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5/15 Last day of formal instruction 5/27 Drive Thru Graduation 7:00

5/28 Materials Drop Off Parade 3:00-6:30



Weekly Bulletin





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Ewan Jones 5/21
Mrs. Shore 5/21
Genevieve Lynch 5/20
Royal Kemp 5/19
Sophia Dixon 5/18
Demarius Anderson 5/18
Isla Novak 5/17
Brooklynn Whitehead 5/17
Jeremy Palmer 5/16
Mrs. Kirk 5/16
Lillian Velasquez 5/15

Kalynn Potter 5/31
Brennen Kinne 5/29
Mrs. Nagel 5/29
Koy Beasley 5/28
Mrs. Prough 5/28
Sarah Cooper 5/27
Camren Hamler 5/27
Kacie Baldock 5/26
My'kensea Smith 5/24
Renir Barton 5/23
Harleigh Perkins 5/22
Nina Jefferson 5/22



Try this for a fun activity on FunFriday: Quarantine Time Capsule. Here are some great ideas on things to put in to remind you of 2020:

https://louisvillefamilyfun.net/2020/04/quarantine-time-capsule-2020.html



Be an Emissary of Hope

In an email this past weekend, a friend remarked to me – "It's so unsettling how quickly and scary the world has suddenly become. And this isolation from one another makes it even worse!"

Those words express the feelings of many of us as we continue to face the COVID-19 situation, with all its uncertainty, inconvenience and economic impact. We wonder: *To whom do we tell our fears? In what do we place our hopes? Where do we find refuge?*

In the face of such questions I have been meditating on Psalm 46, especially the words of great encouragement in verses 1-2:

"God is our refuge and strength, an ever-present help in trouble. And so, we will not fear, though the earth give way and the mountains fall into the heart of the sea..."

It certainly feels to many as though the earth is giving way beneath us – nothing is the same as it was, and no one knows when or if things will go back to "normal." But with the Psalm writer we can be confident that God is faithful and that God is not surprised nor his plans frustrated by any of the events of this world. In and through all things, including COVID-19, God is working out His purposes, and we are urged to wait in patient hope. When the world around us is scary and we feel overwhelmed and helpless, Theologian Henri Nouwen's words in "The Way to the Heart" are particularly relevant:

"Small signs of friendliness can create so much joy. An unexpected note from a friend or the passing remark of a neighbor can make or break your day emotionally, even in times of inflation and recession, war and oppression. But how little do we use this knowledge?

What is easier than writing a thank you note, or sending a card "just to say hello" or to give a call "just to see how things have been"? Still, I realize that every time someone says, "I appreciated your note" or "Your words really helped" I feel my inner life being lifted up and the day seems brighter, the grass greener, the snow whiter than before. Indeed, the great mystery is that a small, often quite immaterial gesture can change my heart so much. The way to the heart always seems to be a quiet, gentle way."

In these days of "social distancing," "shelter in place" and quarantine, reaching out to encourage someone else is the best remedy to isolation, distress and fear. A note, a card, a call, even just a comment (and certainly a prayer!) can be a ray of sunshine into the heart of someone else. The inner life of another can be lifted up and their day can be made brighter by just a small effort on our part. Be an emissary of hope, reflecting the grace, mercy and love of God in the midst of troubled times.

Our Lady of Grace, Pray for Us!

Mark Friedman, CRE





Materials Drop Off Parade

We are hoping you are all doing well and staying safe. With the end of the school year approaching, we would like to invite you to the Materials Drop Off Parade on May 28 from 3:00-6:30.

Here is how it will work:

- ❖ Please put all materials which need to be returned to school (textbooks, technology, etc.) into a bag and label it with your child's name and grade. You can place a piece of paper inside the bag with this information or write it on the outside of the bag.
- ❖ When you arrive at school any time between 3:00-6:30, please pull through the drop off/pick up lane in the front of the building.
- ❖ When you reach the teachers, please hand the bag to them out the car window. When they have received the bag, please pull through and exit.
- ❖ For the safety of our staff and families, NO ONE SHOULD GET OUT OF THE CAR FOR ANY REASON.

Most of the teachers will be there to wave to kids and receive materials. Even if you do not have any materials to return to school, you are welcome to pull through the line and wave. This will be a great way for all of us to say our safe goodbyes until next year.

There will be another day later in the summer for students to pick up their materials from the building. We will send something out through Option C when this is scheduled.

If you have any questions about the materials which need to be returned to school, please email your child's teacher for clarification.



Meal Money Will Carry Over- Any money on your student's lunch account will automatically carry over to next school year. If you would like a refund of any pre-paid money, please email the cafeteria(clawson@olgcs.org).

Outstanding Balances- Emails will be going out to parents whose students have outstanding meal balances. Payments can be made on-line through K-12

Payment System or mailed in to the school with a check.

Graduating 8th Grade Accounts- Money remaining in graduating 8th grade accounts will automatically be transferred to a younger sibling in the same household. If there is no sibling, the cafeteria staff will be contacting 8th grade parents to make arrangements for a refund or to donate to a fund to help our families with student meal debt.



Reminder!!

In an effort to encourage everyone to finish the year strong, we will be moving up our **last** day of formal instruction to May 15th. During the week of May 18th, no new assignments will be given. The teachers will be available to Zoom, and the online learning sites in the Virtual School will still be active.

Students who have missing work should use this additional time to get it completed and turned in to the teachers. All work needs to be turned in by May 22 to receive credit.







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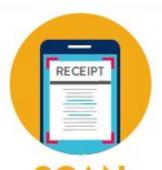


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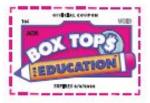
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