

ST. PAUL LUTHERAN SCHOOL

REQUIRED SUMMER READING FOR 3rd - 8th GRADE STUDENTS:

The list is as follows for students entering:

3rd grade Read **Third Grade Angels** by Jerry Spinelli

4th 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
Students will be required to take the AR tests when they return in August during the first week of school.

5th grade Read any book by Andrew Clements (other than **Frindle**)

6th grade Read **Gifted Hands, Revised Kids Edition: The Ben Carson Story (ZonderKidz Biography)**, then one book by either author: Gary Paulsen **OR** Sharon Draper
Students will take an AR test on the Ben Carson book.

7th grade Read **Red Kayak** by Priscilla Cummings and **Orphan Train Girl** (Young Readers' Edition) by Christina Baker Kline
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8th grade Read **Pay it Forward (Young Readers' Edition)** by Catherine Ryan Hyde. (Small supply in office) **The Door Within** by Wayne Thomas Batson