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Dear Families,

This week in silent prayer, we read from the book of Hebrews 6:10-12. "We earnestly desire each of you to demonstrate the same eagerness for the fulfillment of hope until the end, so that you may not become sluggish, but imitators of those who, through faith and patience, are inheriting the promises." As we read the verse, we prayed for our parents, Grandparents, Godparents and all of our Parish family, that like them, we will carry out the faith with eagerness and excitement.

We owe a lot to all of our past and present faith communities; we thank them for handing down the Faith and sacrificing their time, talent and treasure to build and maintain our Catholic school. As we approach Catholic Schools Week, we feel so blessed to be able to assist you, as parents, in helping your children in their Faith journey, we pray they carry out their Faith and share it with eagerness and excitement!

CATHOLIC SCHOOLS WEEK:



Assumption Brawn—Good luck to our 8th grade girls in their tournament tomorrow (1/30) Awards will be presented after our Catholic School Closing Mass at St. Mary's by Father Emmanuel.

Quiz Bowl

Congratulations to the following students who will be competing at our Assumption Quiz Bowl on **Tuesday**, **February 2**nd at 1:30:

Grade 4: Jayden Brunner, Mili Mack, Jack Mehling; alternate: Logan Poeschel

Grade 5: Mary Bullard, Lucas Reckin, Nick Wood; alternate: Lucy Hoyt

Grade 6: Brielle Poeschel, Elizabeth Wayne, Luke Weber; alternate: Addison Lamm

Grade 7: Ethan Mack, Jacob Poeschel, Jessica Wood; alternate: Rocky DeLisi

Grade 8: Addison Auth, Sawyer Sabelko, Elsie Weinzirl; alternate: Chris Wood



Catholic Schools Week Mass:

Students will lead the liturgy on Saturday, February 6th at 4:00 p.m. at St. Mary's.

Liturgical roles for Mass at St. Mary's reminders are enclosed.

Pick up some chili and cinnamon rolls after Mass;

it is a such a "warm" way to conclude Catholic Schools Week

CHILI/CINNAMON ROLL DRIVE THROUGH SUPPER:

Volunteers still needed! This is a great opportunity for service hours for our students! Worker schedules will be sent home next week. **Return money from sold chili tickets and any unsold tickets on Monday.** Also, we are looking for miscellaneous sized boxes to haul the "to go containers" for the chili/cinnamon rolls.



CELEBRATING VALENTINES DAY:

Enclosed are materials for your family to make a <u>Valentine's day countdown chain</u>—it's a paper chain with Scripture verses to read each day counting down to the feast of St. Valentine! It's so great when kids can see how much longer they are waiting for a feast day, and also a fun way to sneak a little Bible reading into daily life with them. I hope you enjoy this as a family.

FEBRUARY CALENDAR AND LUNCH MENU:

The February calendar and lunch menu are enclosed! Wow, time is flying by.

FORENSICS (4N6) NEWS:



Congratulations to our Forensics students for their perfromance at our Invitiational Thursday, well done. ACS will host Level I Tournament on **Thursday, February 4**th. See note below and the enclosed Alex's Pizza ordering form.

Forensic Parents:

We are so glad to be able to hold our team's meets face to face! They are all excited and I know this will be a great start even if our season looks very different. Next Thursday, February 4th, will be our WSFAML Level 1 meet. For parents new to Forensics, Assumption would normally host 3 invites each year that take place after school on Thursday evenings. Concession food is usually available at these invites with Forensics parents taking care of concessions to benefiting our program. As you know, this year due to Covid (what else) we will be ordering the students Alex's Pizza. This past week, I provided other snacks to go with it. For the meet next week, February 4th and then again on February 25th. however, I am looking for students to supply their own snacks if they want something more than their pizza.

All the meets will start right after school and should be completed no later than 5:45 P.M. The students should wear dress code or better!

Thank you all so much, God Bless, Coach Monica

FIRST RECONCILIATION AND HOLY COMMUNION RETREATS:



Our second grade students have been preparing for their First Reconciliation and Holy Communion. It is such an exciting time for the students, parents, teachers, and the Church. Covid of course has changed some things, so our retreats will be Assumption Students only. Please SAVE the DATES for these special and important events:

Reconciliation Retreat: Saturday, February 27th @ Holy Rosary - 9:00 – noon (Assumption students only) **Holy Communion Retreat:** Saturday, April 17th @ Holy Rosary - 9:00 – noon (Assumption students only) **First Holy Communion:** Saturday, May 1st @ Holy Rosary - 2:00 (Holy Rosary & St. Mary's families)

Sunday, May 2nd @ Sacred Heart – 10:30

HONOR ROLL: (awarded for respective GPA and no grade lower than a C-)

Congratulations to the following students who made the honor roll; certificates were handed out Tuesday following Mass.

Highest Honors 4.00-4.33

Grade 6: Josephine Mehling, Brielle Poeschel

Grade 7: Ethan Mack

Grade 8: Addison Auth, Chloe Auth, Emma Hoyt, Sawyer Sabelko, Elizabeth Weinzirl

High Honors 3.70-3.99

Grade 6: Dylan Jereczek, Addison Lamm, Keiara Lee, Lincoln Richardson,

Elizabeth Wayne, Luke Weber

Grade 7: Landen Slater, Jessica Wood

Grade 8: Mara Brunner, Allison McMahon, Christopher Wood

Honors 2.80-3.69

Grade 6: Isabella Auth, Mallory Bauer, Julian Bullard, Isabele Lamm

Grade 7: Jacob Poeschel

Grade 8: Victoria Kurth, Elizabeth Menting

SCRIP/T.R.I.P.: (Tuition Reduction Incentive Program)

Instead of the usual credit/debit card or other money, use SCRIP! It's simple - use gift cards for everything you buy – groceries, gas, you name it! Your current TRIP amounts will be sent next week.



SPORTING EVENTS/PROTOCOL FOR THE WEEK:

- Face masks are required to be worn by all fans, players, coaches and refs. Fans need to hand in their ticket at the door to maintain attendance, and to be occupancy compliant.
- Monday February 1st @ Immaculate Conception vs. Regis
 - 4th/5th grade girls. 5:00 game. Doors open 4:40 (1 ticket per player)
 - 6th grade girls. 6:00 game. Doors will not open till the game prior is done. (1 ticket per player)
- Monday February 1st @ Cochrane Fountain City
 - 8th grade girls. 6:00 game. Doors will open until prior game done approx. 5:50 (4 tickets per player and email sent with other guidelines for game)
- Friday Feb 5th Home vs MACS
 - 5th grade girls. 5:00 game. Doors open at 4:30 but locked at 5:15 PM (4 tickets per player)
- Friday Feb 5th home vs MACS
 - 6th grade girls. 6:00 game. Doors open after clearing gym from first game and sanitize. Estimating doors open 5:50 PM. Doors will lock 6:15 PM (4 tickets per player)

CALENDAR REMINDERS AND UPDATES:			
Saturday	1/30	Assumption Brawn Tournament – Durand Campus	
Monday	2/1	4/5 GBB vs. Regis @ IC	5:00
		6 GBB vs. Regis @ IC	6:00
		8 GBB @ CFC	6:00
Tuesday	2/2	School Mass @ St. Mary's	8:30
Thursday	2/4	School Mass @ Holy Rosary	8:30
		Forensics Level I Meet at ACS	3:30 - 7:30
Friday	2/5	4/5 GBB home vs. Macs	5:00
		6 GBB home vs Macs	6:00
Saturday	2/6	Catholic Schools Week Student Mass @ St. Mary's	4:00 p.m .
		Chili/Cinnamon roll supper Drive Thru	3:00-6:00

PLEASE PRAY FOR:



- Our priests, principal, teachers and staff in gratitude for all they do to teach and guide us in our spiritual life and academic subjects, that God will pour abundant blessings upon them.
- All the parents, benefactors and volunteers who give their time, talent and treasure to our school, that God would bless them 100-fold for their generosity and dedication,
- Current students and for Catholic school graduates, that the gifts of faith and knowledge they have received will continue to grow.

Thank you for choosing Assumption Catholic School! Our faculty and staff are committed to working with you to fulfill our mission of *Faith* • *Academics* • *Service*

With Blessings of Peace and Joy,

Mrs. Mary Lansing Principal