

March 24, 2017

Dear Families,

Hello! I am writing this letter to inform you of the latest news at St. James Parochial School. You may also find this letter on our St. James Website.

- We will be having an Administrative Review of the Child Nutrition Program operating in the St. James School. The on-site review will take place on May 2-4th. Karen Light, our cafeteria coordinator, is in the process of completing numerous documents pertaining to the Child Nutrition Program. More information will be forthcoming.
- A special thanks to Charlene Marshall and Sarah Hendrick for chairing the Yankee Candle Fundraiser. Ashley Whittenberg received a \$50 Big Y gift card. Kaiden Lopez was the highest seller with \$1039 in sales. Mrs. Brown's class had the highest participation rate and her class will receive an ice cream party. Congratulations!
- March 30, 2017 is a Dress Down Day!!
- An academic awards assembly will take place on March 31st in our school gym beginning at 9 AM.
- April 7th is our Friday Mass. Grade 5 students will be preparing for the Mass. Students must wear Mass attire. Please remember your red ties. In addition, there will be a Mass in memory of Mrs. Joyal's father who passed away on March 14th. Student Council will be planning the Mass. Father John scheduled a school-wide Mass on Thursday, March 30th at 9 A.M. Children must wear Mass attire. Thank You.
- St. James Wine Tasting is being held at Allen Tree Farm on April 22, 2017. Please see Becca Zachow and Alison Fabiano for information. We have flyers in the main office.
- St. James School Memorial Golf Tournament is scheduled for May 24, 2017. Please see Jay Long and Joe Beaudreault for more information.
- If you need financial assistance, please complete the yellow form in your packet of registration materials. The paper work is due to the main office by April 7th. This is confidential information. Please complete the form so Deacon Rene and I can assist you in any way possible. Thank you.
- Raffle tickets will be available soon. Deacon Rene indicated at the parent meeting that whatever you sell, the amount will be deducted from your tuition. The main office will record all information on ticket sales.
- On April 6, 2017, Father Greg Galvin will be speaking to the 7th and 8th grade students on vocations in the school gym at 10:00 A.M. You are cordially invited to attend.
- On March 22, 2017, Mrs. LaPointe and I attended the annual Catholic Spelling Bee. We had 3 students who represented St. James School. They are super champions!!!! In Grade 4, Gianna Papavasiliou won 1st place. In Grade 5, Joshua Long won 2nd place. Joshua was the only male student in his group. In Grade 6, Donovan Hendricks won 1st place. Gianna and Donovan will be going to the States Spelling Bee Championship in New Haven next month. Congratulations!!!!

Happy Spring! If you have questions or concerns, please contact the main office. Have a good weekend!

Sincerely,

Linda Marie Joyal/Principal