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10/27/23

St. Joseph School Families,

## **Virtuous Minute:**

Click here for another connection to the virtue of <u>Patience</u>. This is a virtue that we are all familiar with and something we will oftentimes pray for more of.

## **Important Dates:**

October 27th: First Quarter Ends October 31st: Halloween Parade

November 1st: Picture Day

November 2nd: Report Cards come home November 3rd: No School - Teacher PD

November 15th: No School

November 22-24th: No School- Thanksgiving Break

**Picture Day:** You should have been getting emails regarding your child/ren picture forms to be filled out. Also, forms have been sent home in Friday folders (10/27) if you would like to do it on paper form. Students wear dress clothes that allow them to look nice for their pictures (Uniform clothing works well too).

**Halloween Parade:** Students will be able to bring in their Halloween Costumes on Tuesday, October 31. There will be candy rewards for the top 3 most creative costumes for grades Kindergarten to third and fourth to eighth. Please make sure that the costumes do not include any form of blood or weapon. Parents are welcome to attend at 2:20 pm to watch students parade in their costumes and to see who gets best dressed.

**UofM vs. Money Raised**: A huge thank you to the students and staff who donated towards Haiti. We raised over \$1,000, with State being the winner.

**Christmas Dance Class:** For children in Y5-3rd grade that want to learn a dance routine that is a beautiful expression of our life in Jesus. Natalie Reid will be teaching a 6 week dance session at The Ark in Westphalia. For more information and sign up, <u>click here.</u>

**Apparel Order:** Is now available to view and purchase at https://fabricatedcustoms.com/collections/st-joseph-fall-2023.

\* Pre- Orders will close on 10/31/23 at 8pm.

**Children's Choir:** Students in 3rd- 8th grade are welcome to join Mrs. Catherine Weber on Sunday, October 29th at the 10 o'clock mass to sing in the choir. If your child/ren would like to join, please <u>sign</u> <u>up here</u> and be at the church by 9:45am.

**Classroom Baskets:** Century Club is looking for parent volunteers to head up classroom baskets. Please contact Megan Winsor at (517)331-2513 if you are interested.

**Haunted Barn:** This spook-tacular annual Haunted Barn event is held at the home of Clayton & Olivia Nurenberg (10259 Kimball Rd, Pewamo) on October 28-29, 6-9pm.

**Teacher Emails**: If you are in need of a teacher's email. Please see the <u>spreadsheet</u>. Keep in mind the teachers email is their first initial followed by a period then last name @stjosephpewamo.org.

#### Moms Hot Lunch Menu:

November 1- Pizza November 8- Chef Salad November 29- Hot Ham & Cheese December 6- Pizza

## **Upcoming Playground Supervisors:**

Ned Mowatt, Chad Piggott- Oct. 30, 31 Nov.1 Jeremy Piggott, Neil Pline- Nov. 2, 6, 7 David Pohl, Nathan Pung- Nov. 8, 9, 10 View the full list <u>here.</u>

# **Braves Athletics**

**Boys Basketball:** If you would like to cheer on our boys here is the <u>5th/6th Grade</u> schedule & the <u>7th/8th Grade</u>. Good Luck Braves!

Have a great weekend and God Bless!

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."