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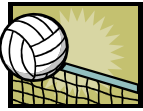
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September 11th, 2020

Dear Families,

This week we celebrated Mother Mary's Birthday. At Mass on Tuesday, Father Emmanuel quizzed the students on what they knew about Mary. Be proud of your children, as they answered all of his questions correctly! Catholics often get accused of worshipping Mary; please be sure to share the truth. When Catholics pray to Mary we are not worshipping her, rather we are honoring her and asking for her intercession on our behalf — in fact, more than praying “to” her, we pray “with” Mary, asking her to pray with and for us. So if you are ever questioned about honoring Mary, simply reply, “if I can ask my neighbor and friends to pray for me, or with me, why would I not ask Mary, the Mother of God, the person closest to Jesus to pray with me and for me?”

ATHLETIC NEWS:



- Thursday Sept 17th WRDN will Live Stream on WRDN Facebook page the 6th/7th/8th girls Volleyball game at 5:00 and 6:00 respectively. Since fans will not be allowed at this match, (see enclosed letter) this is a great opportunity for parents, grandparents and others to tune in to watch!
- Also 4th-8th girls v-ball pictures will be Monday Sept 21st at 3:30 PM. Envelopes are enclosed.

FALL FESTIVAL EVENT:



Mark your calendars and plan to attend these parish events.

Sunday, September 20th @ Sacred Heart Mondovi drive through chicken dinner after the 10:00 Mass.

FORENSICS (4N6):

Forensic will happen this year at ACS, we are still working out the details to how it will look etc. Stay tuned!

HOME AND SCHOOL NEWS:

- Magazine Sale: The first turn in date was this week, thank you for your orders! We have an estimated profit total so far just under \$6,000.00. Our goal is \$10,000. Can we do it?
- The final turn in date is: **Wednesday, September 16th**.
- Thank you to all the parents who helped count and “pack Coops.” A big thank you to Chelsea Wayne for organizing this fundraiser. We have such wonderful parents at Assumption – we are truly blessed.
- Coops were handed out today, students were asked to leave them at school as “Coop Calls” start Monday!
- The list of students who qualified for the non-dress code days is enclosed.
- **Donate your cumulative prizes to buy chicks for the Food for the Poor campaign. Your child would still receive the Super seller prizes, just not the cumulative. (see enclosed)**
- We may have ‘kinks’ throughout the sale. Let us know if you have any questions.

MASKS:

We received many free masks from Pepin County Emergency Management, so enclosed please find a pack for each child. You may need to tie the ear loops for a better fit, but hey – they were free so add them to your collection! If you would like more, please let us know.

SCHOOL SAFETY:

Enclosed, please find an overview of our safety drills. On back of the note is a permission slip allowing the 4K-8 students to practice getting to our meeting sites. Thank you for your prompt return of this form.



SCHOOL WEEKEND MASS FOR FATHER EMMANUELS INSTALLATION:

Remember to **return your Mass help sheet on Monday**. We are still accepting help for Father Emmanuel’s installation Mass at Holy Rosary on **Sunday, September 27 at 5:30.**

Mass liturgy roles sent next week.

GO TO ST. JOSEPH:

The year 2020 marks the 150th anniversary of Blessed Pius IX’s decree naming St. Joseph Patron and Protector of the Universal Church. He is also the primary patron of the Diocese of La Crosse, and of course, the Cathedral of St. Joseph the Workman is named for him.

In this challenging time, we can turn to St. Joseph with great hope:

- We can turn to him as protector from harm, even as he protected Mary and the child Jesus from Herod’s wrath;
- St. Joseph was worker and provider for the Holy Family, so to him we can entrust ourselves and our nation in the face of unprecedented unemployment and economic distress;
- As model husband and father, we turn to St. Joseph at a time when good examples of both are so desperately needed. We can ask him to help strengthen our families – as well as the bonds of our “parish family” – at a time when these can be fragile.
- As patron of the dying, we can invoke the intercession of St. Joseph on all who are in their last moments of life, including the elderly and others with terminal disease.



SCRIP: Use SCRIP to help reduce your tuition cost. Not sure how? Call us and we will help you.

CALENDAR REMINDERS AND UPDATES FOR 2 WEEKS

Monday	9/14	Coop Calls	
Tuesday	9/15	School Mass @ St. Mary’s	8:30 a.m.
		4-8 VOLLEYBALL uniform handout	5:00-6:00 p.m.
Wednesday	9/16	Final turn in day for magazine sale	
Thursday	9/17	School Mass @ Holy Rosary	8:30 a.m.
		6 th /7 th grade Volleyball Home vs. Cadott	5:00 p.m.
		8 th grade Volleyball Home vs. Cadott	6:15 p.m.
Friday	9/18	Final Coop call – Kung Fu Coops “fly home”	
Sunday	9/20	Sacred Heart <i>Fall Festival</i> drive through chicken dinner	begins after 10:00 Mass

PLEASE PRAY FOR:



- Our students, that their hearts and minds are opened to hear God’s voice
- Our nation, that leaders focus efforts to protect and sustain our Spiritual Health.
- **For the Holy Fathers Intentions for this month:** *We pray that the planet's resources will not be plundered, but shared in a just and respectful manner.*

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