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The Weekly Warrior



Check out the news and events happening at St. Charles School!

Dear school families,

As we hear the Sunday Gospel, we reflect on the following: It is considered an honor to be invited to a wedding feast. We are being asked to participate in an important event in another person's life, and to share their joy and their blessings. Presumably, they have a high regard for our friendship and our presence. To refuse, much less ignore, such an invitation is simply not very good manners. When the friendship that is being celebrated is between us and God, then the obligation to respond is more serious. The parable invites the question: What is more important than participating in the love and life of Jesus Christ? (taken from *Daily Prayer 2020*, Liturgy Training Publications, p. 316)

Important notes for the upcoming week:

- Greenville Public School has no school Monday.
 There will not be band or orchestra or bus service.
- Greenville Public School has a half day Wednesday. Again, there will not be band or orchestra or bus service.
- Steve and Louanne Dombrowski will provide a grilled cheese sandwich lunch on Wednesday with tomato soup and grapes. The lunch will be delivered to the classrooms. There is no cost for lunch. If your child is not a fan of grilled cheese sandwiches, please be sure to send lunch with your child.
- There will be Mass on Wednesday at 8:00 a.m. this coming week. Kindergartners and fifth through eighth graders will attend.
- School will NOT be in session on Thursday or Friday due to teacher professional development.
- Monday is Charity Day. Please donate diapers or baby wipes for Alpha Family Center.

The teachers have worked diligently with the children about the mask mandate, and the children are doing very well. We are so thankful that we can be in person with our school family, despite the following of strict guidelines. We certainly know that what we are required to do is working. Let us continue to pray that we can stay in school--as we know how much our students love being here, and we know how important it is to be school.

Please be sure that masks are being washed daily or that you have an ample supply of them, as they should not be worn more than once between washings.

May God bless you, and do enjoy the beautiful weekend ahead!



Upcoming Events

OCTOBER

12 Columbus Day

12 Charity Day

14 Grilled cheese and tomato soup lunch for all

15 & 16 No School - Professional Development

19 Virtus Training for parents & volunteers

21 Picture Day

26 Cozy Fall Day with donuts and a craft from the PTO

30 Classrooms socials and a virtual magic show!



All the darkness in the world cannot extinguish the light of a single candle.

St. Francis of Assisi



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Scrip

It's not too early to start thinking about Christmas! Scrip cards make great gifts or you may buy your gifts with scrip cards.

Starting October 30th, Scrip will be ordered on Fridays at noon and will be in the following Wednesday.

You can contact Jen Saur at adamandjensaur@yahoo.com, and Jen can get you signed up to do Scrip online!

www.shopwithscrip.com

The winner of the Warrior 52 drawing this week was:

Pete Rittersdorf

Congratulations!!!!

Virtue Corner

The virtue we are focusing on is obedience.

St. Charles Borromeo Catholic School Mission Statement

St. Charles Catholic School is dedicated to:

Teaching the message of Jesus

Building the Christian Community

Providing a quality education

Participating in Catholic Worship through instruction, example and environment

Serving those in need

Virtus Training at St. Charles

Virtus training is for all adults (18 and older). It is required for all adults planning on working with children or youth and parents who plan to attend school events. We have two options to receive this training.

We will have a live training at St. Charles on Monday October 19th from 6:00 – 9:00 p.m. in McKinney Hall. There will be social distancing and masks will be worn. During this time, it is possible that the usual 3 hour session may be shortened. Please register in advance at www.virtusonline.org. Follow the prompts for First-time Registrant and choose Grand Rapids Diocese for organization to continue your registration and sign up for October 19th.

Online Virtus Training

Online training is available for VOLUNTEERS ONLY.

- To take online training, go to www.virtusonline.org
- Click on First-time Registrant, and register.
- In the process of registering you will be directed to choose a live session you want to attend or online training, in English or Spanish.

If you have any questions, contact Molly at mboeheim@saintscjm.com.

LITURGY SCHEDULE

Saturday, October 10, 4:30 PM (SI)

Saturday, October 10, 7:00 PM (SC)

Sunday, October 10, 8:30 AM (SM)

Sunday, October 10, 11:00 AM (SC)

October 11 No Mass October 12 No Mass

October 13 8:00 AM SC K, 5-8 attend

October 14 No Mass October 15 No Mass

Please sign up for weekend Masses online.

Father is on vacation, so we will be having a visiting priest on Wednesday for Mass.

Please come and join us.

