

# St. Paul's Evangelical Lutheran School

## Family Enrollment Expectations for Partnership

- ❖ Christian parents have the primary responsibility for the Christ-centered training and education of their children.
- ❖ St. Paul's Evangelical Lutheran Church stands ready to assist parents in their God-given task
- ❖ St. Paul's Evangelical Lutheran Elementary School has been established to partner with parents in this God-given responsibility.
- ❖ The pastors and teachers of St. Paul's will serve and assist the parents in a Christ-centered Partnership
- ❖ Parents and teachers will work together in the common goal of training God's children in the ways of the Lord
- ❖ All children are a precious Gift from God!
- ❖ All children need the love of God expressed through parents and teachers!

### *Expectations of Christian Parents*

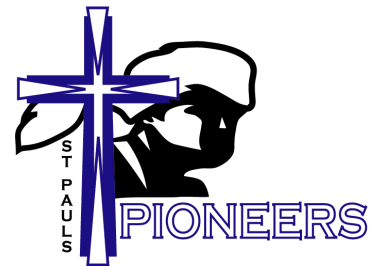
#### ➤ Parents are to:

- be actively involved in their child(ren)'s Christ-centered training and education.
- train and guide their child(ren) to grow in the ways of the Lord by
  1. Placing God's Word foremost in their lives and in their home.
  2. Having regular family devotions and table prayers with their children.
  3. Attending church regularly with their children.
  4. Encouraging their children to respect their parents and all in authority over them.
  5. Refraining from criticism of teachers or school procedure in front of their children.
  6. Making sure that their children are prompt and regular in attendance to school.
  7. Encouraging their children to be considerate, courteous, and Christ-like when dealing with all people.
- support and work closely with teachers for the well-being of their children.
- practice proper decorum when problem solving with teachers.
- support the ministry of our Church and school with time, talents and treasures (see Tuition Informational Sheet attached)

### *Expectations of Christian Teachers*

#### ➤ Christian Teachers are to:

- place God's Word foremost in their lives and attend church regularly
- be solid Christian role models for children and parents
- be loving and respectful of children, parents, and colleagues
- profess the truths of God's Word in love to children and parents
- refrain for criticism of parents and families in non-scriptural areas
- be professional educators by
  1. Being a reflection of their Savior in all they do –Servant to all
  2. Performing their duties faithfully and communicating with parents regularly
  3. Holding their students accountable for using their God-given talents
  4. Working for the benefit and well-being of their students
  5. Being prompt in their educational tasks
- Christian teachers are to speak well of their students and parents
- Christian teachers are to practice proper decorum when problem solving with parents



**May the Lord bless our efforts as we partner together!**