Weekly Newsletter

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For the Week of April 10, 2017

Thought for the week: "April hath put a spirit of youth in everything."

~William Shakespeare

Last Week in Review:

- Archbishop Kurtz announced that Fr. Lou Meiman will be the new pastor of St. Leonard/St. Frances of Rome Clustered Parishes beginning in late June! We will be hosting farewells for Fr. BJ at both parishes in June as well as a welcome to Fr. Lou. Please watch for details about these events in upcoming newsletters and emails.
- Congratulations to the following 2nd and 7th grade students who were honored by Mayor Fisher for their winning "Trashformation" sculptures and instruments at the Louisville Zoo last week:
 - Elise M., Individual Musical Instruments—a pink ukulele from a tissue box and rubber bands
 - Aiden W. and Caiden S., Collaborative Musical Instrument—a guitar made from a cardboard shoe box and rubber bands
 - Alaina L., Nia G. and Avery M., Collaborative Sculpture—a Wall-E robot model from soda bottles, toilet paper rolls, plastic bowls, and foam
 - o Nathan I. and Reece C., Collaborative Musical Instrument—maracas from Coke cans and popsicle sticks
- Our Wake-2-Walk/Rise-2-Run program has had over 60 students plus parents join us each Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday morning! The following students participated all 14 days for the month of March: Tarik C., Megan L. Elise M., Michael R., Michael M., Riley N., AJ Z., Tussa D., Frankie Y., Dia C., Sterling C., Eliza D., Cooper J., Stella M., Brooke M. The following students have walked all 32 days since our program began in mid-January: Tarik C., Elise M., Michael M., Frankie Y., Dia C., Sterling C., Stella M., Brooke M.
- Hats off to the following students who earned HAT honors for the month of March: Tarik C., Makenzie E., Ian F., Sarah R., Jack G., Kaiden H., Hank K., Nelson C., Megan L., Elise M., Lucy P., Kate R., Michael R., JJ S., Madeline G., Riley N., Leo R., Gaby S., Colton H., Frankie Y., Dia C., Sterling C., Lilly P., Cooper J., Zachary S., Isabella B., Kaelyn D., Nia G., Anna G., Alaina L., Megan L., Avery M., Matthew B., Grace B., Grant C., Rachel P., Cedric S.
- Congratulations to this week's Rafflemania winners: Matthew Krieger, Kevin McLaughlin, Gail Boggs, Damion Kline, Jo Kern
- S.T.A.R. STUDENTS: We are proud of all our S.T.A.R. ticket students! The following were our weekly winners: Isaiah S., Bentley R., Kate R., Morgan K., Michael S., Abby R., Harmony S., Owen M., Reece C., Megan F.

The Week Ahead: Holy Week

Monday, 4/10

- K-1 and Buddies Easter Egg Hunt, 2:00
- Cafeteria Planning Meeting, Cafeteria, 5:30 pm

Tuesday, 4/11 CRS Rice Bowls due

- 5-8 Honor Roll Awards, following 8:30 mass
- 4th Grade to Slugger Museum
- STEM Makers Club, 3:00-4:00
- Daisy Scouts, 5:30-6:30

Wednesday, 4/12

• 2nd Grade First Eucharist Plate Painting, Heritage Room, 10:45

Thursday, 4/13 Holy Thursday

- Marketing Committee Meeting, Library, 7:30 am
- STEM Makers Club, 3:00-4:00

Friday, 4/14 Good Friday, Noon Dismissal

Stations of the Cross, 11:00

Saturday, 4/15

Frankfort Avenue Easter Parade, 11:00

Sunday, 4/16 Easter Sunday

Easter Egg Hunt, Soccer Field, 11:00

Monday, 4/17 Easter Monday, NO SCHOOL















Did you know??... Our first and seventh grade buddies have been meeting weekly during Lent to actively participate in this most holy season. They have made Lenten pretzels, made "stained glass" crosses to hang in the windows, and participated in a prayer service blessing based on their five senses. They will continue to meet through Easter.

SUPPORTING LIFELONG SCHOLARS

- SCHOOL WILL NOT BE IN SESSION EASTER MONDAY, APRIL 17th. We will use our built-in snow day to spend some extra time with our families over the Easter holiday. Our last day of school will be Thursday, May 25th.
- Please return your family's CRS Rice Bowl collections to school by this Tuesday morning. These will be offered during the school mass.
- The 2nd trimester 5-8th grade Honor Roll awards will be presented following the 8:30 school mass on Tuesday.
- There will be **no doughnut sales on Good Friday, April 14**th. Please join us for doughnuts again on April 21st.
- Please join us as we walk in the Frankfort Avenue Easter Parade on Saturday, April 15th. We will meet at the corner of Frankfort Avenue and Crescent Avenue at 11:00 am. Remember to wear your bunny ears or floppy hat! Children and families of all ages are invited to represent SLS Preschool and School—you can even decorate a wagon for the younger children. Or cheer us on as we pass you on the sidelines of the parade route!
- All children in grades PreK-5th are invited to our Easter Egg Hunt after 10:00 am mass on Easter Sunday, April 16th on the soccer field! If there is inclement weather, the hunt will be held in the gym. Donations of a bag of candy (individual pieces small enough to fit in an egg are greatly appreciated). Please send them to the school office to the attention of Fran Mastropaolo. Thanks, and see you there!!
- Doing some spring cleaning?? Please save your children's outgrown toys, baby care items/furniture, etc. for our upcoming "Grow Out Sale" to be sponsored by the 8th grade class. Watch for emails with more details to come.
- St. Leonard will be hosting an Electronics Recycling and Paper Shredding Event from 9:00 am-Noon on Saturday, April 29th in the school parking lot. There is no cost, however monetary donations for the school's Science/STEM programs will be gladly accepted!

HOLY WEEK SERVICES/MASS SCHEDULE

St. Leonard

Holy Thursday Mass, 7:00 pm Good Friday, Stations of the Cross 11:00 am (school) 3:00 pm (parish) Holy Saturday Easter Vigil, 4:30 pm Easter Sunday Mass, 10:00 am

St. Frances of Rome

Holy Thursday Prayer Service, 8:30 am Good Friday Prayer Service, 8:30 am Good Friday, The Passion, 7:00 pm Holy Saturday Easter Vigil, 8:00 pm Easter Sunday Mass, 8:30 am, 10:00 am

SAFETY PATROL DUTIES

Week of April 10th

AM

Carpool Assist:

Mattingly C.

Brooke M.

Flag and Cones

Gracelyn M.

Meaghan W.

PM

Flag and Cones:

Matthew W.

Kiley Y.

April Calendar of Events

Apr 11 CRS Rice Bowls Due
Apr 11 Grade 4 to Slugger Museum
Apr 14 Stations of the Cross

K-1/7-8 Buddies Easter Egg Hunt

Apr 14 Noon Dismissal

Palm Sunday

Apr 15 Frankfort Avenue Easter Parade

Apr 16 Easter

Apr 9

Apr 10

Apr 16 Easter Egg Hunt Grades PreK-5 Apr 17 Easter Monday—NO SCHOOL Apr 18 Grades 2-3 and Prayer Partners

Apr 19 Grade 5 to JA BizTown

Apr 20 K-3 Zoo Trip

Apr 20 1:00 Dismissal

Apr 21 Grade 8 to SHSA "Aladdin"

Apr 25 Grades 5-6 to Squire Boone Caverns

Apr 28 K-4 Character Day

Apr 29 E-Cycling Event Apr 29 First Eucharist

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