



St. Paul Early Learning Center

July 2026 Newsletter

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For the whole child.

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Catholic Identity:

"The Lord is my Shepherd; I shall not want." Psalm 23:1

Learning:

Catechesis of the Good Shepherd for Pre-K3/4 class will resume in the fall on Tuesday mornings each week.

Advisory Council Update:

Next Advisory Council Committee Meeting will be held Wednesday, July 15th at 6:00 p.m.

Soccer Shots will resume in the fall for class registration.

Stretch and Grow new classes have begun for the summer session. If you are interested in enrollment let us know and we will get you the information.

SAVE THE DATE:



Wednesday, July 1st we will have a 4th of July Parade in the Gym at 9:30. Wear your BEST patriotic or red, white, and blue outfit.

We will have a special 4th of July snack Thursday!

The Early Learning Center will be closed on July 3rd due to the 4th of July holiday!

St. Paul ELC Service Project:

Backpack ministry with RCSD, a large tub is located at the entrance for any donations to be dropped off at any time.

July Themes:

My feelings, summer fun, camping fun, colors (red, blue, purple, yellow, green, orange, white, brown, black, and pink)

Football FRIDAY: Children are allowed to wear their favorite team or colors (high school, college, or NFL).

Father's Day ice-cream social was a great success! We enjoyed seeing and celebrating all of you.

ELC T-SHIRTS money/orders will be due July 10th. More information to coming soon!

Morning drop off has been going so much better, we all understand that the changes can be hard for the child as well as the parent.

I will say that if you can drop off before 8:00 the transition is a little easier being in the classroom instead of the cafeteria.

Student safety: Please be sure to close the gate entering and exiting the center.

Please send your child's nap mats on Monday to help provide adequate rest, your babies rest better on their mat.

Please send students in closed toed shoes for the safety of students on playground.

PLEASE make sure to bring a change of clothes for your child/children according to the weather changes. Two changes of clothes are what we ask you to send to keep at school along with sunscreen and bug spray.

School Closure Dates:

July 3, 2026 -July 4th Holiday

August 7, 2026 - Diocesan ELC Professional Development

September 7, 2026 – Labor Day

October 12, 2026 -Columbus Day

Nov. 25, 2026 – Prof. Development

Nov. 25-27, 2026 – Thanksgiving Holidays

December 21-25, 2026 -Christmas Holidays

Dec. 31, 2026, New Year's Eve

January 1, 2027 – New Year's Day

January 18, 2027 – Martin Luther King Jr. Day

February 15, 2027- President's Day

March 12, 2027 – Spring Break

March 26-29, 2027 – Good Friday and Easter Monday

April 16, 2027- Professional Development

May 31, 2027 – Memorial Day Holiday

