



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.



WEEKLY NOTES

Good Afternoon, Welcome to Holy Week,

As we enter into Holy Week, we are reminded of just how far God is willing to go for us. We see Jesus freely enter Jerusalem, wash the Apostles' feet, be betrayed and condemned, carry the cross, die a painful death, and rise from the dead, all for us.

> "No one has greater love than this, to lay down one's life for one's friends." - Jn 15:13

The school community started Holy Week spending time in Adoration. Fr. Bob led everyone in a beautiful reflection. We all spent some precious time in the presence of Jesus. Please take some time to pray as a family and to talk about the love of Christ. Can any of us even imagine laying down our lives for the salvation of others? Are we truly worthy of his love? Let's pray as a community that through prayer we can become worthy to enter the house of God.

I wish you and your families a beautiful prayerful Easter! Have a great week.

God Bless! Peace, Mrs. Gagnon



IMPORTANT DATES

March 28th - 1/2 day Holy Thursday March 29th - Good Friday March 30th - Easter Sunday April 1st - No School Professional Day April 2nd - Spring Picture Day/Cookie Dough Orders are Due Back April 4th - Kindergarten Open House for Next Year's Class 9:00 am - 10:00 am April 7th - Choir to Sing @ 10:30 am Mass at Holy Trinity Parish April 8th - Parent Group Meeting 6:00 pm April 11th - Gr. 2 & 5 Visit Patriot Place / Middle School Fair 6:00 pm April 12th - Donnelly's Uniform Fittings 9:00 am - 11:00 am April 15th - 19th - No School Spring Vacation April 24th - \$5.00 Dress Down Day April 25th - Graduation Photos for Gr. 8 & K April 26th - 1/2 Day 11:30 am Dismissal for Professional Development/Middle School Dance 6:00 pm - 9:00 pm April 27th - Wine/Beer Tasting/Silent Auction 6:00 pm - 9:00 pm

April 29th - May 1st - Book Fair

MARK YOUR CALENDARS!! April 27th Wine and Craft Beer Tasting Fall River Country Club

I am excited to say that Wine Tasting tickets are officially on Sale. We have already sold 7 of the 10 tables available. Tickets do go fast so don't be left behind. <u>We are adding craft beers to our</u> tasting this year...not to mention amazing items to bid on for our auction. I have attached information in today's notes for donations and ads. Please consider helping if you own your own business or if you know someone who does.





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TUITION AGREEMENTS

Mrs. Soares has sent several emails regarding the re-enrollment requirements for the 2024-2025 school year. We still have several families who have not completed theirs yet. Every family needs to sign into their Finalsite account and complete the tuition agreements and/or FACTS tuition enrollment by April 5th. If you did not receive an email you must contact Mrs. Soares.

COOKIE DOUGH

All cookie dough orders, along with money, are due by Tuesday, April 2nd.

SPRING PICTURES

Our spring picture day is Tuesday, April 2nd. This is a dress down day.

ALTAR SERVERS

We are in need of altar servers for school Masses and Weekend Masses. Please speak with your children to see if they might be interested in helping out. This is for students in grades 3rd - 8th. Boys and girls are welcome. Thank you for your consideration.

FACE SCHOLARSHIP

The FACE applications for the 2024-2025 school year are now open. Please find the attached informational flier which details the process and requirements.

Completed applications are due by March 29, 2024.

Please note the following application document requirements:

- 2022 IRS Federal Income Tax Return, including all supporting schedules.
- All <u>2023 W-2</u> forms for both the applicant and co-applicant.
- If applicants <u>do not</u> have W2 income, 2023 Federal Tax Returns are requested.

STAR KIDS

All Star Kid Scholarship recipients should be applying for the FACE Scholarship as well. Please see Mrs. Soares if you need help with this.

OFFICE REMINDER

If you have recently moved or got a new phone number please make sure you inform the school office. Thank you!

YEARBOOK ORDERS Orders and money are due

back by this Thursday March 28th. The cost is \$25.00 each.

CHOIR NOTE

NO CHOIR rehearsal tomorrow, 03/27/24. Happy Easter! Rehearsals resume next week, April 3rd. Choir will sing for Divine Mercy, Sunday, April 7th at the 10:30 am Parish Mass.

NEW SOFTBALL PROGRAM

We are helping to spread the word about the newly formed Fall River Girls Softball League. Registrations for our recreational program is now open and is offered for FREE through the city's For Youth Initiative. It includes a uniform top, batting helmet, fielding mask, and pants. There is an application for the "grant" money that I could leave with you. If parents would like to take advantage of the grant, they can grab an application, fill out, and email us a copy of it to

Fallrivergirlssoftball@gmail. com. The application for the for youth initiative has to be a hard copy, eventually submitted to us, but, a copy to our email, allows us to give a coupon code for free registration on our league registration.

PLANNERS

We are asking that you pre-order your child's student agenda this year. They are \$5.00 each. Planners are only needed /mandatory in grades 3 – 8. Please know that we will only be ordering an exact amount therefore, we will not be able to accept late orders. We had several people this past September looking for planners and we could not accommodate them. Order forms are going home today. Please return them to school no

WINE TASTING

later than Friday, April 5th.

We are now accepting ads, sponsorships and items for the event. We are very excited to add craft beers to this year's tasting. The event is April 27, 2024 6:00 pm - 9:00 pm at the Fall River Country Club. Please contact the office for tickets. They are \$45.00 per person. This includes wine tasting, beer tasting, several pass around appetizers, plus food stations and a chocolate station! There is also a great deal of FUN!!!





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Fr. Bob's Weekly Reflection

This is the week we call "Holy" because it is a memorial of God's saving deeds for us in Jesus. There is a solemn nature to this week. We might be tempted to be sad or conflicted this week. It is not easy to get close to the reality that we are sinners and our Lord and Savior went through this betrayal, suffering and death for us. So, sometimes, we avoid looking at this week closely, and praying with it, because we fear getting into our guilt.

The invitation this week is to come closer to the reality of God's profound love for us. Yes, we are all sinners. But, we are loved sinners. We are being invited to be grateful, not to beat our breasts. We are invited, in this spirit, to feel all that we can feel this week. Yes, we will feel some discomfort - after all, we feel discomfort when anyone puts themselves through some sacrifice for us. And, the sacrifice here is the gift of his very self - so that we might always know how completely Jesus entered into the reality of our human existence - "even death, death on a cross." [Phil. 2:6-9]

This week we follow our ongoing pattern of connecting with our Lord, as early as we can each morning. For even a few moments we name our desire: "Lord, let me be with you this week and open my heart to feel what you want me to feel about your love for me, personally." Then, throughout the day, in many backgrounds, in-between moments, we can continue our brief conversations with our Lord as we relate this desire with the people and events of our day. Finally, each night, we can pause, perhaps before a crucifix, or placing ourselves in our imagination before the cross, and speaking to our Lord, friend to friend, the gratitude we feel for the gift of mercy and eternal life his love has gained for us. Quote of the Week

"The LORD is good to everyone. He showers compassion on all His creation. All of Your works will thank You, LORD, and Your faithful followers will praise You."

Psalm 145:9-10



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!

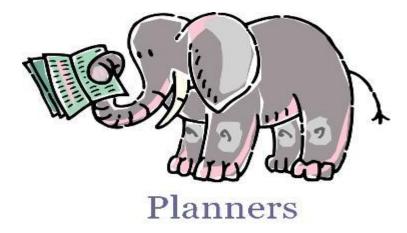
Any questions, please don't hesitate to contact Ashley at <u>HTSBoxTops@gmail.com</u>



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March 26, 2024



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Please fill out the form below and return to the school no later than <u>Friday</u>, <u>April 5th</u>.

Planner Order

Student's Name: _____

Next Year's Gr.: _____

- □ Yes, I would like to pre-order a planner for the 2024-2025 school year and my \$5.00 payment is enclosed.
- \square No, I do not want to pre-order a planner.

April 2024

"We Believe & Achieve"



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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	
	1 No School Professional	2 LifeTouch Spring Picture Day	3	3 4 Kindergarten Open House For Next Year's Class 9:00 am – 10:00 am	5	6	
	Day	Cookie Dough Orders are Due Back					
7 Choir to Sing	8 Parent Group	9	10	11 Gr. 2 & 5 to Visit Patriot Place	12 Donnelly's Uniform Fittings	13 THE LORD	
at 10:30 am Mass @ Holy Trinity	Meeting 6:00 pm			Middle School Fair 6:00 pm – 7:00 pm	9:00 am – 11:00 am	AND A SON	
14	15	16	17	18	19	20 HE HAS BE	
		SPRING VACATION APRIL 15 th – APRIL 19 th				PSALM 118:14	
21	22	23	24 \$5.00	25 Gr. 8 & K Graduation Photos	26 ^{1/2} Day 11:30 am Dismissal	27 Wine Tasting & Silent Auction	
			Dress Down Day	Graduation Photos	Middle School Dance 6:00 pm – 9:00 pm	& Shent Auction 6:00 pm – 9:00 pm	
28	29 Book Fair This Week!	30					

April 2024 "We Believe & Achieve" Lunch Menu		Holy Trinity School 508-673-6772 2 508-730-1864 FAX		64 Lamphor Street Fall River, MA 02721 <u>www.holytrinityfallriver.org</u>		
Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	1	2	3	4	5	6
	No School	Hot Dog	Chicken Nuggets	Sloppy Joe	Pizza	

	No School Professional Day	Hot Dog & Chips	Chicken Nuggets with Rice	Sloppy Joe	Pizza	
7	8 Meat Lasagna	9 Turkey Wrap	10 Tuna Salad Sandwich with Macaroni Salad	11 Hamburger with Onion Rings	12 Pizza	13
14	15	16	17	18	19	20
21	22 Macaroni & Cheese	23 Chourico Pattie Sandwich with French Fries	24 Willow Tree Chicken Salad Sandwich with Chips	25 Pizza	26 ¹ / ₂ Day 11:30 am Dismissal	27
28	29 Chicken Pattie Sandwich with a Side Salad	30 Meatball Sub	5/1 Chicken Chow Mein	5/2 Spaghetti with Meat Sauce	5/3 Pizza	

(†)		Holy Trinity School Weekly Extended Care Order "We Believe & Achieve"							
A	Z	Monday 4/1/2024	Tuesday 4/2/2024	Wednesday 4/3/2024	Thursday 4/4/2024	Friday 4/5/2024			
AM EX-CARE	Circle Choice:	No School Professional Day	1/2 Hour 1 Hour	1/2 Hour 1 Hour	1/2 Hour 1 Hour	1/2 Hour 1 Hour			
Homework Club \$6.00 per hour	Circle Choice:	No School Professional Day	1 Hour	1 Hour	1 Hour				
			1/2 Hour	1/2 Hour	1/2 Hour	1/2 Hour			
PM EX-CARE	Circle Choice:	Professional	1 Hour 1 1/2 Hours 2 Hours						
		Day	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			
½ Hour -	\$3.00	1 Hour - \$6.00 1	½ Hours - \$9.00 2	2 Hours - \$12.00	2 ½ Hours - \$15.00	3 Hours - \$18.00			
Student Name	e:			Grade:					
Ex-Care Total	Hrs.:		_Cash	Check#	_				
Parent/Gu	ardian	Signature:							

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	Z	Monday 4/1/2024	Tuesday 4/2/2024	Wednesday 4/3/2024	Thursday 4/4/2024	Friday 4/5/2024		
_	[Entrée	Entrée	Entrée	Entrée	Entrée		
Main Entrée: \$5.00 per Day Includes		No School				Pizza	More than one quantity o	
Juice or Water) & a	Circle Choice:	Professional Day	Hot Dog and Chips	Chicken Nuggets with Rice	Sloppy Joe	Cheese Chourico	the main entrée wil be an additiona	
Healthy Snack						Pepperoni	\$1.00 per day!	
		Quantity	Quantity	Quantity	Quantity	Quantity	_	
Alternate: \$5.00 per Day							Drink Options	
Includes		No School	Garden Salad	Garden Salad	Garden Salad	Garden Salad	Plain Milk	
Drink (Milk, Juice or	Circle Choice:	Professional	Ham Sandwich	Ham Sandwich	Ham Sandwich	Ham Sandwich	Chocolate M	
Water) & a Healthy Snack	choice.	Day	Bologna Sandwich	Bologna Sandwich	Bologna Sandwich	Bologna Sandwich	Apple Juice Orange Juic Water	

_		Alternate	Alternate	Alternate	Alternate	Alternate	
Alternate: \$4.00 per Day Includes Drink (Milk, Juice or Water) & a Healthy Snack	Circle Choice:	No School Professional Day	Peanut Butter Jelly Peanut Butter & Jelly				
Student Name:				Grade:	Drink Choice for the wee	ek:	
Lunch Total:			Cash	Check#			
Parent/Gua	ardian \$	Signature:					