



ST. PAUL CATHOLIC SCHOOL

NEWSLETTER

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AUCTION & RAFFLE: Thank you! Thank you! Thank you! If you bought a ticket, sold a ticket, told a friend, shared it on Facebook, donated items, bid on items, and everything in between, you helped to make this a successful fundraiser once again!

Thank you to our auction donors - Wolf Creek Golf Course, Dwight Veterinary Clinic, the Bunting Brothers, First Midwest Bank, Mackinson Dairy, Heritage FS, Amy & Ted Turner, Livingston County Sheriff's Department, Grainco FS, PK Uncorked, Gem's Carpet Cleaning, Peach Turner, Bob Neuhalfen, Jason & Angie Eggenberger, Paula Cleary, Joan Bullard Realty, Sturms Seed Service, Nutrien Ag Services, Mary Beth Duffy, Pat Kelly, Sharon Wall, Kendale Cassady, Charisse Sancken, Tammy Miller, Lobo's Tap, Kim & Pat Condon, John Clancy, The Final Touch, Taylor Rose Salon, Nailed It, Jensen's BP Odell, the family of Msgr. Watson, Holly Weikum and Kirstin Kumagai (who both helped the night of the raffle), Tangled Roots Nursery, Steve & Linda Lovell, Dianne & Mark Stadel, Marge Bruner, Christin & Adam McDermott, Marie Bunting, Dwight Country Club, Courtney & Luke Tjelle, Becky Stipanovich, Joe Cleary, Jr., Frank & Jessica Legner, Megan Hart, and Jim Abry.

We also want to thank all our teachers and aides who put their time, money, effort, and love into creating works of art with their students. Last, but most certainly not least, we are truly grateful for chairperson Amy Turner for all her hard work and dedication. Thank you Amy!

STEWARDSHIP MASS: Please make every effort to attend our next Stewardship Mass this **Saturday, March 12** at the 4:30 afternoon Mass at **St. Patrick Parish in Dwight**. The parishioners of St. Patrick support our students in many ways so let's have a good turn out to show our appreciation. Those that participate will get a COMFY day the following Monday, March 14.

LUNCH TIME: Beginning this week, classes will have the opportunity to eat lunch in the gym again as we did pre-COVID. We'll ease our way back to full capacity and have classes rotate during the week. We haven't received any additional guidance from the state or Diocese, but as students continue to stay healthy, we will continue to adjust our safety protocols.

TRACK & FIELD: Practice starts this coming Monday the 14th from 3:30-5 p.m. at Saunemin Grade School. Any student in grades 5-8 that would like to participate must have a current physical on file at school. **Unfortunately due to a lack of bus drivers at OGS, there will be NO school transportation to or from practices.**

AWARDS: OGS athletic awards will be held on Tuesday, March 15 at 7 p.m. in the OGS gym. This will honor our 5-8th grade athletes who participated in any sport during the school year. Refreshments will be served following the ceremony.

MASS SWITCH: Next week's school Mass will be on Wednesday, March 16 at 10 a.m. since we do not have school that Friday. The 7th/8th grade class will lead the Mass, and we encourage any families to attend.

NO BUS: There is NO OGS **dismissal** bus on Wednesday, March 16 or Thursday, March 17.

COMFY DAY: Next Thursday the 17th will be a GREEN comfy day in honor of St. Patrick's Day!

EARLY OUT: St. Paul will dismiss at 11:30 a.m. next Thursday, March 17 for Spring Break! School will be back in session on Monday, March 28.

Q3: Keep an eye out for report cards next week! The third quarter ends tomorrow so reports will head home next Wednesday.

SACRAMENTS: We ask that you please keep the following students in your prayers as they will be marking important milestones on their faith journey: Rowan Legner, Maizie McDermott, Nolan Mills, and Lucy Sturms (who will be making their First Reconciliation on April 1 & First Communion on May 1) and Noah Davis, Joe Duffy, Addison Eggenberger, Luke Josefik, Hunter Paulsen, Coe Peters, Evan Wolf, Nolan Weis, and Graham Wolf (who will be Confirmed on April 2).

SERVERS: Schedules through April went home this week with the 5-8 graders. Father is in need of altar servers for the Holy Hour on Wednesday, April 6 from 5-6 p.m. and also for the Stations of the Cross on Good Friday (April 15) at 9 a.m. Please let us know if your child is available to serve either day. Thank you.

TRIVIA NIGHT: Mark your calendars for the triumphant return of St. Paul Trivia Night on Saturday, April 23! More details will be coming home in the next few weeks, but start formulating your teams now!

UPDATE FROM MRS. DORAN'S ROOM: First and second graders have been working hard during the second half of the year. We are learning about Lent and how to be of service during this special time. The second graders are learning about the sacrament of Reconciliation, and are looking forward to their special day on April 1. We have been learning about adding and subtracting in math and we love the challenge of memorizing our math facts. We are looking forward to making leprechaun traps this week! We are putting our engineering skills to use in making a trap tricky enough to catch a clever leprechaun and his gold. We had fun making our auction projects, and thank you all for your generous support of this important fundraiser for our school. God Bless You!

"Serve the Lord in your work by working hard for Him." 1. Colossians 3:17

UPCOMING ST. PAUL CALENDAR:

- ✠ Friday, March 11..... End of the 3rd Quarter
 - ✠ Saturday, March 12..... Stewardship Mass @ St. Patrick
 - ✠ Wednesday, March 16..... Report Cards Home
 - ✠ Thursday, March 17..... 11:30 Early Dismissal
- No School Friday, March 18 through Friday, March 25
Spring Break