



February 4, 2021

Dear OLSS Families,

Although this is a short week due to the two snow days, we are still enjoying our Catholic Schools Week events. Yesterday we celebrated our parents' support of Catholic education with Pastries for Parents To Go, and celebrated our nation by watching the movie "American Legends" and having ice cream. Today we celebrate vocations by watching video presentations made by school parents about their careers. Our 8th grade students are also teaching other classes via Zoom.

Tomorrow's events are:

- Bingo games (8:15-8:45am grades 2-8, 8:45am PK, K, 1)
- FREE LUNCH of Chik-Fil-A chicken sandwich and chips. If your child will not be having this, please send lunch with them, as there will be no other hot lunch option. Thank you to the Kleponis family, whose children attended OLSS in past years, for their generosity in donating this to our students and staff!
- Winners of contests announced
- What to Wear: Sports Jerseys Day; bring a canned food item to donate to the Souper Bowl Food Drive for SMILE Food Pantry.

*** Don't lose your spot! Re-register for the 2021-22 school year today!!!!**

Stay happy, healthy, and holy!

Mrs. Thompson

NEWS & REMINDERS:

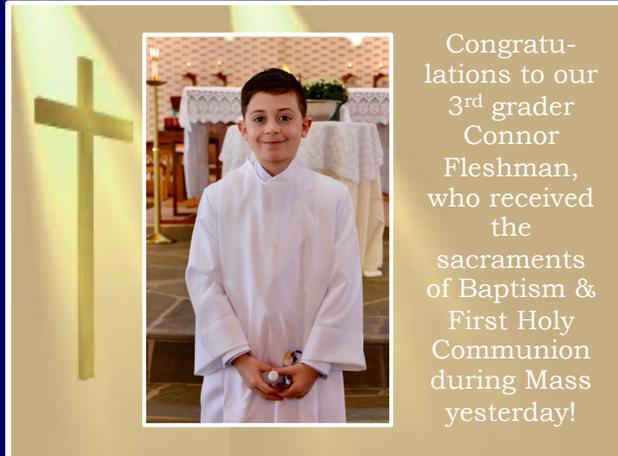
VALENTINES TAG DAY: Next **Friday, Feb. 12** will be a St. Valentine's Tag Day. Students may wear Valentine-themed or red/pink clothing for a \$1 donation that will go to a charity selected by our Student Council.

FEB. 12 & 15: Next **Friday, Feb. 12** is a 12:30pm dismissal, and there is no school on **Mon, Feb. 15** for President's Day.

GOLDEN APPLE AWARD NOMINATIONS: The ADW Catholic Schools Office will award the 13th annual Golden Apple Awards for excellence in teaching this spring. Ten of our teachers will be honored for their outstanding teaching and commitment to Catholic education. If you would like to nominate a teacher, please submit a letter to Mrs. Thompson **by Feb. 12**.

POLAR PLUNGE: Our annual Polar Plunge fundraiser will take place on **Sat, Mar. 6 from 11am-1pm**. If you would like to help with the event, please email the organizers at: lcushm1@gmail.com

2021-22 SCHOOL YEAR: Parents were sent an email on Jan. 22 to complete registration for the 2021-22 school year. Registration for new families starts at 9am tomorrow, and at that point, spaces in the classrooms will be allocated on a first-come, first-serve basis, which means that new families may take all available spaces left in each class. If you have not already completed re-registration, we strongly encourage that you do so today to ensure that your child will be able to attend for the next school year.



Congratulations to our 3rd grader Connor Fleshman, who received the sacraments of Baptism & First Holy Communion during Mass yesterday!

UPCOMING EVENTS

FEBRUARY

- **Feb. 12:** \$1 Valentines Tag Day
- **Feb. 12:** 12:30pm Dismissal
- **Feb. 15:** No School - Presidents Day
- **Feb. 16:** Shrove Tuesday | Mardi Gras
- **Feb. 17:** Ash Wednesday | Start of Lent

MARCH

- **Mar. 6:** Polar Plunge Fundraiser
- **Mar. 12:** 12:30pm Dismissal
- **Mar. 15:** No School
- **Mar. 17:** End of 3rd Quarter
- **Mar. 31:** 12:30pm Dismissal

APRIL

- **Apr. 1-9:** No School – Easter Break