



St. Dorothy

ROMAN CATHOLIC SCHOOL

Spiritual, Academic, Moral Preparation for the 21st Century

Principal's Newsletter

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Dear Families,



Then little children were brought to Jesus for him to place his hands on them and pray for them. But the disciples rebuked those who brought them. Jesus said, "Let the little children come to me, and do not hinder them, for the kingdom of heaven belongs to such as these." Matthew 19: 13-14

The joy this week's Octoberfest is bringing to our children is infectious and uplifting. All around me, I hear the children talking and laughing about the rides and asking me if I'm going on the Zipper (I'm sure you know my answer to that!). In listening and talking to the children, I am reminded that we can experience the beauty of life through the simplest of things.

Blessing of Animals

Don't forget to bring your pets to the parking lot on Sunday, October 9. Father Murphy will bless them from 12:30 – 1:30.

Winter Uniform

Beginning Monday, October 10, the students are to wear their formal uniform, consisting of white shirt, tie, grey slacks for boys in grades 1-8 and blouse and jumper for girls 1-4 and blouse and skirt for girls 5-8.

Classroom Spotlight

K students had an exciting week! The chick eggs hatched and the students were able to watch the entire process. The chicks will leave tomorrow but the students were able to watch them parade around the floor.





On October 4, the feast day of St. Francis of Assisi, Father Murphy and Bear visited the Kindergarten students. The students brought in pictures of their pets or stuffed animals and Father blessed them.



More Swimmers Needed

Malvern Prep grade school swim meet is on November 13, 2016 @ 12:30pm. All boys in grades

4-8 that go to St. Dorothy School are welcome to participate. Please email Donna McGann if your son is interested. dmfm427@verizon.net.

Grandparents/Special Persons' Day – grs. 5-8

This day October 20, when we celebrate those special people in our lives, is fast approaching. The day will begin at 9:30 in Church with a prayer service.

Invitations will be sent out shortly.

FIRST FRIDAY LITURGY
 9:00 A.M. – October 7
JOIN US IF YOU ARE FREE

High School Night

If you are interested in acquiring information about Archdiocesan and private high schools come to our gym next Thursday, October 13, beginning at 6:30 p.m. Representatives from a variety of high schools will be available to answer any questions you may have.

Prayer Corner

It appears our prayers for good Octoberfest weather were answered, so let's say a prayer of thanksgiving. Next week, the following families will be remembered in our prayers:

- 10/10 Connor, Contreras, Corcoran
- 10/11 Cornibe, Corr, Cosentino
- 10/12 Cowman, Cox, Cratin
- 10/13 Criswell, Danese, D'Antonio
- 10/14 Davenport, Davis (Danielle), Davis (Patrick)