



ASSUMPTION Catholic School

K-3rd Grades

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Dear Families,

This week at Mass, Father Emmanuel asked the students to define sin, several hands went in the air to answer that question. He then asked our students, "What are some examples of sin?" many hands were raised and answers varied including lying, stealing, not obeying your parents; then Father asked "What happens when you sin?" "You make God sad, you become further away from God, you hurt your soul, you get in trouble, you could lead others to sin," were some of the answers given. "Would making God sad, furthering yourself from God, hurting your soul, getting in trouble or leading others to sin, make you happy?" An astounding NO was the unified answer. "Thus," said Father, "sin takes away our happiness – sin stands for:

- *Sinking*
- *Into*
- *Nothingness*

The students were so engaged in Father's homily again this week; we are so blessed to have Father as our spiritual leader, and so blessed to have our Catholic School.

ATHLETIC NEWS:



On Saturday, September 21 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. Thanks in advance for volunteering. The worker schedule is enclosed.

All are welcome to come and support our Royal Teams!!

CHILDREN'S LITURGY OF THE WORD:

Children's Liturgy of the Word is a ministry for children ages 3 years old through 2nd grade. It is a program whereby young children have the opportunity to discover the riches of God's word in a way that relates to their young lives. Children leave before the readings during Mass and return when the gifts are brought up. An older sibling or parent may accompany a young child to Children's Liturgy; the session is about 15 – 20 minutes. We encourage everyone to send your young children for Children's Liturgy of the Word giving you, the parents, the opportunity to listen to the God's word and the homily uninterrupted.



If any adult is interested in helping with this ministry, please contact Linda Schaub at 715-672-4668 or e-mail me at triparishre@nelson-tel.net. Any middle or high school students needing service hours are welcome to assist.

FALL FESTIVAL:



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

Mass Liturgy roles are enclosed Forget to return your form? Send it in.

Volunteers are always welcome.

1. Come enjoy the family atmosphere, fellowship, music and dancing!
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 and students in attendance will have their name put into drawings, the winner each hour will get to choose a piece of Assumption Gear, up to \$25 in value, sponsored by the Fall Festival Committee.
3. **Enclosed** are two game tickets per child for your children to use at the Fall Festival!



FIELDTRIPS:

Enclosed is a permission slip for K-3 students to attend "Spookley The Square Pumpkin" Play. Please complete and return with money by Monday.

HOME AND SCHOOL NEWS:

We had our last "coop call" yesterday. I have to hand it to you parents as I have witnessed some AWESOME character traits in our students throughout this venture: sharing their "coop rewards", using manners and generally showing gratitude. We are so delighted to be working with you in your child's formation.

Magazine Sale: As of now, though no specific numbers yet, our magazine sale is on track to match last year's figures. We will keep you posted. Remember, this number will not include any orders we continue to get throughout the year or from our postcards. Thank you to all of you that helped with this fundraiser, especially Chelsa Wayne who chairs this fundraiser; we couldn't do it without you! ☺

\$CRIP:

NEW! We now have \$25.00 and \$100.00 SCRIP cards in stock for Cenex!! Their rebate is 3%. Use SCRIP to help reduce your tuition cost. Not sure how? Call us and we will help you.



WORKPERMITS: Enclosed in the families of seventh grade students are work permits. We are so thankful for the service our middle school students provide to our hot lunch program.

CALENDAR REMINDERS AND UPDATES

Saturday	9/21	Assumption Volleyball Tourney @ DHS	8:00 - 5:00
Tuesday	9/24	School Mass @ St. Mary's	8:30 a.m.
		6/7/8 VB Home vs. Eleva Strum	5:00 & 6:00
		MS Football Home vs. Glenwood City	5:00 p.m.
Wednesday	9/25	4K & Kindergarten Apple Orchard Fieldtrip	9:00-2:00 p.m.
Thursday	9/26	School Mass @ Holy Rosary	8:30 a.m.
		6/7/8 VB @ Holy Ghost	5:00 & 6:00
		MS Cross Country @ Durand Golf Course	5:30
Friday	9/27	Mid quarter	
		4/5 VB Triangular Home	5:00
Saturday	9/28	St. Mary's Fall Festival - following 4:00 p.m. Mass (poster enclosed)	
<u>A LOOK AHEAD</u>			
Monday	9/30	Mid quarter report go home	
Wednesday	10/2	Home and School Meeting – Durand campus	6:00
Friday	10/4	Day at the Diocese – 8 th grade fieldtrip	
Monday	10/7	School Photos	
Wednesday	10/9	Athletic Committee Meeting – Durand campus	6:00

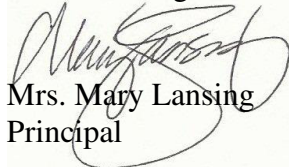
PLEASE PRAY FOR:



- Our students, that their hearts and minds are opened to hear God's voice
- Our families, that God may bless them with peace and joy
- Our Catholic School, giving thanks to all who make it possible

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