



St. Peter Catholic School
(A Mission of the Transfiguration of the Lord Catholic Church)
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Parent Newsletter #20

January 22, 2020

We hope everyone enjoyed a nice extended weekend and are refreshed with a short school week on tap. We are gearing up for a great week of activities and events as we celebrate Catholic Schools this upcoming week. This special time of year allows us to celebrate what makes our school unique and we want to celebrate those attributes with all of you. Our theme for the week is “Joining Hands to Serve” and each day we will be recognizing a special aspect of our mission. Attached you will find a schedule of all of the events we have planned for the week. As you will notice, we are celebrating vocations on Thursday and we have decided to invite parents to share their vocations with the students. If you would be interested in sharing your vocation with your child(ren)’s class, please indicate at the bottom of this newsletter. We would also like to invite everyone to attend our school-wide prayer circle in the gymnasium at 8:15 on Tuesday as we celebrate our community. Mrs. Laurie Vent, Superintendent of Upper Sandusky Schools will also be our January Leadership Academy guest speaker on Tuesday and will speak to our students at noon. There are so many things to be thankful for and to celebrate and we want to include all of you in our celebration. Thanks again for choosing to be a part of our family and we hope to see you this week!

Just Wanted You to Know:

- Kindergarten registration is now open for next year’s incoming students. In order to be eligible, a child must be five years old by August 1st. Screening will take place on Tuesday, April 14th. Please contact the school at 419-294-1395 to register or stop by and pick up a registration form.
- Pre-K questionnaires were sent out Friday to gauge interest in different scheduling options. These questionnaires will help us determine how we will proceed next year and whether or not we will be able to open a 3-year old program. If you received a questionnaire, please return them as soon as possible so we can begin our Pre-K registration process.
- There are still plenty of “For the Love of Pete” tickets available for purchase so please contact the school office if you would like to purchase one for next month’s drawing which will take place on February 4th.
- The St. Peter School Parent Team will be hosting a Father-Daughter, Mother-Son Valentine’s Dance on Friday, February 7th. Tickets for the event are now on sale so please see attached flyer for more details.
- Winter MAP testing took place this week and we are happy to report that our scores have increased since the fall! This is a great sign that your child(ren) are on the right track and

are increasing their academic skills and knowledge as they move closer to the Spring MAP testing and the end of the school year. Keep up the good work at home!

- Reminder that semester tuition is due January 30th. Please contact the office with any questions or concerns.
- Our annual St. Peter School Auction event will take place on Saturday, March 14th in the St. Peter School gymnasium. Please help spread the word on this fantastic event.
- St. Peter School spirit wear is available for purchase. Please see the school website for more information and contact us if you wish to purchase any spirit wear. The school receives a portion of every sale so please consider purchasing some great looking apparel.
- Our Catholic Schools Week Youth Mass will take place on January 26th at 10:30 in Upper.
- St. Peter School has teamed up with the Leukemia and Lymphoma Society to raise money for blood cancer research. To help raise funds, we will be having a “Pie in the Pucker” contest through the duration of Catholic Schools Week. Students can bring in loose change and put money in the jar of the person they would like to see get a “pie in the pucker”. The lucky “winner” will be announced on Friday morning. This is intended to be a fun event for the students that will help raise funds for a great cause.
- We will be hosting an Open House to kickoff Catholic Schools Week following the 10:30 Mass on Sunday, January 26th. All parishioners and community members are invited to attend this event to help us celebrate our fantastic school and mission.
- The K of C will be hosting a pancake and sausage breakfast on January 26th at St. Peter School following 10:30 Mass. The CLC will also be holding a bake sale on this date as well. All proceeds will benefit St. Peter School. Hope to see you all there!
- Good luck this week to the 5/6th grade boys basketball team at 12:30 at OLC; 5th grade boys at 12:30 at Bellevue; 3/4th grade girls at 11:20 at OLC and Sunday at 2:00 at OLC

Quote of the Week: “Lord, grant that I may always desire more than I can accomplish.” ~ Michelangelo

____ I have read Parent Letter #20

____ I would be willing to share my vocation with my child(ren)’s classroom on Thursday, January 30th at _____ (preferred time).

Signature: _____

Date: _____