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November 16th, 2018

Dear Families,

Thanksgiving is a wonderful time to gather with family and friends and reflect on our blessings. Many of us experience renewed hope and faith during the Thanksgiving holiday because we turn our eyes onto what is most important. What would the world be like if we each spent time everyday giving thanks? How could God grow our faith and trust if we lived a life of thanks through all seasons and not just Thanksgiving time? If you think about it, when our hearts are filled with gratitude, there is little room to worry or complain.

I pray we all are blessed with a grateful heart, that we see Jesus in each other and in all of His creations. God Bless you and Happy Thanksgiving.



ADVENT:

A reminder: Join our parish for the Best Advent Ever, a free email program that will help you slow down and focus on what matters most during the busy holiday season, details are enclosed.

BONN FAMILY THANK YOU:

"I wish I could write a personal thank you to each and every one of you to tell you how appreciative my family and I are for your prayers and generosity shown to us over the past month. The baskets donated to the benefit were beautiful; the attendance and well wishes given were overwhelming. Words cannot express our gratitude, thank you to all!" Mrs. Bonn

BRAINS AND BRAWN NEWS:

- The Brains Team will be holding an informational meeting for all 7th and 8th Grade students who are thinking about joining the team for the Brains & Brawn Tournament at the end of January. Please discuss with your child(ren) over Thanksgiving break their interest in competing with the team and encourage them to join us for the meeting during study hall on Monday, November 26 to find out more about the team. Practices will run once a week through December and January. Attending the meeting does not mean you have to join, but sign up will take place by the end of November because the roster for the team must be submitted in December. Contact Mrs. Weber at assumption7@nelson-tel.net if you have any questions.
- Enclosed is information regarding hotel stay for the Brains and Brawn tournament.

BOOK FAIR:



Our Scholastic Book Fair starts Friday November 30th at the Durand campus; it runs through December, 7th. Proceeds from our Book Fair help purchase books for both campus libraries.

Book fair items make excellent Christmas gifts.

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Friday November 30 8:00 - 11:00 and *1:00- 4:00

*Lima Students will travel to the Durand campus at 12:40, visit the book fair and will end their day there

Monday	December 3	8:00 - 11:00 and 2:00-4:00
Tuesday,	December 4	8:00 - 11:00 and $2:00 - 7:00$
Wednesday,	December 5	8:00 - 11:00 and 2:00-4:00
Thursday	December 6	8:00 - 11:00 and 1:00-6:00
Friday	December 7	8:00 - 11:00 and 2:00 - 4:00

Some of you may have already received notes from Ms. Dierauer, but we are still in need of some help. Please contact Ms. Dierauer at assumptionart@nelson-tel.net.

DURAND DAZZLE PARADE:



Thank you to Mrs. Prissel, the 8th grade students and parents for organizing the 8th grade float. I love the idea and I can't wait to see the finished product. Thank you also to Mrs. Bullard and the Middle School band for their hard work preparing for the parade, I hope all will be able to watch and cheer on our Assumption Royals!

MUSIC NOTES:



Jan Spindler has an invitation enclosed for students, asking them to share their musical talents at the Christmas Masses. The flyer has needed details.

HONOR ROLL:

The school year is divided into four quarters each representing approximately a nine-week period. At the close of each grading period, an honor roll is established for students in grades 6-8. Honor Roll presentation was presented after mass on Tuesday. Honor roll eligibility is as follows:

Highest Honors: 4.00 – 4.33
 High Honors: 3.70 – 3.99
 Honors: 2.80 – 3.69

Highest Honors

Grade 6: Addison Auth, Chloe Auth, Gabriella Gruber, Elizabeth Weinzirl

Grade 7: Canyon Richardson, Isabella Wayne, Brady Weber, Bailey Weisenbeck

Grade 8: Cecelia Gruber

High Honors

Grade 6: Mara Brunner, Alexis DeLisi, Emma Hoyt, Christopher Wood

Grade 7: Courtney Bauer, Briana Jesse, Rylan Prissel, Elena Weber, Edward Weinzirl

Honors

Grade 6: Allison McMahon, Elizabeth Menting

Grade 7: Harrison Bullard, Evan Fedie, Austin McMahon, Elizabeth Schoeneberger

Grade 8: William Albers, Ethan Brunner, Adrian Dohlman, Brayden Havens, Tyler Pelke,

Shane Prissel, Gabriel Sabelko, Eli Whitwam, Ethan Whitwam

PAJAMA DRIVE:

Our 4K is sponsoring a pajama drive, if your family would like to participate, there is information enclosed.

LITTLE DRIBBLERS: For those with boys in grades 1-3, check out the enclosed flyer.

SCRIP NEWS:

Don't forget to take advantage of **Thank-Scrip-ing Day on November 20**th. Bonus rebates on e-cards and reloads will be available all day on shopwithscrip.com. There are a few scrip partners who are adding new denominations to their Scrip cards. Darden Restaurants (Olive Garden) \$100, Panera \$50, Taco Bell \$25, Target \$250, Texas Roadhouse \$100, Walmart \$500 physical cards are all available to order on shopwithscrip.com. Also, Amazon SCRIP is now sold in the form of a gift card instead of paper certificates.

PLEASE PRAY:



- For a grateful heart
- That we see Jesus in each other and in all of His creations
- For the hunters, that they remain safe and are good stewards of God's gifts.

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

CALENDAR REMINDERS AND UPDATES FOR 2+ WEEKS:

Monday	11/19 11/22	NO SCHOOL THANKSGIVING BREAK BEGINSHAPPY THANKSGIVING	
Thursday	11/22	Thanksgiving Mass @ Holy Rosary	8:30
Friday	11/23	NO SCHOOL THANKSGIVING BREAK ENDS	
Saturday	11/24	Durand Dazzle Parade	6:00
Sunday Monday	11/25 11/26	Feast of Christ the King 7/8 BBB Home vs Augusta	5:00 & 6:00
Tuesday	11/27	School Mass at St. Mary's After School Study Open Door RE- office at Durand Campus 7/8 BBB home vs. Ellsworth 4/5/6 BBB @ St. Paul's	8:30 3:15-4:30 3:20-5:00 4:30 & 5:30 5:00
Thursday	11/29	Mass at Holy Rosary After School Study 4/5/6 BBB triangular - Home 7/8 BBB @ Holy Ghost	8:30 3:15-4:30 5:00 5:30 & 6:30
Friday	11/30	First Day of <i>BOOK FAIR</i> - Lima students visit Book Fair at Durand Campus K-3 ends their day at Durand campus	12:40 – 3:10
Sunday	12/2	First Sunday of Advent	
Monday	12/3	Education Committee Meeting – Lima Campus	6:00 5:00
Tuesday Wednesday	12/4 12/5	7/8 BBB Triangular at Home Dress Rehearsal for 4K-3 Christmas Program	5:00 1:30
Thursday	12/6	Feast of St. Nicholas 4/5/6 BBB Triangular @ Holy Ghost 7/8 BBB Home vs Eleva	5:00 5:00 & 6:00
Friday	12/7	Book Fair Ends Living Rosary Adoration @ St. Mary's	8-11am & 2-4pm 8:15 & 10:00 2:40
Saturday	12/8	Immaculate Conception- Holy Day Mass @ 8:30 Holy Rosary @4:00 St. Mary's @6:30 Sacred Heart	
Sunday	12/9	4K – 3 Christmas Program – Lima Gym	1:00