
Sacred Sparks Weekly Newsletter 25

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Happy Thursday afternoon families,

This Sunday's readings remind us that God sees beyond appearances and calls us to walk in His light. As we journey through the Fourth Week of Lent, may our hearts be opened like the blind man's in John's Gospel, ready to recognize Christ at work in our lives. In classrooms this week, we'll reflect on Romans 8:11 — "*The Spirit of him who raised Jesus from the dead is living in you*" — a powerful promise of hope and encouragement as Easter draws near.

March End-of-Day Prayer Journals

- Examen of St. Ignatius
 - Become aware of God's presence and quiet your mind.
 - Review the day with gratitude.
 - Pay attention to your emotions throughout the day and what they stemmed from.
 - Choose one feature of the day—positive or negative—and pray from it, seeking understanding and guidance from God.
 - Conclude by looking toward tomorrow; ask for God's help in facing potential temptations, challenges, & opportunities, and commit to living in joyful surrender & alignment with His will.
- "ARRR" Pirate Prayer

- **A**cknowledge God's presence in your heart.
- **R**elate to God by sharing your thoughts, feelings, and desires.
- **R**eceive God's response, which may come through Scripture or thought.
- **R**espond to what you have received, committing to actions or intentions based on time in prayer.

Classroom Scripture

- *“And if the Spirit of him who raised Jesus from the dead is living in you, he who raised Christ from the dead will also give life to your mortal bodies because of his Spirit who lives in you”* (Romans 8:11).
- You are encouraged to pray and discuss the verse as families!

No School

- Monday, March 16

Current School Choice Period

- Sunday, March 1 - Friday, March 20

School Stations of the Cross

- Fridays 2:45 p.m. - 3:15 p.m. during Lent

No Mass, Rosary

- Friday, March 13
- Friday, March 20
- Tuesday, March 24
- Friday, March 27

Lenten Book Giveaway

- Ends Palm Sunday.
- Books on back pew in narthex @ Sacred Heart.
- Thank you, Becky & Sue!

Girls' Faith Group

- 5th-8th grade girls
- Tuesdays from March 3 - March 24, 4:30 p.m. - 7:30 p.m.
- Dinner is provided!
- To join:
 - Becky - rblz593@hotmail.com / (608) 317-4820
 - Missy - twizzlrs411@msn.com / (608) 633-5723

Cupboard & Closet Donation Competition

- Unused, any size personal care items (deodorant, shampoo, lotion, etc.)
- Until Easter Break (March 31)
- Competition between grade levels!

St. Pat's Dance

- Saturday, March 14, 5:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.
- Cashton Community Hall
- Volunteer sign up:
 - Emailed via Flocknote
 - Paper copy in last week's take-home folder

Sacred Heart School Shirts for Sale

- Order & purchase in school office
 - Youth short sleeve \$18
 - Youth long sleeve \$21
 - Adult short sleeve \$23

Spring Coffee Sale

- Sale open through the end of the school year

Housekeeping Reminders

- Check child(ren)'s assignment notebook regularly
- Return take-home folder to school every week

Upcoming Events

- Stations of the Cross: *Fridays during Lent (see Parish website for details)*
- Lenten Book Giveaway: *Wednesday, February 25 - Sunday, March 29*
- Cupboard & Closet Donation Competition: *Friday, February 27 - Easter Break*
- 2nd School Choice Application Period: *Sunday, March 1 - Friday, March 27*
- Girls' Faith Group: *Tuesdays from March 3-March 24, 4:30pm-7:30pm SH*
- St. Pat's Dance: *Saturday, March 14, 5-9pm, Cashton Community Hall*
- No School: *Monday, March 16*
- Fr. Matthew Vacation: *Monday, March 23 - Friday, March 27*
- Fr. Weller Visits to Celebrate Mass: *Wednesday, March 25, 10:00am SH*
- St. Augustine Smorgasbord: *Saturday, March 28*

Well, if you had forgotten, this week was a sure reminder we indeed live in Wisconsin--what jumpy weather we've had. I hope Monday is pleasant, so you can enjoy some time outdoors on your day off. I pray you enjoy your weekend together as families and rest up well. We will see the students back on **Tuesday**.

In the hearts of Jesus, Mary, and Joseph,
Fr. Matthew

As a Catholic apostolate devoted under the patronage of His Sacred Heart, we live for and serve Jesus as His disciples and friends. The mission of Sacred Heart School is, through our families who are fully invested in their child(ren)'s growth, to prepare the hearts of our students with care in their spiritual, human, intellectual, and communal formation for their encounter with the challenges of the world, confidently knowing that God always loves them.



Sent by Paige Hoeft

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