St. Joseph Catholic School



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St. Joseph School Families,

We demonstrated fortitude this week and we completed our first full week of school.

## Virtuous Minute:

Here is another connection to the virtue of <u>Honesty</u>. Please read about St. Jose Sanchez del Rio and watch the two short videos within this website.

### School Happenings:

We would like to welcome anyone to join the students in the church to pray the Rosary and Divine Mercy Chaplet. These opportunities will only take place on the days students are in school.

- Rosary: Thursdays @ 7:30am
- \_ Divine Mercy Chaplet: Fridays @ 7:30am

### **Important Dates:**

September 18th: Hearing/Vision Screening October 14, from 5:30-8:00pm: Chili Cookoff

# **Important News:**

Hearing/Vision Screening: Just a reminder, We are missing some student forms. If we do not receive the declination form back your child will be screened. If you need the forms, please let the office know. This is if you have a student in K, 1st, 2nd, 3rd, 4th, 5th, 7th grade. Date for screening is Monday, September 18th.

Road Project & Church Painting: The Village of Pewamo will be starting the construction project on East Street on September 25th and the hope is to have it completed by November 15. During this project we will not have any access to East Street. Please plan on parking in the North parking lot (for Mass) throughout the duration of this project. There has been a delay with having the exterior windows of the church painted so we will keep you posted as we know more. There may be entrances that are not accessible during this time. Please be mindful of signage. Thank you for your patience and understanding during both of these projects.

Apparel Sale: The yearly St. Joseph School apparel sale will open up this fall! The sale will again include many great St. Joseph School apparel items for both children and adults. As the sale nears, be on the lookout for announcements containing all of the sales information.

St. Joseph School PTO Chili Cook-Off: Will be October 14, from 5:30-8:00 pm. If you are interested in entering your Chili or donating a dessert, please contact Haley Weber at 517-896-5451 or pto@stjosephpewamo.org. There will be a cash reward for the best Chili in town! Cost for this event will be donation only. Please gather your friends and family to support our PTO! **School Board**: If you would like to attend one of the meetings but are not sure of the dates. You can view them <u>here</u>.

**Bike-A-Thon:** With your generous donations, we have raised a total of \$592.00 that will be going towards new playground/gym items.

**PW School Cookout:** Is hosting their first annual Community Cookout Today, September 15th, just prior to the first home varsity football game. Attached is the <u>flier</u>.

Lost and Found: If these are your items, please let the office know.

## **Upcoming Playground Supervisors:**

Devon Williams & Dale Winsor- Sept. 15, 18, 19 Parker Surbook, Tony Antes- Sept. 20, 21, 22 James Blyth, Ryan Cook- Sept. 25, 26, 27 View the full list <u>here.</u>

#### **Braves Athletics**

**Girls Volleyball:** If you would like to come and cheer on our Girls Volleyball team here is their <u>schedule.</u>

#### **Athletic Opportunities**

Punt, Pass, Kick: For grades K-5th, if your children are interested, here is more information.

**PW Girls Cheer Clinic:** has posted their event date. For grades BK-6th, you can look over the <u>information here.</u>

Thank you all for being a part of St. Joseph Catholic School, and I hope/pray that you have a blessed weekend with family!

Be Brave In Christ,

Ryan Weber

# School Mission

"St. Joseph School, staff, parents, and parish family are committed to teaching quality, Christ-centered Catholic beliefs and values. Our uniqueness is displayed in our staff dedication, parental involvement, and community pride, which make St. Joseph a leader in academic excellence, social integration and appreciation of each individual as a child of God."