



Letter From The Principal

Date: 10/26/2018

Dear Parents / Guardians,

Weather Changes

The fall weather is upon us and winter is just around the corner, please make sure your child(ren) are dressed accordingly to go outside for recess. We ask that you **please put your child's name in their clothing**, this will help us be able to identify who the item belongs to much easier if it is left behind. Also, we have been noticing that some of our students have hit growth spurts: please check the lengths of your child's uniform pants, skirts, scooters, and jumpers.

Bingo Callers

We are in need of a couple of people who would be willing to be a **Regular Bingo Caller**. Because of the way this position is classified by the State of Ohio, we are legally **able to offer additional tuition assistance** to someone who serves in this position. If you are interested in serving in this capacity, please call the School Office for more details.

PTO Pizza Man Fundraiser

October 22nd through November 7th

Our annual Pizza Man Fundraiser started on October 22nd and will run through November 7th. Students should have brought home the Pizza Man Brochure and instructions on Monday, October 22nd. We encourage your child/children to get out and make sales, however, a parent/guardian must accompany a student if selling door-to-door. The profits generated from this event directly benefit our students by: reducing field trip expenses and funding Fun Day, assemblies, and other special events.

Any student selling at least \$50 worth of items will receive one "non-uniform" day! Any student selling at least 25 items will receive a 5lb bag of Gummi Bears. The class with the top sales per student will have ice cream and an extra recess with Mr. Metzger. The top two individuals with the highest dollar amount in sales will have lunch with Mr. Metzger at a local restaurant of their choosing.

Thursday, November 1, 2018

All School Mass for All Saints' Day – Our All School Mass this week will be on Thursday, November 1st for All Saints' Day. There will also be Mass on Friday, November 2nd, All Souls' Day, however, the whole school will not be attending.

Friday, November 2, 2018

1st Grade Field Trip to Woodlawn Cemetery - The 1st Grade will make their annual trip to Woodlawn Cemetery at 10am in conjunction with their studies around the Day of the Dead. They will also have their Family Meal when they return to school around 11:45am.

Saturday, November 3, 2018

Parish Pot Luck Dinner – Our Parish will be hosting a Family Pot Luck Night in the Gymnasium following Saturday's 4pm Mass. Everyone is welcome to attend and encouraged to bring your favorite covered dish.

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Tuesday, November 6, 2018 – Election Day

School Council - The November School Council meeting is scheduled for Tuesday, November 6th in the school library starting at 7:00pm. Anyone is welcome to attend.

Wednesday, November 7, 2018

Pizza Man Fundraiser Ends - Please have all order forms and payments returned to the School Office.

Saturday, November 10, 2018

Country Market Sales – There will be a Country Market in our gym from 8:00am – 12:00pm to sell the WORLD FAMOUS ST. MARY’S HOMEMADE NOODLES as well as baked goods, gently used purses, and crafts. All proceeds are used to purchase the wine and host for the church. There will also be a small craft fair set up in the gym at this time. If you would like to have a craft booth, please contact the Parish Office at 419-238-3979. There is no charge to setup a booth.

Thursday, November 15, 2018

Monthly Tuition Due - Monthly tuition payments for November are due to the School Office.

Monday, November 19 and Tuesday, November 20, 2018

NO Van Wert Bus BEFORE OR AFTER SCHOOL on these two days. Van Wert City School has their Parent Teacher Conferences on these days.

Tuesday, November 20, 2018

Titanic Museum Virtual Reality Tour – Our 3rd – 6th Grade students will be going on a tour of the World’s largest Titanic Museum located in Pigeon Forge, Tennessee. This will be made possible through their virtual reality tour and our technology center. The tour will take around 45 minutes and will be followed by a 15 minute question and answer session.

Spelling Bee – On Tuesday, November 20th our qualifying 4th, 5th, & 6th Grade students will compete in our annual Scripps Spelling Bee.

Pizza Man Fundraiser Pick Up – Pizza Man Fundraiser items will be available for pick up in the school gym between 2:45pm and 3:30pm. If you cannot be present on the day of delivery, please make arrangements for someone else to pick up your order. We do not have the facilities to store unclaimed products. Many of the items must be kept frozen, so please be prompt in picking up items.

Wednesday through Friday, November 21st – 23rd, 2018

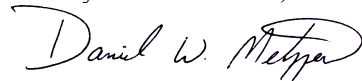
NO SCHOOL FOR THANKSGIVING BREAK! Classes will resume on Monday, November 26th.

Tuesday, November 27, 2018

3rd Grade’s Titanic Tuesday – Our 3rd Grade will be presenting what it was like on the Titanic in the various different classes. Third Grade Family and Friends are welcome to come and see their presentations in the school gym between 1:45pm and 2:45pm.

Happy Thanksgiving from the St. Mary’s School family!

Thank you and God bless,



Mr. Daniel Metzger
Principal-Minister