



Holy Trinity School

2023 | January 24th



WEEKLY NOTES

Good Afternoon,

I pray everyone had a nice weekend. I want to take a moment to address the half days that the school has had this year. I have heard from some parents about the stress this causes for child care. I do apologize for the number we have had. This has not been a typical year for time off. The school had scheduled half days for the staff to work on our accreditation and then the Diocese, for the 1st time, scheduled half days for professional development. Please know I am aware of the concerns and going forward I will be conscious of trying not to place them back to back. This week the teachers will be attending a CPR/First aid certification training on Thursday. Friday the staff will attend an Active Shooter Training. It has been awhile since we have held this kind of training. Next Friday the staff will be working on accreditation. Thank you for your patience and understanding.

I cannot stress enough the need for you to start your application for the FACE scholarship. The first applications to be completed will get first shot at assistance. Waiting to start and then complete the application will hurt you in the long run. Please see the link in today's notes.

I have had many questions regarding chaperones and Bowling. As long as your CORI is up to date you are able to attend. We are all looking forward to it .

Peace,
Mrs. Gagnon

Mission Statement

Holy Trinity School provides a Christ-based, academically challenging education in a safe and nurturing environment. We aim to instill a lifelong desire for learning, to promote respect for self and others, and to recognize diversity that will prepare each child for a productive role in a global society.

IMPORTANT DATES

Jan. 24th - Progress Reports Go Home

Jan. 26th - ½ Day 11:30 am Dismissal
Professional Development

Jan. 27th - ½ Day 11:30 am Dismissal
Professional Development

Jan. 29th - Feb. 3rd. Catholic Schools
Week - Book Fair All Week

Feb. 3rd. - ½ Day 11:30 am Dismissal

Feb. 3rd & Feb. 4th - Adult Paint Night

Feb. 17th - Sweetheart Dance





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NOTES

The 2023-24 FACE Scholarship Application is OPEN!!

FACE is pleased to advise that the [application for 2023-24 scholarships](#) is now open!

STAR KIDS recipients please remember to apply as well. Please contact the office if you need assistance.

PERMISSION SLIPS

Field trip forms are going home today with your child. Please return them as soon as possible. Thank you

TUITION

I am hoping to have the tuition rate for the 2023-2024 school year, ready for next week. Thank you for your patience.

CANDY

I ask that you please refrain from sending in candy for your child's lunch or snack. This is becoming more and more of an issue. The children are not allowed to eat candy at lunch or snack. Thank you for your cooperation.

COPY PAPER

Thank you to all of you who donated paper at the beginning of the year. We are at that time of year again where it is needed. Paper donations of any kind would be very much appreciated.

PAINT NIGHT

This event is filling up fast! We have a few limited seats for either night.

TAX STATEMENTS

Tax statements for extended care are now available. Please let the office know if you need one.

Pre-School: If you need a tax letter please request one from Mrs. Soares in the office.

NO HOMEWORK CLUB

Due to Catholic Schools Week activities there will be no homework club next week.

CHOIR NEWS

Reminder: We are singing this Sunday at Holy Trinity Parish Mass at 10:30 am. Please remember to wear your uniforms and arrive no later than 10:15 am.

OFFICE NOTE

Please know that our fax machine has not been working. Please know we are trying to rectify the situation. We apologize for any inconvenience this may have caused.

VIDEO GAMES AND CHAT ROOMS

We are hearing from a good number of students that they are up at night chatting with their friends while on their phones in chat rooms. Some have admittedly stayed up until 2:00 a.m. They are in their rooms with the lights off but because they have their phones they are not sleeping. They have also shared that they are sometimes playing video games until the late hours. Some children are coming in tired or not at all because of these late night activities. I ask that as parents to please consider removing your child's phone from their room at night. This is not a healthy habit for our children.

SAVE THE DATE



Jan. 29th - Feb. 3rd.
Catholic Schools Week



February 3rd and 4th
This will be an evening for adults.



Sweetheart Dance
For our girls and their special male adults, dads, grandfathers, and uncles on February 17th.



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Fr. Bob's Weekly Reflection

This week is set at the beginning of Jesus' ministry and the pictures we get of how challenged and pushed he is prepare us to hear the simple parables he tells us. All of us get challenged and pushed in our daily lives. Even when we are on the right road and following a faithful path, there are forces, conflicting demands, tempting alternatives, differing values that batter us. It takes grace and courage to trust our real mission and that our Lord will be with us through it all.

Each morning this week, we can take a moment to ask for what we desire. The entire day will be different just by spending 20 seconds sitting at the edge of the bed saying, "Lord, I want to keep my eyes open today. Whatever comes at me today, I want to stay in touch with you. Thank you." Another morning I may be aware of a big decision I have to execute that day or a conflict I am planning to face, and I might pray, "Okay, Lord, this is the day. This is how I live out my relationship with you. Be with me and give me what I need. Keep reminding me I can't do it without you."

Each day will offer a different brief moment of connection with our Lord, but each will ground the day. Then it is so very easy, while in the shower or walking down a hall, for just brief moments here and there in the background of our day, to stay in touch with our Lord. These guides can help keep us focused on the nourishing Word which interacts with our daily life. Every day can seem like a living Parable of the Sower. There is seed being scattered all around us and we can see and experience our degrees of receptivity. And while we are doing the best we can, all day, every day, in a variety of things, we can be consoled by the Lord's smile reminding us that the Kingdom is like a mustard seed. The real graces come from very small seeds, the smallest of efforts that make a big difference. Most of all, when things get rough, during any day, we can pause and take a breath and ask him to calm the wind and sea in our hearts.

Every night we can thank him for his presence and ground our growing relationship with him.

Quote of the Week

"The Lord is righteous in everything He does; He is filled with kindness."

Psalms 145:17



Please continue to collect your Box Tops or scan your receipts to their app to help support our school!
You can hand them in when we return to school!

Any questions, please don't hesitate to contact Ashley at HTSBoxTops@gmail.com

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Catholic Schools' Week Schedule

Monday Kindness

Mass 9:30 am

Class Colors dress down

Paint Kindness rocks

Colors:

PreK - pink

4 - blue

K - red

5 - purple

1 - orange

6 - gray

2 - yellow

7 - black

3 - green

8 - white

Tuesday Fun Learning

Middle School Challenge 7th & 8th at Bishop Connolly(gym shirts jeans)

Disney Dress Down grades pk - 6th

Spelling Bee/Math Bee/Color Bee/Shape Bee....in the morning in individual classroom

Disney Movie for the afternoon in individual classrooms

Wednesday Crazy Sock Day/Day of Giving

Dress down with crazy socks

Donate a new pair of socks to be shared with local shelters

Thursday Sports Day

Wear favorite sports team clothing or colors dress down

Bowling pk-5th morning / middle school afternoon (permission slips will go home next week)

Friday Prayer Partner Day

½ day 11:30 am dismissal (Staff will be working on accreditation in the afternoon)

Dress Favorite Decade

Prayer partner craft fun activity

Pray a decade of the Rosary with prayer partners



Holy Trinity School
Weekly Extended Care Order *"We Believe & Achieve"*

		Monday 1/30/2023	Tuesday 1/31/2023	Wednesday 2/1/2023	Thursday 2/2/2023	Friday 2/3/2023
AM EX-CARE	Circle Choice:	1/2 Hour	1/2 Hour	1/2 Hour	1/2 Hour	1/2 Hour
		1 Hour	1 Hour	1 Hour	1 Hour	1 Hour
Homework Club \$6.00 per hour	Circle Choice:	NO HW CLUB	NO HW CLUB	NO HW CLUB	NO HW CLUB	_____
PM EX-CARE	Circle Choice:	1/2 Hour	1/2 Hour	1/2 Hour	1/2 Hour	No PM Ex-Care 1/2 Day 11:30 am Dismissal
		1 Hour	1 Hour	1 Hour	1 Hour	
		1 1/2 Hours	1 1/2 Hours	1 1/2 Hours	1 1/2 Hours	
		2 Hours	2 Hours	2 Hours	2 Hours	
		2 1/2 Hours	2 1/2 Hours	2 1/2 Hours	2 1/2 Hours	
		3 Hours	3 Hours	3 Hours	3 Hours	

Quantity_____ Quantity_____ Quantity_____ Quantity_____ Quantity_____

1/2 Hour - \$3.00 1 Hour - \$6.00 1 1/2 Hours - \$9.00 2 Hours - \$12.00 2 1/2 Hours - \$15.00 3 Hours - \$18.00

Student Name: _____ Grade: _____

Ex-Care Total Hrs.: _____ Cash _____ Check# _____

Parent/Guardian Signature: _____



Holy Trinity School
Weekly Lunch Order *"We Believe & Achieve"*

Monday 1/30/2023 Tuesday 1/31/2023 Wednesday 2/1/2023 Thursday 2/2/2023 Friday 2/3/2023

Entrée Entrée Entrée Entrée Entrée

Main Entrée:
\$5.00 per Day
 Includes
 Drink (Milk,
 Juice or
 Water) & a
 Healthy
 Snack

**Circle
Choice:**

	Italian Grinder with Chips	Shepherds Pie	Chicken Nuggets with Rice	Pizza Cheese Chourico Pepperoni	No Lunch 1/2 Day 11:30 am Dismissal
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**More than
one
quantity of
the main
entrée will
be an
additional
\$1.00 per
day!**

Quantity_____ Quantity_____ Quantity_____ Quantity_____ Quantity_____

Alternate:
\$5.00 per Day
 Includes
 Drink (Milk,
 Juice or
 Water) & a
 Healthy
 Snack

**Circle
Choice:**

	Garden Salad Ham Sandwich Bologna Sandwich	No Lunch 1/2 Day 11:30 am Dismissal			
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Drink Options

 Plain Milk
 Chocolate Milk
 Apple Juice
 Orange Juice
 Water

Alternate Alternate Alternate Alternate Alternate

Alternate:
\$4.00 per Day
 Includes
 Drink (Milk,
 Juice or
 Water) & a
 Healthy
 Snack

**Circle
Choice:**

	Peanut Butter Jelly Peanut Butter & Jelly	No Lunch 1/2 Day 11:30 am Dismissal			
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Student Name: _____ **Grade:** _____ **Drink Choice for the week:** _____

Lunch Total: _____ **Cash** _____ **Check#** _____

Parent/Guardian Signature: _____