## **Tuesday Update: October 3, 2017**

<u>No Mass Tomorrow:</u> Students may wear their regular uniforms. The priests are on retreat this week. We will resume Wednesday Mass next week and 4<sup>th</sup> grade will host us. Parents are always welcome to attend.



<u>October is Right to Life Month:</u> Our annual Baby Bottle Campaign has begun! Please send in extra coins or encourage your children to do chores around your home to raise money for this valuable cause. We will pray one decade of the Rosary in the morning to pray for life. Students can even "Jump and Pray" the Rosary on our blacktop!

**B.R.A.V.E students of the month for September:** Congratulations to 5<sup>th</sup> graders, Erin and Ben.

<u>Thank you</u>! Thank you to Chad in 8<sup>th</sup> grade, alumni Stafford Montondo, Coach Rollings, Jeff Watson and Jonah, Nick Sloan and Ben, Harvey Emery and Russell, and Jonathan Messimer for all your hard work Saturday morning! The playground looks great. The sandbox is moved and the Ga-Ga pit is up and running. We so appreciate your service! We are already getting rave reviews from the students about the new game.

<u>Handicap Parking:</u> Parents, please refrain from parking in the Handicap parking places at the front of the school during Mass hours. Thank you!

<u>TOT Auction</u> still needs your help!! We have Auction Business Letters and Donation Forms in the office. Please let us know if you need these to give to businesses you patronize often. Thanks for all your hard work to date!

**St. Frances Ecology Club** will be hosting an Italian Ice sale tomorrow during lunch. Items are \$1.00. Proceeds to benefit victims of hurricanes and earthquakes through Catholic Missions.

**5<sup>th</sup> Grade Bake Sale:** The students in 5<sup>th</sup> grade provided a fabulous bake sale Friday at lunch. They were able to raise @ \$390.00 for the victims of hurricanes Irma and Harvey. This money will be sent to Catholic Relief Charities through our Church office. Thank you for your support!

<u>Kindergarten Grandparents Day</u> was a resounding success! Thank you Kindergarten, Mrs. Kosydar and Mrs. Erickson for all your hard work. Our special guests had a fabulous time!

**Good Luck Madison!** Madison in 5<sup>th</sup> Grade will attend a regional golf tournament in Port St. Lucie, FL this weekend. She will be competing against some of the best junior golfers in the world. Yep...in the world! The cool thing is that she can hold her own against them. She is repeatedly complimented on her attitude and how she handles the pressure of the game. Her attitude is the best part of her game! Good Luck Madison! Be B.R.A.V.E.!

<u>Congratulations Mary Hannah in 3<sup>rd</sup> Grade!</u> Mary Hannah competed in the T.J. Spurling Jr. Challenger tennis tournament in Florence, SC on September 30th. She was the winner of both the singles and doubles titles in the Girl's 10 and under division. Good job Mary Hannah!

<u>Aftercare News:</u> Aftercare will attend the volleyball game in the CLC on Friday, October 6. Please plan to pick your child up in the CLC on Friday. <u>Taste of the Town Day Aftercare:</u> If you plan for your child to attend aftercare after the 11:30 dismissal on October 17 for Taste of the Town, please call the front office for a reservation. Students will need to bring a lunch from home. Thank you!

<u>Diocesan Basketball Tournament News:</u> We would like to make you aware of the Diocese of Charleston Youth Basketball Tournament set for February 23-25, 2018 in Myrtle Beach, SC. This year will be VERY exciting, as we will hold the entire tournament under one roof...Myrtle Beach Sports Complex. That's right family and friends will be able to see all games instead of splitting up and missing games!

Tournament packets will be sent out as you are coming back from Thanksgiving break. Any questions can be directed to Paul Flood at <a href="mailto:pflood.sms@gmail.com">pflood.sms@gmail.com</a> or by calling 843.385.7361. News and forms will be posted to our website as well at <a href="http://www.koc5086.org/">http://www.koc5086.org/</a>

<u>YEARBOOK NEWS:</u> Would you like to save 15% off the price of this year's yearbook? Order by September 30 and SAVE!!! Log onto <u>TreeRing.com</u> and enter our school code: 1012950269392300. Contact Mrs. Tyndall with any questions.

<u>Cheerleading News:</u> We are currently in a search for a new cheerleading coach to work with Tiffany Dineen. If you are interested, or can recommend someone who is kind, patient, Safe-Haven Certified, willing, and has experience in Cheerleading, please contact the office. Thank you!

## **Upcoming Events:**

- October 4 NO MASS, The priests will be on retreat.
- October 4 Ecology Club Italian Ice sale. Items \$1.00.
- October 5 & 6 Mr. Bill McKenzie will come for special tutoring sessions to 8<sup>th</sup> grade for PSAT preparation.
- October 6 First Friday Adoration.
- October 6 Halloween Bake Sale during the lunches. Each item \$.50 limit 2 per customer
- October 11 PSAT October for 8<sup>th</sup> graders in the CLC beginning 8:15 a.m.
- October 11 Villanova University Band special presentation1:00 p.m. in the CLC. Parents are welcome to attend.
- October 13 K Pumpkin Pandemonium
- October 13 Middle School Halloween Dance in the cafetorium
- October 17 TASTE OF THE TOWN! 11:30 am dismissal.
- October 18 No School.

"God loves those who thank Him even in suffering."

— St. Arnold Janssen

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