

OUR LADY STAR OF THE SEA SCHOOL NEWSLETTER March 5, 2025

Dear OLSS Families,

We had a beautiful Ash Wednesday Mass this morning, providing us with an opportunity to begin our Lenten journey with prayer, repentance, and a renewed commitment to spiritual growth and discipleship. I pray this Lenten season will be a time of blessing for you and your families.

Grace and Peace,
Mrs., Jennifer Thompson



NEWS & REMINDERS:

MAR. 10: There is no school on Mon, Mar. 10 for an ADW Teachers Retreat.

GALA: The Gala Committee would like the thank those in our school and parish community who supported the Fr. Alexander Gala. We had a "Roaring" good time building community and raising funds to renovate the PK building!

WOMEN OF WORSHIP: OLSS Parish's Women of Worship group is hosting an Annual Women's Morning of Reflection on **Sat, Mar. 15**; please see the <u>flyer</u> with today's news for more info, including how to register.

SEAHAWKS BASKETBALL: Our basketball teams participated in the SMYBL end-of-season Showcase event last weekend, and many of our players were nominated for and/or won league awards. We are looking forward to the Basketball Awards Ceremony on **Sun, Mar. 16.**

STATIONS OF THE CROSS: Students will be attending Stations of the Cross in the Historic Church on Fridays at 2pm during Lent. If you need to pick your child(ren) up early on these days, please do so before 2pm.

MAR. 17: Mon, Mar. 17 will be a \$2 St. Patrick's Day Tag Day; students may wear green and St. Patrick's Day-themed clothing following Tag Day regulations.

PALM SUNDAY FUNDRAISERS: We are hosting two fundraisers on Palm Sunday weekend (**April 12-13**): a Bake Sale and a Basket Auction. Donations of items for these events count towards volunteer service hours. Please see the flyers with today's news and sign up on Track It Forward.

GOLF TOURNAMENT: The <u>Seahawk Scramble Golf Tournament</u> will be held on **Fri, Apr. 25**; please see the flyer with today's news for more info. If you would like to join the planning team for this event, please email our HSA at <u>olsss.hsa@gmail.com</u>

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL: We are hosting Vacation Bible School from June 16-20 for children aged 3-12; please see the flyer with today's news.

SHROVE TUESDAY & MARDI GRAS



Students made Mardi Gras masks in Art class and had a parade around the school!

Thank you to our Lunch
Coordinator, Mrs. Auman, and all
the volunteers who helped make
200+ pancakes for Shrove Tuesday
lunch yesterday.



UPCOMING EVENTS:

MARCH

- Mar. 5: Ash Wednesday | Lent Begins
- Nar. 10: No School ADW Teachers Retreat
- Mar. 16: Basketball Awards Ceremony
- Nar. 17: \$2 St. Patrick's Day Tag Day
- Mar. 21: End of 3rd Quarter

APRIL

- Apr. 12-13: Palm Sunday Basket Auctions
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- Apr. 16: 12:30pm Dismissal/No Aftercare
- Apr. 17-25: No School Easter Break
- Apr. 25: Seahawk Scramble Golf Tournament