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Dear Families,

This week at Mass, Father Emmanuel taught us Pope Francis *5 finger prayer*. Each digit on your hand represents people you should pray for:

1. **Thumb** (finger closest to your heart) - Pray for those closest to your heart
2. **Index (pointer) finger**– (finger used to correct or point things out) - Pray for those who instruct you
3. **Middle finger** – (the tallest finger- for other fingers to “look up to”) Pray for our leaders
4. **Ring finger** – (our weakest finger) - Pray for the weak and poor
5. **Pinkie finger**– (the smallest finger – last in line) Pray for yourself and your own needs.

Talk to your children about this and challenge them, and yourselves, to incorporate it into daily prayer life....

ATHLETIC NEWS:



On September 21, 2019 the Athletic Committee will be hosting a volleyball tournament at the Durand High School for players in grades 4-8. This is a great fundraiser for our school, but takes a lot of work to host. Families received an email message this week as all athletic families are encouraged to work in the concession stand/admission table if they are able and volleyball parents are asked to bring baked goods and work in the concession stand/admission table. Please see the enclosed note for more information. Thanks in advance for volunteering.

All are welcome to come and support our *Royal Teams* the tournament brackets are enclosed.

FIELDTRIPS:

Enclosed, please find permission slips for the upcoming fieldtrips:

- 8th grade Day at Diocese
- 4K-8 students to practice getting to our meeting and / or reunification sites
- 4K and Kindergarten Apple Orchard fieldtrip *form went earlier this week due Wednesday, September 18*



FALL FESTIVAL:

Mark your calendars and plan to attend these parish events.

Sunday, September 15th @ Sacred Heart Mondovi after the 10:00 Mass.

Saturday, September 28th @ St. Mary's Durand after the 4:00 Mass.

1. We are still accepting Mass help forms for ***St. Mary's School Masses...volunteers are always welcome.***
Please return by Monday, 9/16. Mass liturgy roles sent next week.
2. There will be a class competition sponsored by the Fall Festival Committee, the class with the highest percentage of participation at the event will receive donuts.
3. Students in attendance will have their name put into drawings, the winner each hour (6:00, 7:00 and 8:00) will get to choose a piece of assumption gear, up to \$25 in value, sponsored by the Fall Festival Committee.
4. **Next week**, we will have enclosed two game tickets per child in your family envelope for your children to use at the Fall Festival!

FORENSICS (4N6):

Enclosed is a note from Forensics Coach, Monica Heitman. Please review it and “save the dates”

SPIRITUAL ADOPTION:



Enclosed in the 6th grade students' envelope is a letter from Mrs. Lynette Johnson explaining the Spiritual Adoption program in which they participate. We are grateful Mrs. Johnson volunteers her time to help students understand such an important issue

GIRL SCOUTS: Enclosed for girls in grades K-5 is information about upcoming Girl Scout sign up.

HOME AND SCHOOL NEWS:

- Magazine Sale: The first turn in date was this week, thank you for your orders! Our goal is \$10,000. Can we do it? The list of students who qualified for the non-dress code days is enclosed.
- **The final turn in date is: Wednesday, September 18th.**
- With our new sales representative and new program, we may have 'kinks' throughout the sale, let us know if you have any questions.

RECYCLE: "The **three R's** – reduce, reuse and **recycle** – all help to cut down on the amount of waste we throw away. They conserve natural resources, landfill space and energy. Plus, they can generate some income for our school. Enclosed is the flyer showing what we save – please help us by sending in the items listed.



PLEASE NOTE: The Box tops program is changing...the enclosed flyer explains how they are phasing out the "clip" and transitioning to "scan". Call if you have questions.



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

TUITION STATEMENTS: Enclosed please find your current tuition statement.

CALENDAR REMINDERS AND UPDATES FOR 2 WEEKS

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| Sunday | 9/15 | Sacred Heart Fall Festival | <i>begins after</i> | 10:00 Mass |
| Monday | 9/16 | 4/5 VB Triangular - Home | | 5:00 |
| | | 6/7 and 8 Volleyball @ Osseo | | 5:00 & 6:00 |
| | | Education Committee Meeting @ Lima | | 6:00 |
| Tuesday | 9/17 | School Mass @ St. Mary's | | 8:30 a.m. |
| | | 6/7 and 8 Volleyball Home vs. Cadott | | 5:00 & 6:00 |
| | | MS Football home versus Chippewa Falls | | 4:30 |
| | | MS Cross Country @ Prescott | 5:45 | |
| Wednesday | 9/18 | Final turn in day for magazine sale | | |
| Thursday | 9/19 | School Mass @ Holy Rosary | | 8:30 a.m. |
| | | MS Cross Country @ Altoona | | 5:30 |
| Friday | 9/20 | Homecoming Parade – 4-8 busses pick up at Durand Fresh Market | | |
| Saturday | 9/21 | Assumption Volleyball Tourney @ DHS | | 8:00 - 5:00 |
| Wednesday | 9/25 | 4K/ K Apple Orchard Fieldtrip | | 9:00 a.m. |
| Saturday | 9/28 | St. Mary's Fall Festival - following 4:00 p.m. Mass | | |

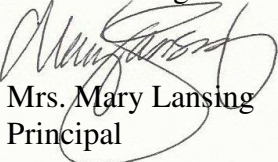
PLEASE PRAY FOR:



- Our students, that their hearts and minds are opened to hear God's voice
- Favorable weather and good attendance at our upcoming Fall Festivals
- **The Holy Fathers Intentions for this month:** *That politicians, scientists and economists work together to protect the world's seas and oceans.*
- **Hurricane Relief Efforts in the Bahamas**

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