

PJP2A



News



The sixth-grade class pictured with their ashes received from Mass. Ash Wednesday marks the beginning of the 40 days of Lent.

Lent Begins

This week was packed with many exciting activities. We had class pictures, Muffins with Moms, Valentine's parties, Ash Wednesday Mass, and basketball games!

Additionally, we had parent-teacher conferences, a staff in-service, and we concluded our virtue presentations on prudence. We are looking forward to speaking to our children more about the season of Lent and how to live this

well. We invite everyone to join us for The Stations of the Cross each Friday in Lent at 2:45 p.m. in our school gym.

Mark Your Calendars:

February 19 - No School
Presidents' Day Break

February 22 - Boys
Basketball Game - 4:30
p.m. (Home)

February 23

- Mass - 8:00 a.m.
- Stations of the Cross -
2:45 p.m.
- Boys Basketball Game -
4:00 p.m. (Home)
- Girls Basketball Game -
5:00 p.m. (Home)

February 27 - School
Dinner Night - Mi
Mexico!

Save the Date:

March 10 - Spring Gala!

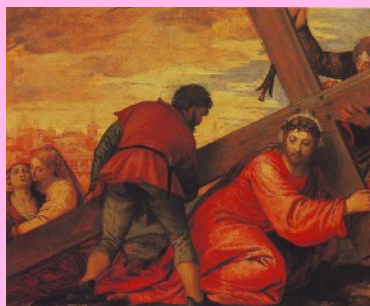
PRESIDENTS' DAY BREAK

Please note that we will not have school on Monday, February 19 in observance of Presidents' Day. Classes will resume on Tuesday, February 20. We hope you have a nice extended weekend!



STATIONS OF THE CROSS

Each Friday in Lent, our school will be praying the Stations of the Cross at 2:45 p.m. in our school gym. The Stations of the Cross is an old tradition which involves meditating on Christ's journey to Calvary and His death on the cross.



VIRTUE OF THE WEEK:

Justice

Definition: The moral virtue that consists in the constant and firm will to give what is due to God and neighbor.

Application: Make amends for wrongs; give to those in need; obey just laws and rules.



Many mothers and grandmothers were able to enjoy our Muffins with Moms event this past week.

GALA BASKETS

Please remember to bring your spring gala basket items to the school and drop them off in Mrs. Ridgel's office or the designated box by each classroom. Any alcoholic beverages must be brought in by a parent to the school office (not the drop-off boxes in the hallways).

Please remember that you are welcome to bring less than the requested amount or to decline participating this year should this present any financial hardship to your family.

Thank you so much for your support for our school! These baskets have been a **great way to fundraise** for the school at previous galas, and this year, each family in the class with the top selling basket will win three service hours and a class pizza party!

RUNNING CLUB

Our new running club has begun! Please remember that membership must be renewed each month; please submit pay to the school office. Students (grades 2 - 8) meet after school on Wednesdays from 3:00 - 4:30 p.m. Contact Mr. Herman (herman.pjp2a@gmail.com) with any questions.

BASKETBALL TEAM PICTURES

Attention basketball coaches and athletes: Please note that we will be getting a team basketball photo for our yearbook this Friday, February 23, before each scheduled game on that day. Please be sure to contact Mrs. Hartman with any questions.

SPRING GALA!

Tickets are on sale now for our annual spring gala on Saturday, March 10. We would love to have you come! Be sure to purchase your tickets now to reserve your spot, and we encourage you to invite your family and friends!

We are wishing to set up a babysitting option which will provide child care on March 10 through another Montrose High School Parents' Night Out event. Adults and students of MHS would provide child care on that evening to help parents attend our spring gala. More information will be sent home soon.

DINNER NIGHT!

This Wednesday, we sent home flyers for our next school dinner night occurring at Mi Mexico restaurant on Tuesday, February 27. You must bring the flyer with you and present it to your server on that night to support our academy. We hope your family will be able to make it out and enjoy a nice Mexican dinner!



SCHOOL DAYS COMPLETED: 113

Quote of the Week: "My argument against God was that the universe seemed so cruel and unjust. But how had I got this idea of just and unjust? A man does not call a line crooked unless he has some idea of a straight line. What was I comparing this universe with when I called it unjust?" - C.S. Lewis

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SCHOOL DAYS REMAINING: 59

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