



## **Campus Connection**

**Issue #21**

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### **Mission Statement**

Waukesha Catholic instills faith and inspires futures by nurturing each child's gifts with an education rooted in the Gospel values and a culture of community, compassion, and love.

## **This Coming Week**

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**February 15 & 16** - No School, teacher in-service

**February 17** - Last day to order 4 P's for March

**February 19** - Scrip order

**February 20** - Noodles Night on Sunset 10:30 a.m. - 10:00 p.m. (flyer needed), Board of Directors' meet at 6:00 p.m.

**February 21** - Non-uniform day

## **Kovaleski's "Key" Notes**

Dear Parents:

### ***Fasting Forward- Lent 2018***

Students will be involved in a number of activities focusing on prayer, reflection and alms-giving during the Lenten Season.

- **Alms-giving:** St. Vincent de Paul
- **Stations of the Cross:**
  - St. Mary Campus- 2:15 p.m. on February 23rd, March 2nd, 16th, 23rd
  - St. Joseph Campus- 11:10 a.m. on February 22nd, March 5th, March 22nd
- **Reconciliation:**
  - St. Joseph Campus- February 27th 8:45 a.m.
  - St. Mary Campus- February 20th 9:00 a.m.

This year's Lenten almsgiving will be going towards helping the poor and vulnerable through St. Vincent de Paul. Each week has a different focus of *what your child can bring* to school as a donation, and *what you can do* together as a family to celebrate this holy season. Thank you in advance for helping in any way you can. Have a happy and blessed Lent!

### **2018 Lenten Calendar**

#### **Week of February 19th**

**What You Can Bring:** Please bring in non-perishable food items for families in need.

**What You Can Do:** Have dinner together every night this week to show God that you are grateful for His blessings of food and family.

#### **Week of February 26th**

**What You Can Bring:** Please bring in gently used books to donate to St. Vincent de Paul. Books for any age person will be accepted.

**What You Can Do:** Read together as a family during the week to show God that you are grateful for your blessings of family togetherness and education.

#### **Week of March 5th**

**What You Can Bring:** Please bring in toiletry/paper product donations. This could include (but is not limited to) the following items: toothpaste, toothbrushes, shampoo, conditioner, soap, deodorant, or floss. Paper towel, napkins, and toilet paper are also welcome.

**What You Can Do:** Spend the week trying to save water when you shower, do the dishes, do the laundry, etc... to show God that you are grateful for all of the resources He has given you.

#### **Week of March 12th**

**What You Can Bring:** There is nothing to be donated for this week of Lent. In school, students will make cards that will be handed out with gift cards that St. Vincent de Paul will give to those in need. These cards will serve the purpose of sharing God's love and joy with others.

**What You Can Do:** This week, make an effort to pray together as a family as much as you can. Thank God for all that he has given you and your family. You could also read your favorite Bible stories together to participate in some family fellowship.

#### **Week of March 19th**

**What You Can Bring:** Please bring in a cash donation or gift card donation of any amount. You could do this by emptying your change jars at home, or donate some unused gift cards to help the poor and vulnerable.

**What You Can Do:** As a family, you could make a Lenten sacrifice by not going out to dinner or to the movies and donate the money, that you would have spent on that outing, to the poor.

### **Rosary Prayer Chain for Lent**

We are inviting families to join together to pray the rosary. Each family commits to pray one decade of the Rosary every day of the Lenten season. Sign up below for a mystery and the corresponding decade that goes along with it. Pray it with your family every day, dedicating your decade for the deceased souls of the family and friends of those in our Rosary Prayer Chain, as well as the special intentions listed by members of the group. Go to the following link to sign up and say a decade of the rosary every day of Lent!

<http://www.signupgenius.com/go/9040b4ba9af2caa8-rosary>

Sincerely, Lisa Kovaleski

# **Weekly News**

### **Noodles Night**

The next Home & School Night will be held on Tuesday, February 20th. The Noodles on Sunset will donate 25% of your order from 10:30 a.m. to 10:00 p.m. A flyer is not needed, just tell them at check out that you are with Waukesha

Catholic.

### **Parent Volunteer Opportunity - Knights Trading Post Coordinator**

The Knights Trading Post Coordinator is responsible for overseeing the Knights Trading Posts portion of our PBIS program, with assistance from local coordinators at the St. William and St. Joseph Campuses. Currently, the Knights Trading Post Coordinator also fills the local position at St. Mary Campus.

Responsibilities include working with staff to determine appropriate prize levels for redemption of Knights Kash and determining the Knights Trading Post schedule. Additionally, this person coordinates volunteers to run the Knights Trading Post, purchases prizes, organizes items and donations for the Knights Trading Post, and restocks when necessary throughout the school year. This is a rewarding volunteer position that can work around your schedule!

If you would like to know more, or are interested in taking on this role, please contact Mr. Heinecke at 262-896-2930 x331 or [jheinecke@waukeshacatholic.org](mailto:jheinecke@waukeshacatholic.org).

### **Waukesha Catholic Board of Director's Meeting Notice**

The Waukesha Catholic Board of Directors advises, guides, and recommends policy for the administrative team of Waukesha Catholic. These meetings are "open meetings" and parents and parishioners are invited to attend in order to communicate with board members.

The following are the Board of Director meetings for the remainder of the 2017-18 school year. All meetings begin at 6:00 p.m. and are held in the Spanish classroom at St. Mary Campus.

February 20th, March 20th\*, April 17th, May 15th, and June 19th

\*On Tuesday, March 20, 2018 special arrangements have been made for you to meet with a board member from 5:30 - 6:00 p.m. Due to regulations set by the Wisconsin Parental Choice Program, students are also invited to attend.

## **Wisconsin Parental Choice Program**

### **Attention parents of students entering K4, K5, or 1<sup>st</sup> Grade (in the 2018-19 school year)**

Waukesha Catholic will continue to participate in the Wisconsin Parental Choice Program for the 2018-19 school year. The Wisconsin Parental Choice Program (WPCP) allows students to attend Waukesha Catholic, tuition free, if certain eligibility criteria are met (see below). Waukesha Catholic, on behalf of the pupil's parent or guardian, receives a state aid payment for each eligible student. That aid payment or "voucher" covers the entire cost of the eligible student's tuition.

The open application period to apply for the WPCP begins February 1st and goes until April 20th, 2018. Please review the criteria below to determine if your child would qualify for the Wisconsin Parental Choice Program.

[Go this this link for more information.](#)

## **STUDENT "SHOUT OUTS"**

### **Forensics**

Congratulations to the Waukesha Catholic Forensics team for their results at the St. Dominic Forensics Tournament this past weekend. The following students received trophies in their categories:

Lily Flaherty & Ashley Kurowski - Group Acting, 2nd Place  
Lauren Chyla & Audrey Fryda - Group Acting, 2nd Place

Tess Roubik, Elle Sheahan, Lucy Wilson - Group Acting, 3rd Place  
Allie Zabel & Sophia Kramer - Infomercial, 1st Place  
Oliver Kraklow - News Reporting, 1st Place  
Cameron Lenz - News Reporting, 2nd Place

In addition to the individual trophies, the team received FIRST PLACE OVERALL for the tournament! Great job team!

## We Hold in Prayer...

Please pray for Mike Ostrowski, grandfather to Isabella, who passed away. Please keep the Peychal family in your prayers.

Any members of the Waukesha Catholic School community that may be in need of our prayers.

## Catholic Community of Waukesha

**For Ash Wednesday & the Lenten schedule of services at the parishes [go to this link](#).**

### **Lent Opportunities**

The Catholic Community of Waukesha is offering a variety of opportunities for parish and school families this Lent. [Go to this link to see the list](#) and prayerfully consider participating in one or more of these faith enrichment activities.

## Community

### **Catholic Memorial High School**

- The CMH Winter Musical, "Nice Work If You Can Get It", is showing next weekend: February 15th, 16th & 17th at 7:00 p.m. and February 18th at 2:00 p.m. Buy tickets at the door or online at [www.catholicmemorial.net](http://www.catholicmemorial.net).
- Performing & Visual Arts shadow day is Friday, February 16th. All 7th & 8th graders are invited! See what a day is like as a student at CMH and participate in exciting activities focused on the arts! Sign Up at [www.catholicmemorial.net](http://www.catholicmemorial.net).

### **Links to Summer Camp Opportunities:**

Summer Camp Tuck:

[https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSdW4iUVK7uSA3GPOFMsMNAAbOgmwj\\_3lOzEZ0dctwSD-JbbfKw/viewform](https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSdW4iUVK7uSA3GPOFMsMNAAbOgmwj_3lOzEZ0dctwSD-JbbfKw/viewform).

Volleyball Camp:

[Coach Casey's Volleyball Camp Info](#), June 11-14

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No Campus page for St. Joseph Campus or St. Mary Campus

## **St. William Campus**

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### **Parents Celebration**

On February 23<sup>rd</sup> parents of all St. William Campus students are invited to join their students for a prayer service, refreshments, and classroom activities. Please return your response on **Monday** so we can plan accordingly.

Parents please go to the classroom of your youngest student when you arrive. Classes will be dismissed to the 9 a.m. prayer service. Following the service, families will be directed to the parish hall or to the classroom, then to switch locations after about twenty minutes. The morning visit will conclude at approximately 10:15 a.m.



### **Looking Ahead**

February 15/16 – No School Teacher In-service  
February 23<sup>rd</sup> – Parent Celebration