



Saint Nicholas School 762 Fifth Street, Struthers, Ohio 44471

January 2019

## **CATHOLIC SCHOOLS WEEK**

### **Learn, Lead, Serve, Succeed**

We will kick off Catholic Schools Week on Saturday, January 26th with Open House from 12:00-2:00pm in the school and continue the celebration as the Moms' and Dads' Club will be hosting a "CARNIVAL" in the Great Hall from 1:00-3:00pm. The week will be filled with activities to continue our Catholic Schools celebration at St. Nicholas School.

We thank the Moms' & Dads' Club for our Pajama Christmas Breakfast and grades K-5 treat to Miracle on Easy Street. Grades 6,7,8 will be treated to a Phantom Hockey Game on Wednesday, March 27.

Our Moms' and Dads' Club is the best. They support activities for the students and projects in the school. Everything they do is for our kids. They finance many of the added features you see in and around the school. Our security cameras was a huge undertaking.

## **FISH FRYs**

Our Lenten Fish Frys are the best in town! It takes a lot of work and helping hands. All of our students benefit from the profits and it would be nice to see every family help in some way.

Our Fish Frys are all on Fridays, but we can also use help on Thursday evenings setting up and doing some early prep. We need cakes and pop donated each week. There is always a way to help! These are the dates of the Fish Frys. Let us know when and how you can help. We thank you ~ your kids thank you!

**March 8th, 15th 22nd, 29th**

**April 5th, April 12th**

## **FOOD PROGRAM**

We are happy to announce a reduction in breakfast and lunch pricing beginning the month of February for those who pay full price.

**Breakfast: \$1.25      Lunch: \$3.00**

## **BASKETBALL FREE THROW**

The Knights Of Columbus will sponsor the annual Basketball Free Throw at the Great Hall on Friday, January 18th beginning at 12:15. All students age 9 to 14 are permitted to participate providing they return the Free Throw Championship entry form signed by their parent or guardian that was sent home this week. The school winners will move on to regional competitions and those winners will move on to the state competition.

## **RE-REGISTER**

The time is coming to re-register. Forms need to be returned as soon as possible. EdChoice and EdChoice Expansion opens up February 1st. Our goal is to have existing students with scholarships renewal applications in by February 28th. Students living in Youngstown City Campbell City and Austintown 3rd-5th school districts are eligible to apply for scholarships. Don't wait, secure your seat.

## **TARDY**

Students coming late continues to get worse by the day. When a student is tardy, they disrupt the office and the classroom while their teacher has to go back to the morning process of collecting and documenting for each student who comes in late. Interrupting the instruction of other students is hardly fair or acceptable. Please make effort to have students to school on time.

## **SCHOOL POLICIES**

Uniforms, jewelry, nail polish, makeup and hair styles are out of control. The policies are in the handbook which is distributed in August. When in doubt, call the office. A new detention slip for violations is being implemented.

## **MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR DAY**

In honor of Martin Luther King Jr. there is no school on Monday, January 21st. Martin Luther King, Jr. was a man of peace. "He was famous for using nonviolent resistance to overcome injustice. He also did all he could to make people realize that "all men are created equal." Because of his great work, in 1964 King received the Nobel Peace Prize -- the youngest person ever to receive this high honor." Let us instill his peaceful nature in our children, in our world.