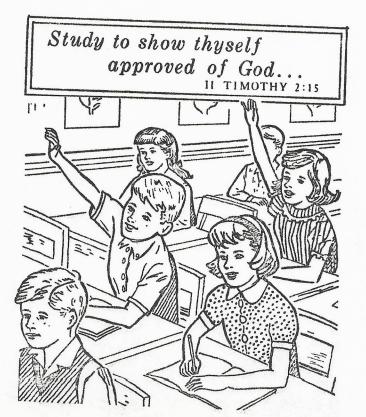


DEDICATED TO OUR TRIUNE GOD

May we dedicate ourselves to Him





COMMENCEMENT SERVICE

May 26, 1971

8:00 p.m.

St. John's Lutheran Church

Class Motto: "Buy the Truth And Sell It Not"

Class Colors: Dark Purple and Light Purple

Class Flower: Purple Violets

Class Roll

Janice Bahrenburg Carolyn Hobein Jeffrey Kullman Robert Miesner Betty Monsees Denise Pritzel Randy Steffens Donna Stoermer

Gary Zimmerschied

FACULTY

Leonard C. Schnell, Principal
John Fadler
Mrs. Leonard Heisterberg
Mrs. Clarence Hesse
Mrs. Rufus Tobaben, Assistant
Pastors: Walter Moose, William Schultz

Class Representatives

Janice Bahrenburg - "Buy the Truth and Sell It Not" is the motto our class has chosen. It tells us that we should hold firmly to the truth and let nothing mislead us. As we go on with our education in other schools and all during our lives let us always remember to stay with the truth and trust in God for guidance. We would like to thank our parents, pastors, and teachers for their guidance through these years.

May we continue to look to you for encouragement and may the truth that has made us free be our bond of mutual understanding. May the Lord's manifold blessings be your

reward.

Betty Monsees - In a few moments we will sing our class

song "Oh, that the Lord Would Guide My Ways!"

In this hymn we ask the Lord to guide us through life, that we might do what is pleasing to Him and that He would not let us stray in any way from that "delightful road."

This is a well-known hymn, but it is always a new reminder that we need the Lord to direct us. His Word is a sure and safe guide for this life and for the life to come.

Randy Steffens - We were graduated from our Lutheran School yesterday; this evening we have received our diplomas. We are happy to have reached this milestone.

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We are grateful to all who have helped make this possible. This is also partly due to cooperation among classmates by assisting each other. Now that we have been graduated from the elementary grades let us not graduate ourselves from the truth of the way to salvation that we have learned and accepted.

Professor Kurth, we say, "Thank You!" for your inspir-

ing message.

The Faculty

The cover of this book presents your theme "Buy the Truth and Sell It Not." This Truth none of us can "buy"; it is a gift of the Holy Spirit. He has created your faith in His Truth, and He also keeps you in the Truth. You have entered the Lutheran School building for many days during the past years. You have seen a beautiful large cross at the entrance of our School so often that you may not fully realize that it is the symbol of the only Truth, the way to salvation. May you always place all your hope for your present life and for the life to come in the real Truth.

You have dedicated this book to what you know is Truth. It is the wish and prayer of all who have instructed you that you will always be able to separate the Truth from

error.

OUR REFLECTION

Janice Bahrenburg - Born: April 27, 1957. Parents are Mr. and Mrs. Cleo Bahrenburg. Baptized May 19, 1957 by Pastor Albert Meier. Likes: Steppenwolf, Box Tops, some midis, volleyball. Dislikes: celery.

Carolyn Hobein - Born Feb. 18, 1957. Parents are Mr. and Mrs. Hilmer Hobein. Baptized March 17, 1957 by Pastor Joel Schedler: Likes; Pizza, art, horseback riding, swimming. Dislikes; Midi length, homework, football.

Jeffrey Kullman - Born Sept. 6, 1957. Parents are Mr. and Mrs. Hilmer Heimsoth. Baptized Oct. 6, 1957. Baptized by Pastor Walter Dierking. Likes: Pizza, popular music. Dislikes; Country and Western music, sourkraut and wieners.

Robert Miesner - Born Feb. 15, 1957. Parents are Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Miesner. Baptized March 3, 1957 by Pastor Carl Wolf. Likes; Steppenwolf, Three Dog Night, swimming, baseball and basketball. Dislikes; Sweet potatoes, most books, most Country and Western music.

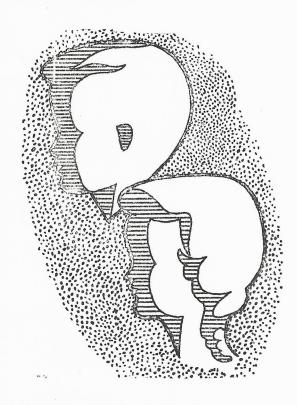
Betty Monsees - Born Feb. 19, 1957. Parents are Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Monsees. Baptized March 24, 1957 by Pastor Carl Wolf. Likes; Good music, good books, volleyball, softball. Dislikes; Spinach, liver and midi length.

Denise Pritzel - Born Jan. 23, 1957. Parents are Mr. and Mrs. Leland Pritzel. Baptized Feb. 17, 1957 by Pastor Henry J. Gerike. Likes: All active sports, Steppenwolf, The Jackson Five, Chicago Blackhawks, maxi-length. Dislikes: Liver, Social Studies, Osmond Brothers.

Randy Steffens: Born June 19, 1957. Parent is Mrs. Leona Steffens. Baptized July 21, 1957 by Pastor Joel Schedler. Likes: Pizza, swimming, camping and fishing. Dislikes: Spinach, math, cranberries.

Donna Stoermer: Born March 24, 1956. Parents are Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Stoermer. Baptized April 15, 1956 by Pastor John Deye. Likes: Music, good books, maxi-length. Dislikes: Spinach, sourkraut.

Gary Zimmerschied: Born Sept. 7, 1957. Parent is Mr. Elmer Zimmerschied. Baptized Sept. 22, 1957 by Pastor Albert Meier. Likes: Country and Western music, most books, and all fruits. Dislikes: Most pop music, cooked cabbage, beets and some magazines.



CLASS HISTORY

In 1963 twelve of us, Janice Bahrenburg, Charles Cordes, Jerry Ehlers, Carolyn Hobein, Mary Krout, Jeffrey Kullman, Robert Miesner, Betty Monsees, Denise Pritzel, Randy Steffens, Donna Stoermer and Gary Zimmerschied decided to go see the North Pole. We started out by going through Eastern Canada with Mrs. Hesse as our guide. We saw many new and different things. While crossing the ocean into Greenland, Charles Cordes and Randy Steffens

fell overboard and got left behind.

When we reached Greenland, Mrs. Harms took over as our guide. We were just about through Greenland when we met another guide Miss Jones. Mrs. Harms and Miss Jones talked awhile, and since Mrs. Harms wasn't feeling well, Miss Jones took us through the rest of Greenland. When we were about ready to cross into the Artic Circle Jerry Ehlers caught a cold and decided to stay behind. When we got to the Arctic Circle, Mr. Fadler took over as our guide. And what do you know! Randy Steffens was there waiting for us. Then we met still another guide Mr. Schnell, who took us on to the North Pole. We were ready to come home when Mary Krout decided to stay and help Santa Claus deliver gifts. So when we returned home there were nine of us left.

CLASS PROPHECY

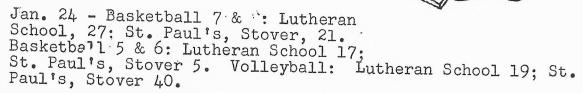
We find ourselves in the year 1980 with our graduating student Jeffrey Kullman, coming home from college, with nothing to do. He decided to take a trip. Outside of Warrensburg, he picked up a hitch-hiker who turned out to be Betty Monsees.

They decided to see a ballgame. On the way they passed the Robert Miesner dairy farm. At the ballgame they found Carolyn Hobein playing center for the Mil-waukee Bucks basketball team. After an exciting basketball game they stopped for a rest. Then they went to an all girls' circus. There they discovered Donna Stoermer taming lions, Janice Bahrenburg riding elephants, and Denise Pritzel tightrope walking. From there they went to a seminary where they found Gary Zimmerschied teaching a course in Biblical History. On the way home they had car trouble and called a tow truck. The driver happened to be Randy Steffens. After having the car repaired Jeffrey dropped off Betty at her parents' house in Chicago and went on to his home and took a long nap.



Dec. 4 - Basketball 7&8: Lutheran School, 12; St. Paul's, Sedalia, 37. Basketball 5 & 6: Lutheran School 8; St. Paul's, Sedalia, 12. Volleyball: Lutheran School, 2 games out of 3; St. Paul's, Sedalia, I game out of 3.

Dec. 10 - Basketball, 7 & 8: Lutheran School, 25; St. Paul's, Sedalia, 52. Basketball, 5 & 6: Lutheran School, 12; St. Paul's, Sedalia, 24. Volleyball: Lutheran School, 36; St. Paul's, Sedalia, 25.



Jan. 31 - Basketball 7 & 3: Lutheran School 25; St. Paul's, Stover 19. Basketball 5 & 6: Lutheran School 13: St. Paul's; Stover 9. Volleyball: Lutheran School 18; St. Paul's, Stover 33.

GIRLS VOLLEYBALL TOURNAMENT - COLE CAMP

Feb. 20: lst. - St. Paul's, Stover
2nd. - St. Paul's, Sedalia
3rd. - Lutheran School, Cole Camp
Consolation - Higginsville

JEFFERSON CITY TOURNAMENT

Feb. 12-13 - 1st. - Higginsville; 2nd. Sedalia; 3rd. - Faith, Jefferson City; Consolation - Trinity, Jefferson City.

High Scorers for the year - Hasketball, 7 & 8 - Mark Harms, 37, Randy Steffens, 35.

Basketball, 5 & 6 - Greg Harms, 28, Mitch Heimsoth, 17.

Volleyball, - Kay Meyer - 56, Verna Karman - 38, Gail Heisterberg - 36, Denise Pritzel - 34, Betty Monsees - 32.

RECREATION - GRADES 1 - 4

While grades 1-4 did not meet any outside competition in any 2+hletic activity, they pursued all types of games that contributed to enjoyment and physical fitness. With great effort some of the smaller children did at times get the basketball into the hoop on our basketball court. Many times Mrs. Hesse and Mrs. Heisterberg had to apply first-aid to the little athletes, due to falls and head-bumpings.

FIRST GRADE -- ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS

Would you rather live now or in Cowboy and Indian Days?

2. What is your favorite singing group?

If you could be anyone else who would you want to be? Why?

Robbie Balke -- Cowboy and Indian - ride horses and shoot Indians.

2. Monkees.

3.. Policeman - Get all the bad guys and put 'em in jail.

Tina Heisterberg -- Now - It's better.

2. Charley Pride - 'Cause he's good.

3. Roy Clark - Sings good.

Cindy Miesner -- Now - Because you could get shot and die.

2. Monkees - Because

3. Carol Burnett - I like her show.

Tammy Denker -- Now - So I wouldn't get killed.

2. Hagarts - Songs I know.

3. Duck - So I could go swimming.

Scottie Harms -- Now - Because it's better.

2. Monkees - Like 'em (Mickey)3. Farmer - I like to help my Grandpa farm.

ENROLLMENT GRADES 2-7

Grade two

Glenna Miesner Laura Wischmeitr Karen Simon Sherry Meyer Nancy Lange Leila Heisterberg Patty Hobein Dennis Brockman Keith Kaiser Stanley Harms Steve Monsees Scotty Balke

Grade Three

Lorraine Balke Todd Wischmeier Rickey Balke Mary Brunjes Scott Denker John Fadler Randy Harms Brenda Heimsoth Glenda Heimsoth Kevin Kaiser

Jeffrey Karman Ada Meyer Coleen Stoermer Larry Stoermer Jerry Steffens Duane Viets

Grade Four

Julie Hagen Curtis Harms Ronald Simon Steven Case Debra Rambow Joleen Bahrenburg Fay Brunjes Teresa Meyer Wanda Heisterberg Steven Harms Britt Faaborg Linda Monsees Randy Heimsoth Dennis Schnakenberg Grade Five
Denise Viets
Tim Fidler
Myron Schnakenberg
Junior Hayward
Gary*Viets
Vickie Harms
Cindy Brunjes
Mitch Heimsoth
Barbara Bergman
Greg Harms
Keith Harms
Randall Meyer
Denesia Barnes
Larry Kohrs
David Barnes

Grade Six
David Hagen
Bethany Fadler
Jimmy Schnakenberg
Rosalie Jagels
Pamela Brockman
Richard Borchers
Beverly Heimsoth
Janis Heimsoth
Debra Harms
Brenda Schnakenberg
Debbie Hobein
Cindy Heimsoth
Timothy Schnell

Grade Seven

Gail Heisterberg
Jeffrey Heimsoth
Cheryl Heimsoth
Mark Harms
Mike Case
Verna Karman
Gary Balke

David Borchers Donald Meyer Sharril Schultz Karen Steffens Kay Meyer Jimmy Fidler

Roy Kohrs

Total enrollment 98 for the 1970-1971 School Term.

HUMOR OF THE SEVENTIES

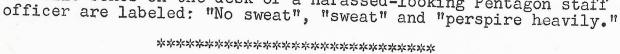
A man down the street says that his wife is such a poor driver that the police gave her a season ticket.

Detroit is one city that knows how to deal with air pollution. It pumps its air into the tires of the cars it manufactures and quietly ships it out of town.

Boy to teacher before math test: Where can I plug in my computer?

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The file boxes on the desk of a harassed-looking Pentagon staff



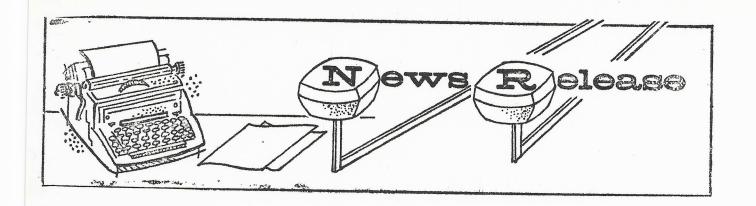
LUNCH PROGRAM

Mrs. Stelling and Mrs. Harms served as our school cooks again this year. They also prepared the meals for the Head Start. They have done an excellent job preparing our meals.

HEAD START

The Head Start Program began Sept. 14th. and concluded May 21st. Indications are that this program will be conducted in Lincoln next year.





GRADES ONE AND TWO-- The second grade has learned to do cursive writing.

Art has been quite interesting as the children have worked

in various medias. Some of which will go to the fair.

Weaving of colorful hot dish mats for our Mothers as a gift for Mother's Day was an experience. We now are working on a unit for the fair.

We also enjoyed parties during the school year especially

for Halloween.

GRADES THREE AND FOUR -- The children showed great interest in working on their mural for the fair. The name of it is, "The Life of Jesus."

They also enjoyed the parties that were held on Halloween,

Christmas and Valentines Day.

We made hot mats for Mother's Day. These were very color-ful.

GRADES FIVE AND SIX -- The present school term has been an interesting one for the pupils in this room. They all have participated in a thorough study of Phonics.

Besides their school work, they have enjoyed such activities as a Halloween, Christmas and Valentines Day party.

The sixth grade girls enjoyed playing in the volleyball tournament in February. The fifth and sixth grade basket-ball team won two games and lost three games this year.

JEFFERSON CITY -- This year, the seventh and eighth grades made their trip to the State Capitol Building. On the morning of Appil 27, After a brief prayer at the school, we started on our way. We viewed the museum section first and then took a guided tour through the rest of the Capitol. We sat in on the House of Representatives and the Senate while they were in session. We were introduced in both Houses. Mark Harms was our group page. At noon we had lunch downtown. We met at the rotunda and went on to the State Penitentiary.

SCHOOL FLOAT -- Our float entry in the 1970 Cole Camp Fair won a blue ribbon. The float carried out the theme "Hard Work, Success -- Superchamps." On the float there was a man wearing a Kansas City Chiefs uniform and two little boys, also dressed as football players. There were dolls representing spectators in the stand. Persons on the float: Mr. Ralph Schnakenberg, Johnny Fadler and Scott Denker.

HALLOWEEN PARTY -- The seventh and eighth grades enjoyed a Halloween party in an evenings get-together.

PICNIC -- This years School Picnic was held on Friday, May 21st. Plans had been made to spend the morning by going to the Park, playing ball for grades one to six. This was interrupted by reiny weather. Two good motion pictures were shown to all pupils. The titles were "The Weasel Family" and "Play Ball, Play Safe." In the afternoon Grades one to four continued activities outdoors. Grades seven and eight competed in softball at the R-I Public School in the afternoon. Final scores: Boys -- Lutheran School, 16 - Benton Co. R-I, 4. Girls -- Lutheran School, 16 - Benton Co. R-I, 3. Grades five and six were spectators. The noon meal was a sack lunch.

FAIR DISPLAY -- Our Fair display this year will include exhibits in keeping with the Sesqui-Centennial Celebration of our State.

SCHOOL VISITED BY LAW OFFICERS -- Earlier in the year, Mr. Ron Flippin, our local policeman, showed a film and gave a talk on some of his own personal experiences in Vietnam, to Grades seven and eight. On May 20, 1971, Sheriff Breshears gave a talk and handed out literature on safety in each of the rooms of Grades one to six. Mr. Flippin and Mrs. Breshears assisted him.

CHURCH EXTENSION SAVINGS STAMPS -- The amount of stamps sold this year came to approximately \$250.00.

LUTHERAN BROTHERHOOD GIFT -- We have been notified that our School will receive a gift of \$65.00 from Lutheran Brotherhood. This gift is highly appreciated.

GOOD LUCK TO THE CLASS OF 1972

