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Dear Families,

Tuesday at Mass, we heard a parable from the Gospel of Luke 14:15-24. "Go out into the streets and alleys of the town." Jesus shares this story to illustrate the kind of host God is: One who seeks to gather people, all kinds of people, into His kingdom. No matter how near or far from God you may feel, He is always seeking you to bring you closer to Him. During our silent prayer that day, students reflected on this verse and were reminded that each day they are faced with a choice…do you want Jesus in your life??? Pray that you will always say YES to His invitation!!!

### **ATHLETIC NEWS:**

Clothing orders are due 11/21. If your order will be a gift – make sure you indicate that so we don't ruin a surprise! Also enclosed, a permission slip for parent transport for next week's 6-8 grade BBB game in Baldwin.

## **BOOK FAIR:**



The Book Fair dates are: December 10<sup>th</sup> - December 16<sup>th</sup> Ms. Dierauer is coordinating volunteer work schedules again this year. If you can help, please call Ms. Dierauer at the Durand campus or email her at assumptionart@nelson-tel.net. Your help will be most appreciated!

Our K-3 students will be visiting the book fair on opening day, **Tuesday**, **December 10** in the afternoon! **They will be ending their day at the Durand campus and heading for home from there.** 

### **BOXTOPS:**

Thank you all who turned in box tops.... we will be receiving the processed amount of \$240.00. Reminder, clipable box tops are on their way out.... look for the scanning option. Not sure how to do it? Call us for help.

## **CHRISTMAS SEASON – PLANNING:**

Christmas Concert dates:

- 4K-3<sup>rd</sup> grade program Lima Campus Sunday, December 8<sup>th</sup> at 1:00
- 4-8 grade concert Durand Campus Thursday, December 12<sup>th</sup> at 7:00

Dress rehearsal dates:

- 4K-3<sup>rd</sup> grade Lima Wednesday, December 4<sup>th</sup> at 1:30
- 4-8 grade Durand Wednesday, December 11<sup>th</sup> at 1:30

"Snow" dates:

- 4K-3<sup>rd</sup> grade program Lima Campus Monday, December 9<sup>th</sup> at7:00
- 4-8 grade concert Durand Campus Monday, December 16<sup>th</sup> at 7:00



#### **FOOD DRIVE:**



Our students are holding a food drive starting **Monday**, **November 11**<sup>th</sup> and would like your help. The drive will **run through Friday**, **November 15**<sup>th</sup>. Students in grades K-3 may bring any **non-perishable item**, **but to aid in providing a variety of items**, **we are asking students in** grades 4-8 to bring certain items to ensure variety.

Please don't feel you are limited to this, we and the food shelf will be grateful for any donation.

**Grade 4** – Pork and beans **Grade 5** – Canned soup

**Grade 6 –** Boxed dinners **Grade7** – Canned fruits and vegetables

**Grade 8 –** Bar soap or paper products

### **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.

**<u>\$CRIP</u>**: Map out your holiday shopping list and take advantage of exclusive bonuses!

<u>FORENSICS</u>: Forensics fundraiser this year includes Rada Cutlery. Great quality products at very reasonable prices, features 100% made in the USA kitchen products – kitchen knives, utensils, gift sets. Check out their website <a href="https://radafundraising.com/?rfsn=3259523.2da49">https://radafundraising.com/?rfsn=3259523.2da49</a>. <u>Orders placed by November 12<sup>th</sup></u> will ensure delivery in time to wrap them up for Christmas gifts. Please direct any questions to Monica Heitman. Once again, we thank you for supporting Assumption Catholic School and our extra-curricular activities!

HONOR ROLL:

The middle school students making the honor roll were recognized after the Mass on Tuesday. Make

sure to congratulate your child(ren) for their Academic success. **Highest Honors** 4.00-4.33

Grade 6: Ethan Mack, Jacob Poeschel, Jessica Wood

Grade 7: Addison Auth, Chloe Auth, Mara Brunner, Gabriella Gruber, Elizabeth Weinzirl

**High Honors 3.70-3.99** 

Grade 6: Landen Slater, Nathan Traun

Grade 7: Emma Hoyt, Allison McMahon, Christopher Wood

Grade 8: Canyon Richardson, Isabella Wayne, Elena Weber, Bailey Weisenbeck

Honors 2.80-3.69

Grade 6: Alex Albers, Christian Bauer, Rocklan DeLisi, Clara Manor, Isaac Sabelko

Grade 7: Elizabeth Menting

Grade 8: Courtney Bauer, Harrison Bullard, Evan Fedie, Briana Jesse, Rylan Prissel,

Elizabeth Schoeneberger, Edward Weinzirl

### **NOAH'S ARK:**

Once again, our Noah's Ark 3K and 4K is working with Scholastic Books to facilitate a pajama drive to help those affected by instability. A flyer is enclosed if you would like to contribute to this cause.

## **NON-DRESS CODE FOR VIRTUE:**

Our Virtue of the month is Charity. Our next non-dress code for Virtue will be held on **Friday, November 22<sup>nd</sup>**. If your child(ren) want to participate, please bring in your non-perishable food item for the Pepin County Food Pantry by Friday, November 22<sup>nd</sup>.

# SCHOOL PICTURES AND RETAKES:

Photo retakes are scheduled for Thursday, November 14<sup>th</sup> starting at Durand and ending at Lima. **If you are planning on having your child re-photographed, please send the original picture packet back. TUITION STATEMENTS:** 

Are enclosed, we received a generous grant for tuition assistance; we want to make Catholic Education a viable option for all. To learn more, please call the school office.

CALENDAR REMINDERS AND UPDATES:			
IOWA TESTING CONTINUES ALL WEEK			
Sunday	11/10	Spaghetti Dinner @ Sacred Heart	11:30 -1:00 p.m.
Monday	11/11	Veteran's Day	
		Taps, flag raising & Pledge of Allegiance-Durand	8:15 a.m.
		Living Rosary- Durand church	8:30 a.m.
		Veteran's visit Lima	10:00 a.m.
		4/5 BBB Triangular @ IC	5:00 p.m.
		Education Committee Meeting at Holy Rosary	6:00 p.m.
Tuesday	11/12	Mass at St. Mary's	8:30 a.m.
		Open Door	3:20-5:00 p.m.
		6/7/8 BBB Triangular Home	5:00 p.m.
Thursday	11/14	Mass @ Holy Rosary	8:30 a.m.
		Picture Retakes start at Durand Campus	8:30 a.m.
		6/7/8 BBB @ B-W with DHS- (leave @ 2:35)	4:15 p.m.

<u>†PLEASE PRAY FOR:</u> Our Veterans - those who have served and who are currently serving our country.

With Blessings of Peace and Joy,

Mrs. Mary Lansing Principal