



## **ST. PETER LUTHERAN SCHOOL**

### *Family School Aid Fund*

The *Family School Aid Fund* is used for members of St. Peter Lutheran Church and community families who need financial assistance in sending their child(ren) to our school to receive a Christian education. The fund is replenished through donations, memorials, St. Peter Lutheran Church and School Endowment, and 5% of the annual school tuition.

In order to be fair and impartial, St. Peter uses *FACTS Grant and Aid Assessment (FACTS)* for our outside evaluation service. Parents are required to pay a fee (currently \$45.00) for the family application. Once FACTS has reviewed the application, it is sent back to the principal and then reviewed anonymously by a committee who reviews the suggestions of FACTS. The principal will then contact the family on their grant amount. The committee may waive portions of an unpaid account in cases of a temporary or long-term crisis which was not noticed until after the original applications were reviewed.

The grant money will help to pay only for tuition or book fees for children attending Preschool-8<sup>th</sup> grade of our school. It will not cover sports fees, band fees, field trips or class trips, lunch costs, and other costs for special school activities.

If you would like to apply, please go to our website: [stpeterhemlock.org](http://stpeterhemlock.org). The application can be found in either the School K-8 tab or the Early Childhood tab. Click on the Financial Aid link for more information and to access FACTS Aid and Grant. If you have any questions, please contact the School Secretary, Alyssa Shirely, or Principal, Mr. Hagenow.