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From the Principal's Desk

Epiphany Scripture

“The brightness of God illumined the holy city Jerusalem, and the nations will walk by its light.”
Revelation 21:23

Let us continue to seek Jesus throughout the Christmas season!

Safe Environment Training

A Safe Environment Training is being offered on Thursday, January 10 at 6:00 PM. For anyone who missed the fall training or to renew in the winter, please put this on your calendars. Safe Environment training is necessary for everyone who comes into contact with the students, to chaperone field trips or to assist in classrooms.

Socks, Underwear, and Coats Drive

Many thanks to everyone who donated socks, coats, and underwear. 8 huge bags of clothing were donated to the Olympia Family Support Center. They were very happy to receive them and said they would be greatly appreciated by the families who they assist.

Winter MAP testing

The winter MAP testing window is January 14-February 8. A few students who are new to the school or for whom the teachers feel the need for more information on their progress will be tested during that time period in Math and/or Language Arts and Reading. Testing will take place during normal class periods or during technology time.

Severe Weather Closing

Holy Family School follows North Thurston Public Schools in case of severe weather closing. We will also send out e-mails through ALMA if the school will be closed and also post it on Facebook and our website. We will also attempt to alert the local TV stations. If school is delayed, there will be no Preschool or Pre-K.



January 7 – Auction meeting – 5:30 PM in the library. All are welcome!

January 10 – Mass – 11:00 AM – All are welcome.

January 10 – Safe Environment Training – 6:00 – 7:00 PM.

January 11 – Movie Night – 6:00 PM

Volunteer to help at:

https://www.signupgenius.com/go/30e0b48a8a72ba_bfa7-hfsfamily

PA Meeting – 6:30 PM in the library

January 15 – 8:30 AM Prayer Service All are welcome!

January 20 – Pancake Breakfast at Sacred Heart after the 8:00 and 10:00 Mass in Hallen Hall.

Volunteer at

https://www.signupgenius.com/go/30e0b48a8a72ba_bfa7-sacred

January 21 – Martin Luther King Jr. Day – No School.

January 25 – End of Quarter - Early release - 11:50AM. Extended Care is available

Box Tops

Who will win the next free dress day? The next collection for box tops will be on January 31, 2019.



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Time Change for Chess Club

Chess club members are getting so involved in their games that they can't finish in 45 minutes. We will be extending the time to 1 hour. **Students should be picked up promptly at 4:30 PM from the lower campus classrooms.** If you arrive early, you are welcome to come in and see the games in action! Students who are not picked up at 4:30 PM will be taken to Extended Care and normal charges will apply. Additional adult helpers are always welcome!

Auction Action

Save the date - May 18 in Sacred Heart's Hallen Hall. Raffle tickets went out in the Back Pack Express before Christmas but more are available in the office. Every family will receive 10 tickets to sell or buy for \$10 each. The prize is \$1500 in cash, or a trip to New Orleans!



Hot cocoa and pretzels

Hot cocoa and pretzel sales will resume on January 10th during morning recess. This is a fund-raiser for the 5th & 6th grade trip to their Environmental Education camp.



There is still time to apply for the Fulcrum Tuition Assistance Program

The deadline to apply for Fulcrum assistance for the 2019-2020 school year is January 4, 2019.

\$1300 awards will be given to each student based on greatest need until the scholarship money is exhausted. **If you currently receive any need based discounts or financial assistance** from Holy Family School, you should submit an application. This impacts the amount of scholarships that we are able to offer. You can apply at <https://fulcrumfoundation.org/grants-and-programs/tuition-assistance>

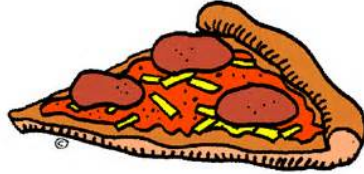
There is a \$29 non-refundable application fee. Award letters will be mailed by February 28, 2019. To verify need you will be asked to submit tax and W-2 information from the **2017 tax year** which can be uploaded on-line. If you have questions or concerns about the process you can call 866-441-4637 and speak with a FACTS Customer Care representative.



Prayer For Holy Family School:

Dear Lord, bless our Catholic school. Help us to continue to be a humble source of wisdom, always yearning to learn more about your tremendous love for us. May all who enter Holy Family School be filled with the gift of your Holy Spirit, coming to know you in a more meaningful way. Guide us as a community that respects and welcomes everyone. May Catholic education continue to grow so that your good news can be taught to children throughout the world. Amen.

January Pizza order form



Each slice of pizza is \$1.50.

We will be ordering Papa John's, Pizza Hut, or Little Caesar's large pizzas.
Proceeds will benefit the 7th and 8th grade class trip.

Name _____ Homeroom Teacher _____

	Pepperoni	Cheese	Total for the week
January 9	__ @1.50 each slice	__ @1.50 each slice	
January 16	__ @1.50 each slice	__ @1.50 each slice	
January 23	__ @1.50 each slice	__ @1.50 each slice	
January 30	__ @1.50 each slice	__ @1.50 each slice	

Total Cost _____

Please have this order form and money turned in by 12:00 Noon the **Tuesday** before the day you wish to purchase pizza. **No orders will be accepted the day of pizza delivery!** We must order 24 hours in advance. Cash or checks made out to Holy Family School will be accepted. Credit cards will be charged an additional 2.85% convenience fee.