

**ST. PAUL LUTHERAN SCHOOL**

**REQUIRED SUMMER READING FOR 3<sup>rd</sup> - 8<sup>th</sup> GRADE STUDENTS:**

*The list is as follows for students entering:*

**3<sup>rd</sup> grade** Read **Third Grade Angels** by Jerry Spinelli

**4<sup>th</sup> grade** Read **Because of Winn Dixie** by Kate DiCamillo (small supply in office). If your child has already read this book, he/she should read **Manatee Blues (Vet Volunteers)** by Laurie Halse Anderson

**5<sup>th</sup> grade** Read any book by Andrew Clements (other than **Frindle**)

**6<sup>th</sup> grade** Read **Gifted Hands, Revised Kids Edition: The Ben Carson Story (ZonderKidz Biography)**, then one book by either author: Gary Paulsen or Jennifer A. Nielsen

**7<sup>th</sup> grade** Read **A Long Walk To Water** by Linda Sue Park and **Walk Two Moons** by Sharon Creech

*Students will be required to take the AR tests when they return in August during the first week of school.*

**8<sup>th</sup> grade** Read **The Light in the Forest** by Conrad Richter.  
**The Door Within** by Wayne Thomas Batson