

## Wednesday Update: May 30, 2018



**Mass today was hosted by 3<sup>rd</sup> Grade.** We passed the light of Leadership today. It is a special ceremony we celebrate here at St. Andrew. Thank you parents for joining us today. You are always welcome.

### **Summer Math Books are going home today!**

**Outstanding Fees:** The school year is rapidly coming to a close; we would like to remind you to bring any outstanding fees (library books, aftercare, lunch, etc.) up to date. Report cards, summer math books and transcripts may be held for unpaid fees.

**AR Celebration:** Many, many thanks to Caryn Coury and her wonderful crew of volunteer moms: Marcia Woods, Laura Robertson, and Deanna Durst for making our Accelerated Reader party so wonderful! A delicious time was had by all with Jimmyz Hibachi and Kona Ice, how could we go wrong!

**Exceptional Needs Grant:** Please schedule an appointment with Mrs. Wilfong for early June if you plan to apply for the Exceptional Needs Grant. Appointments may be in person or via the phone. Thank you!

**Field Day:** Our First Annual Field Day was a resounding success! Many thanks to all the volunteers who came together to make the day run smoothly! Thank you for all your flexibility with our change of plans due to the weather. Thank you especially to Jen Moran and Jeannine Black for taking on this large project and bringing the dream to fruition! I believe we will all agree that it was a great day!

**Graduation Dinner and Awards Ceremony tomorrow:** 8<sup>th</sup> graders will enjoy a Baccalaureate Mass this Thursday, May 31, 5:00 pm. After Mass, students, parents, and special guests are invited to attend the 8<sup>th</sup> grade awards ceremony and dinner. David Demer, from Pastaria 811, will cater the dinner with lasagna and salad. There will be a special Graduation cake for dessert. There is no cost to the graduate or their parents. Siblings and special guests can attend for \$15.00 a ticket. **The time to RSVP is now over.**

**Choir Members Needed for Baccalaureate Mass:** Mrs. Slawecki is asking for only 3rd thru 5th graders to perform at the Baccalaureate Mass tomorrow. Please arrive at 4:30pm in the church and wear your school Mass uniform. Thank you.

**Awards Ceremony:** Please plan to celebrate your children with us at the Academic Awards Ceremony honoring students in grades 3-7 on Friday, June 1 at 10:00 am in the CLC. 2<sup>nd</sup> graders who earned 100 or more AR points will also be honored. This is a wonderful way to end our school year!

**2019 Crusader Classic 5K + Fun Run Kick-Off Meeting:** Thursday, June 7th at 5pm in the School Conference Room. If you are interested in joining our planning committee please join us! All are welcome!

**Medications:** If your child has any medications in the office (inhalers, epi-pens, etc.), please remember to pick them up by the end of the school year. A parent must pick the medication up; medications will **NOT** be released to a student. Any medication left after the school year is over will be discarded.

**TOT Update:** As we prepare to break for the summer the TOT Committee could really use your help! Please help us with selling ads for our TOT program over the summer! We also need help with our AUCTION! We need gift cards/certificates for restaurants, nail and hair salons, retail stores, family attractions, golf courses, vacation packages, etc. *We cannot accept tangible items this year as the manpower and security required for those items is overwhelming!* Please find the attached letter and form. Thanks so much and have a Wonderful and Blessed summer with your families! Call me anytime with questions. Jenna Cunningham 843-455-5701

**TOT ADVERTISING COMMITTEE: We need your help!** We are attaching the form electronically to advertise in the program for 2018 Taste of the Town! Unfortunately, we cannot wait until we get back to school in August, as the deadline for ads is the first Tuesday Folder. We understand this is a terribly busy time for everyone and we do apologize. If you have a business and can help us by advertising please submit ASAP. If you do not have a business please help us by bringing us an ad! **Together** we will make 2018 TOT another amazingly successful fundraiser for OUR school! Please keep in mind this is a great time to promote your business and support our school. Thank you!

**ART CAMP:** Several camps are almost full ... send in registration forms by the end of this week to reserve a spot for your child. Don't miss out on this fun, artsy, educational experience for your children. So many choices: Green Art: June 11-13, STEAM: June 20-22, Girl's Art: July 9-13, Harry Potter: July 30-August 3, and Canvas Painting Parties: Galaxy: June 8, Tulips: June 14, Pusheen the Cat: June 15, Alien: June 18, Paint Pouring: June 19, Peace Sign: July 2, Owl: July 5, and Fireflies: July 6. Please contact Mrs. Tyndall with questions.

**Lost & Found:** Please be sure to check the lost and found basket located in the front foyer.

**Congratulations to Mary Hannah!** She placed third out of 32 of the top girls in South Carolina in the 10 and under age division at the Chic-fil-a Palmetto championships. This qualifies her to play in the Southern Closed championship with 64 of the top girls from the Southern region. She and her doubles partner also reached the finals in doubles finishing second!! Great job! We are proud of you!

**Alumni News:** Please take a few minutes to read about the successes of our St. Andrew Alumni! The students in the 2014 8<sup>th</sup> grade class of St. Andrew will graduate from high schools across our area next week. Congratulations to them and best wishes on a successful future!

*Father,  
This summer will be full of new experiences  
for my friends and me:  
new jobs, exciting mission trips, and vacations to places  
we've never been before.  
Grow us, stretch us through whatever we do,  
and through wherever we go, so that we'll end the summer  
just a little more like you. ~Amen*

*We pray each of you has a wonderful and safe summer. Thank you for sharing the gift of your children with us this year. We have learned from them and grow every day in the joy of educating them. We look forward to next year and so appreciate all your love and support! ~ The Faculty and Staff of St. Andrew*