

November 17, 2017

Dear Parents,

Thank you for attending and supporting the JACS Annual Appeal. I know that brochures and envelopes will be mailed. Thanks to Steve Williams who provided the venue and appetizers.

Wednesday, we were treated with the Firemen as our guests for lunch. The students were excited and so were the Firemen! We sure like to see guests at lunchtime.....

A huge thank you to the students and staff for making Catholic Principal's Day lovely. I was surprised and happy to receive a spiritual bouquet. It was wonderful! Many blessings to you!! Catholic Principal's Day was celebrated Thursday!!

Side note: A spiritual bouquet is prayer offerings. It might read: 4 Hail Marys, 2 full Rosaries, 3 Hail Holy Queens, etc. So to sum it up, the students in each class have offered several prayers for me. I feel very special!!! Thank you.....

Next week will be a short week as we are approaching Thanksgiving. There is school Monday and Tuesday all day. Classes will resume on Monday, November 27.

Attached there is a form for grades 3, 4, and 5 for basketball. If you have questions, please contact Heidi Gardener at St. Peter's. If you plan to do any coaching, you need to take the Virtus training. The website to register is: Virtus.org. Those of you who have taken the training, be sure that you are current on your Code of Conduct. This needs done every year!! Thanks.....

Please consider using Scrip cards. It is an easy way to shop. You can go online or fill out the sheet and return it to school. The turn-around time is about 1 week. Scrip is available in our office. Thanks for considering JACS again!!!

Message from Suzanne Long, Home and School Secretary: Don't forget our first Chuck E. Cheese night is tonight. 3:00-9:00 15% of all purchases (food and tokens) come back to St. Mary's. Our Schwan's fundraiser has raised just over \$100 so far. Keep sharing the site with friends and family (schwan-cares.com/c/35171) and stock up for Thanksgiving and Christmas meals. Thank you to those of you that have purchased already!

Thanks to the third graders and Mrs. Brower for a great job at Mass this morning. Fr. Rahab's message this morning was to pray and do good things and always be ready. A big thanks to Fr. Rahab.

Thanks for your time this time until next time!!

Ann Hamlet, Principal

Upcoming Mass Schedule: November 24 – No Mass

December 1 – Schoeberl, 8 – No Mass, 15 – Lone

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Upcoming Events

November 22-26	Thanksgiving Break
December 6	Charity Dress Down – St. Vincent de Paul
December 8	No School – Feast of the Immaculate Conception
December 11	Grade 4 to carol at Silver Creek Assisted Living
December 12	Christmas Program Grades PS – Grade 3 @ 6:30 in St. Mary's Church
December 12-13	Secret Santa Workshop
December 15	Early Out 12:30 @ St. Mary's Early Out 1:00 @ St. Peter's & McAuley
December 21	End of 2nd Quarter Early Dismissal at 11:00 at St. Mary's – No Aftercare, No Lunch, No bus
December 25	Christmas
January 4	Students return to school from Christmas Break
January 12	Early Out (St. Mary's 12:30)
Winter Fest	6:00 – 8:30