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Dear Families:

Thursday in silent prayer our students read Luke 11:14-23. "Whoever is not with Me is against Me, and whoever does not gather with Me scatters." The students were then charge with a Lenten offering: "I will stand up for Christ's truth today with courage." This is a huge challenge and one that is not easily done, even by adults. So many times, we can close our hearts and minds to the Lord. We fail to defend or stand up to our Christian beliefs, especially when we are challenged. That is why I love the Lenten Season, it's a time for us to reflect on our misgivings, pray for courage and start fresh! A time to renew our spirit, so as Psalm 95 states: ...if today you hear God's voice, harden not your hearts!

ASSUMPTION'S GOT TALENT, K-8 ART FAIR AND OPEN HOUSE:

When: Thursday, April 4th

Time: Art Fair: 4:00 - 7:00 p.m. **Open House:** 5:30 -6:30 p.m. **Stage Show** begins at 7:00

Where: Assumption Catholic School – Durand

This year's play will be performed by the 8th grade class is titled: "The Great American Talent Show" Come early and enjoy the Art Fair (at school) and Olive Garden Dinner (St. Mary's Church)4:00 – 7:00!

The K-8 students will attend "The Great American Talent Show" dress rehearsal on Tuesday, April 2nd at 1:30. Please note ALL students END their day on 4/2/19 at the Durand campus.

ATHLETIC COMMITTEE NEWS:

Thank you for selling tickets for our Olive Garden Dinner, enclosed is the list of students earning non dress code on the specified dates.

The worker schedule for the Olive Garden Dinner is enclosed.

• Enclosed in envelopes of 3rd-7th grade students is a letter from our Athletic Committee regarding scheduling for next year. **Please return your survey by Wednesday, April 10th**

BIOGRAPHY REPORTS:

All are invited to join in the third grade Biography report presentation on Tuesday, April 9th at 2:30 at Lima.

CALENDAR:

Enclosed please find the April Calendar and a 2- week reminder and update calendar as our next newsletter will be Friday, April 12th.

4N6 PARENT NIGHT FAMILY APPRECIATION

Don't forget 4N6 Parents night on **Monday,April 1**st– 6:00 p.m. This provides a great opportunity to hear a variety of performances as they prepare for State on April 6th.

Thank you to Monica Heitman for all her time and effort put into this great program.



HONOR ROLL:

3rd quarter report cards will go home Monday, April 8th. The Honor Roll presentation will be after Mass on Tuesday, April 9.

MASS SERVERS NEEDED:

We are in need of Altar Servers to help Father with Masses during Holy Week, enclosed is a form to complete and return...thank you for helping with this important ministry

LIVING STATIONS OF THE CROSS:



Please join us for the *Living Stations of the Cross* on Friday, April 12th at 2:20. Our 7th grade class will be re-enacting this devotion that commemorates Jesus Christ's last moments. We have been fortunate to have experienced this "mini pilgrimage" each Friday during Lent and will close this Lenten Season with the Living Stations. Since it is our last "pilgrimage", our K-3 students will be in attendance, and all students will end their day at the Durand campus.

MOVIE DAY:

In lieu of the academic time lost to weather, we are NOT going to reschedule the movie day that we had planned for Catholic Schools Week. Parents the \$6.00/student will be applied to one of the following accounts:

- 1. Tuition
- 2. Hot lunch
- 3. Walk for Virtues

Please return the form on the bottom of the calendar updates to indicate your wishes for the funds. OPEN HOUSE:

Our families are encouraged to attend our Open House on Thursday, April 4th. Enclosed please find a form titled "*Find Someone Who*". Students attending our Open House will be asked to complete the form that evening and turn it in for a chance to win \$25.00 SCRIP card of choice!

PARTNERS IN FAITH:

Enclosed is this month's *Partners in Faith*; there is a good article on teaching your children the harmful nature of gossiping. With today's Social Media, spreading stories is faster and easier to do.



<u>\$CRIPBONUS DAY!</u> Purchase everyday items and reduce your tuition at the same time. Don't forget about the BONUS DAY event coming up on Thursday, April 11th! Start planning now!

SEDER MEAL:



On Holy Thursday we will celebrate a Christian Seder Meal with the kindergarten through third grade students. The Seder is the meal Jesus celebrated with his apostles at Passover and that the Jewish people still celebrate today. It commemorates the deliverance of the Hebrew people, led by Moses, out of slavery in Egypt. We need some help.... please see enclosed form. Thank you!

SPRING PHOTO DAY:



Reminder, Monday, April 8th is our Spring Photo Day. Our school **receives \$2.00 for each photo taken.** Everyone will have their picture taken, no need to purchase. This is a non-dress code day.

VIRTUE OF THE MONTH:

Our virtue of the month for April is courage; courage is the acquired habits of showing strength or fortitude. We ask the students to take time during the month to reflect how they have demonstrated Courage. Have they stood up for someone who was getting picked on? Did they use their words to let someone know they were not doing the right thing?

NON-DRESS CODE FOR VIRTUE:



If your child(ren) would like to participate in the non-dress code service project this month, please make sure they have returned their mite boxes or contributed to their mite jars in the classroom, if you forgot to contribute, there is time...Non Dress Code for virtue will be on **Friday, April 26**th

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*

PLEASE PRAY:



For our High School Students, especially Bridget Myers and Seth Prissel that God will continue to bless them and keep them safe from harms way.

For our families, that God will continue to bless them with faith filled lives.

With Blessings of Peace and Joy,

Mary Lansing Principal