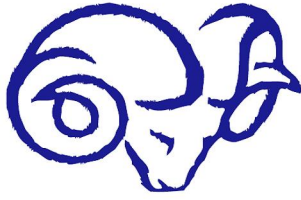


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March 6, 2019

UPCOMING EVENTS

March 2019

6 - Mass 5th Grade Wednesday - AT NOON
7 - 7:00PM McMinnville Wine & Food Classic
Volunteer Meeting—Evergreen Space Museum
8 - 11:30AM Dismissal—Extended Care Available
8 - McMinnville Wine & Food Classic 3:00-9:00PM
9 - McMinnville Wine & Food Classic 11:00-8:00PM
10- McMinnville Wine & Food Classic 12:00-5:00PM
13 - 8:30AM Mass 2nd/3rd Grade
14 - PI Day 4th & 5th Grade
20 - 8:30AM Mass 1st Grade
21 - Principal/Pastor Lunch
25-29 – No School - Spring Break

April 2019

3 - 8:30AM Mass 5th Grade
10 - 8:30AM Mass 4th Grade
11 - Parents Club Meeting 6:30 pm
15 -19 - Holy Week
17 - 8:30AM Mass 2nd/3rd Grade
19 - Passion Play
21 - Easter
22 - Easter Monday No School
24 - 8:30AM Mass Kindergarten Grade
25-26 Spring conferences
26 Spring conferences - No School

School wide Learning Expectations

RESPONSIBLE CITIZEN

Makenna W

EFFECTIVE COMMUNICATOR

Michael G 2 & 3rd Grades

LIFE LONG LEARNER

FAITHFUL CHRISTIAN

Emmanuel M-C	Sequoia W	Elizabet O
Eduardo B-M x2	Mack R	Ana M
Chloe S	Aaron R	Avery H

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2019-2020 Registration

Registration forms are now available in the Wednesday folders. If you are in need of Tuition Assistance the deadline this year is **March 22nd**. *Even if you are not sure, please apply.*

If you will be applying of Parishioner Status, the deadline is May 1st with all of your registration paperwork.

These new registration forms are NOT online yet. Please let the office know if you need another copy. See Mrs. Rolison or Mrs. Lonergan if you have any questions.



School wide Learning Expectations for February 2019.

Please join Principal Lonergan and

Fr. Mike March 21st for lunch.

Kindergarten - Cesar F
Kindergarten – Madyson T
Kindergarten – Luke S
Kindergarten – Julian G
1st Grade - Hadley P
1st Grade - - Makenna W

Extended Care Phone Number 503-437-8930. Please call this number during extended care hours to speak with Mrs. Chapman.

Principal's Letter



Dear Saint James Families,

Today, we begin our 2019 Lenten journey of faith with the celebration of Ash Wednesday. I want to share a suggested checklist that I found at www.catholicicing.com that your family may use to prepare for Easter over the next six weeks.

Checklist for Preparing your Family for Lent:

- Figure out what you're giving up. (Even though giving something up for Lent is traditional, you can also do *extra* of stuff too, such as saying extra prayers, going to Adoration, or attending daily Mass.)
- Think of Prayer, Fasting, Almsgiving – how are we going to more of these things during this season?
- Lenten countdown calendar of some kind (There are infinite ways to count down the 40 days of lent. You could print my calendar, make a paper chain, count almsgiving pennies, use a crown of thorns – seriously endless possibilities!)
- Ash Wednesday plans (Ash Wednesday is a great day to attend Mass with as a family!)
- Almsgiving (You could make an offering box for Lent with your kids)
- Go to Confession (Check your church's schedule and put it on the calendar.)
- Go shopping for meatless-meal groceries and simple foods (Obviously don't eat meat on Fridays during lent or on Ash Wednesday).
- Stations of the cross activities
- Pray the Rosary (Especially the sorrowful mysteries during Lent)
- Put out decorations for Lent such as putting a crucifix more centrally located
- Holy Week/Easter plans can hold their horses. We need to observe Lent first.

Registration materials for next school year were sent home in your child's Wednesday folder, please review, complete, and submit as soon as possible. It is difficult to plan for our school program next year without knowing what projected enrollment will be.

Wine and Food Classic & SIP fund raiser is this coming weekend, remember to complete your volunteer hours and remind family and friends to attend.

Belated thank you to Luis Figueroa and Candice Robben for chairing the first annual Gala/Wine Maker's Dinner this past February, as well as all the volunteers who helped make this event enjoyable and successful. Proceeds after expenses brought new revenue to our school.

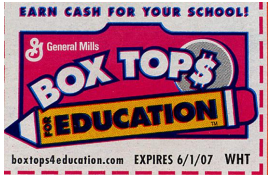
Wishes of gratitude are also extended to McMinnville Community Media for recording our 5th grade PI day announcements. These will run between local televised segments on channel 11 for Comcast users and channel 29 for Frontier users.

Blessed Wishes for a Faith-filled Lenten Journey!

Sandy Lonergan

Fundraising!

Here are some of the ways you can help the school raise money!







We have soda can and plastic bottle recycling center by the back door. Boxtops can be handed in to Mrs. Rolison in the School Office.

Forget Selling! Start Shopping!



Scrip makes fundraising a breeze. You won't have to worry about selling a thing!

To fundraise with scrip, all you have to do is continue making your everyday purchases. Instead of paying with cash, credit, or check, you purchase gift cards to your favorite retailers. These gift cards carry a rebate that goes towards our non-profit organization. The rebates can add up quickly. Take a look to see how much you can raise per year just by shopping:

How Much Can I Raise Per Year?					
  	Average Contribution	Spending Per Month	Contribution Per Year		
<i>Grocery</i>	4 %	\$600	\$288		
<i>Gas</i>	3 %	\$345	\$124		
<i>Dining Out</i>	8 %	\$100	\$96		
<i>Fast Food</i>	8 %	\$120	\$115		
<i>Clothing & Accessories</i>	8 %	\$160	\$153		
<i>Home Improvement</i>	4 %	\$130	\$62		
<i>Online Shopping</i>	10 %	\$85	\$102		
<i>Movies/Books/Gadgets</i>	5 %	\$60	\$36		
TOTAL		\$1,600	\$976		
20 Families			\$19,520		
50 Families			\$48,800		
100 Families			\$97,600		

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