

Guardian Angels PSR Program: September 10, 2018 – April 29, 2019

Dear Parents & Students:

All classes, grades 1 through 8, will begin Monday Sept. 10th, and meet at Copley-Fairlawn Middle School for 1 hour classes beginning at 7:00 PM. Students will need to be dropped off and picked up at the northeast entrance off the Schoolcraft Avenue parking lot. Please practice extreme caution at the Middle School parking lot since there will be many Elementary and Middle School children NOT paying attention - so the responsibility of their safety must be YOURS.

Only families registered at Guardian Angels Parish may enter students into our PSR Program.

- 1) All new students not Baptized at Guardian Angels must submit a copy of their Baptismal Certificate for our records.
- 2) Our PSR fee will remain at \$30 per student.

This year, instead of continuing with the "Christ Our Life" series textbooks from Loyola Press, we will begin a new program from Pflaum Publishing based on each week's up-coming Gospel reading. We are hopeful each student can more firmly tie together the Gospel message they hear in church with the classroom instruction they discussed the previous Monday. This program will use weekly handouts in place of a text/workbook.

Because we rent the classrooms from the Copley-Fairlawn Public School System, there are certain rules that we MUST follow. Please make sure your student understands these straight forward, obvious measures:

- 1) Be on time for both drop-off and pick-up. There is a time period to our rental and the doors will be locked.
- 2) Students involved with sports programs preceding class must NOT track mud onto the hallway and classroom floors. Please have shoes (and possibly pants) at the ready to slip into beforehand.
- 3) **NOTHING** is to be touched, moved or removed from anything or anywhere in the classroom. Especially items in the student desks. **Respect other peoples' property.**
- 4) On all Mondays that the Copley-Fairlawn School System does not have class, WE will not have class.

On days in which classes are cancelled due to weather, OUR classes will likewise be cancelled.

On questionable bad weather days, please go to:

- 1) **The Guardian Angels web site (www.guardianangels-copley.org) and check the Announcements section on the home page.**
- 2) **We also use WEWS Channel 5 for closure notices – both on TV and on their website.**
- 3) **Closings will be posted no later than 5:30 PM.**

Discipline Guidelines – Our classes are only one hour long and we do not wish to lose time with unruly students. They will be verbally warned twice and with the third occurrence, the parents notified asking them to either attend class with their child or home teach with the teacher informing the parents as to the teaching schedule, homework and tests. It will be up to the parents to pick up and bring back these items to the teacher - or dropped off at the rectory the following week.

Please remember our teachers are volunteers from our Parish and while they take this responsibility to teach your children our Catholic faith seriously, **YOU** are their primary religious educator.

Regards and God Bless,

Keith Kepes - PSR Coordinator