



Our Lady of Grace Catholic School

Expanding Minds • Growing Faith • Inspiring Service

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*Weekly Bulletin
2019*

September 5,



EdChoice Scholarship Information

Please read if your child receives the EdChoice Scholarship: Ohio EdChoice has informed Our Lady of Grace Catholic School some of the students have been awarded the EdChoice Scholarship. If your child has received this, they have also sent you an Acceptance Form which must be completed by you and handed in to the school in order to complete the scholarship process. If that is not done promptly, the State will terminate the scholarship and you will be responsible for the entire tuition (\$5,765.00).

A blank replacement Acceptance Form was sent home with your child today for you to complete and return to Our Lady of Grace (in person, through your child or by email to mdesmier@olgcs.org). Please return this tomorrow.

We will be sending out invoices for the above-mentioned tuition during the following week.

[CLICK HERE for Acceptance Form](#)

Picture Day is Coming!

Picture Day is:

Thursday, September 19, 2019

Picture Day ID:

EVT4G2P23

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Religious Education

Saint Teresa of Calcutta

Today is the memorial of Saint Mother Teresa of Calcutta, the tiny woman recognized throughout the world for her work among the poorest of the poor. Born on August 26, 1910 to Albanian parents in what is now Skopje, Macedonia, Gonxha (Agnes) Bojaxhiu was the youngest of the three children who survived. For a time, the family lived comfortably, and her father's construction business thrived. But life changed overnight following his unexpected death.

During her years in public school, Agnes showed a strong interest in the foreign missions. At age 18, she entered the Loreto Sisters of Dublin. It was 1928 when she said goodbye to her mother for the final time and made her way to a new land and a new life. The following year she was sent to the Loreto novitiate in Darjeeling, India. There she chose the name Teresa and prepared for a life of service. She was assigned to a high school for girls in Calcutta, where she taught history and geography to the daughters of the very wealthy. But she could not escape the realities around her—the poverty, the suffering, the overwhelming numbers of destitute people.

In 1946, while riding a train to Darjeeling to make a retreat, Sister Teresa heard what she later explained as “a call within a call. The message was clear. I was to leave the convent and help the poor while living among them.” She also heard a call to give up her life with the Sisters of Loreto and instead, to “follow Christ into the slums to serve him among the poorest of the poor.”

After receiving permission to leave Loreto, establish a new religious community, and undertake her new work, Sister Teresa took a nursing course for several months. She returned to Calcutta, where she lived in the slums and opened a school for poor children. Dressed in a white sari and sandals—the ordinary dress of an Indian woman—she soon began getting to know her neighbors—especially the poor and sick—and getting to know their needs through visits.

The work was exhausting, but she was not alone for long. Volunteers who came to join her in the work, some of them former students, became the core of the Missionaries of Charity. Others helped by donating food, clothing, supplies, and the use of buildings. In 1952, the city of Calcutta gave Mother Teresa a former hostel, which became a home for the dying and the destitute. As the order expanded, services were also offered to orphans, abandoned children, alcoholics, the aging, and street people.



For the next four decades, Mother Teresa worked tirelessly on behalf of the poor. Her love knew no bounds. Nor did her energy, as she crisscrossed the globe pleading for support and inviting others to see the face of Jesus in the poorest of the poor. In 1979, she was awarded the Nobel Peace Prize. On September 5, 1997, God called her home. Blessed Teresa was canonized a saint by Pope Francis on September 4, 2016.

Reflection

Mother Teresa's beatification, just over six years after her death, was part of an expedited process put into effect by Pope John Paul II. Like so many others around the world, he found her love for the Eucharist, for prayer, and for the poor a model for all to emulate.

Mark Friedman, CRE



Family Peer Support

a **FREE** Service for Our Lady of Grace Families

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- ⇒ **Helps Families with Community Resources**
(food, housing, educational, medical, mental health, etc.)
- ⇒ **Helps Identify and Achieve Goals**
(for yourself and your family)
- ⇒ **Finds Ways for Families to Get Involved**
(at school and in the community)
- ⇒ **Listens and Is Here for You**

Alone we can do so little;
together we can do so much.

Helen Keller

For more information, please contact:

Be Moore
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OLG PTO WEEKLY NEWSLETTER

Thursday September 5, 2019

OUR LADY OF GRACE

Mission Possible
#soar2serve



EAGLE WALK 2019

We are 1 month away! Volunteer and be part of the most fun day of the year!

- Student packets went home on Tuesday – if you need more sponsorship forms please let us know via email PTO@olgcs.org
- The deadline for volunteers to be VIRTUS trained is 10/1/2019 – it was misprinted in the packet!
- Next EAGLE WALK Committee meeting is Thursday September 12th 7pm at Los Panchos on Colerain Ave
- Sign up to volunteer via <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/5080B4EA5AE2BAAF94-eagle>
- Be on the lookout for weekly announcements and updates on the family FaceBook page!
- If you would like to purchase an Eagle Walk t-shirt, they are on sale for \$10 through our square app – please use this link: <https://squareup.com/store/olgoto>

DINE & DONATE

Our first Dine & Donate was such a great time and well supported! Thanks for supporting OLG!

BOX TOPS

We are collecting box tops!! The first turn in date for clipped tops is Friday September 6th. Don't forget to send in your box tops! If you have any questions, please contact Susan Wells via the PTO email – pto@olgcs.org

PTO MEETING REMINDER

Monday September 9th at 630p in the teacher's lounge!
Hope to see you there!



Our Lady of Grace Athletic Association

PANTHER FOOTBALL

PANTHERS 26 VICTORY 6

Our Lady of Grace's Highlight



Koy Beasley stretched the field, leading the team in touchdowns with 2 that included one for 38 yards and one for 57 yards.

GAME COMPARISON

	PANTHERS	VICTORY
TOTAL YDS	255	120
RUSH YDS	131	32
PASS YDS	124	76
PENALTIES	1	3
1ST DOWNS	12	8
3RD DOWN CONV	1-2	1-4
AVG YDS/PLAY	11.59	3.2
FUMBLES-LOST	1-1	1-0
SACKS	0	0
TFL	6	4
INTERCEPTIONS	0	0

#	Player	PASSING				RUSHING				RECEIVING				DEFENSE					
		C-A	YDS	TD	INT	ATT.	YDS	TD	LNG	AVG	REC	YDS	TD	LNG	AVG	TACKLES	SACK	INT	FF
1	Byrd, D				11	82	1	48	7.45	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0
2	Seymore, C														4	0	0	0	0
4	Reynold, K	5-9	124	3	0	1	5	0	5	5									
5	Beasley, K				1	-3	0	-3	-3	2	95	2	57	47.5	1	0	0	0	0
9	Schroer, J														1	0	0	0	0
10	Riep, N									1	14	0	14	14	0	0	0	0	0
12	O'Connor, B														1	0	0	0	0
13	Lee, J				1	30	0	30	30						3	0	0	0	0
15	Bigner, B														1	0	0	0	0
19	Buckle, A														4	0	0	0	0
20	Roberson, P														2	0	0	0	0
21	Daley, A														1	0	0	0	0
28	O'Connor, M														2	0	0	0	0
35	Welter, M														1	0	0	0	0
43	Kenny, E														2	0	0	0	0
47	Fredette, D														2	0	0	0	0
51	Bennett, T														2	0	0	0	0
52	Suer, Ja.														3	0	0	0	0
55	Limle, L														1	0	0	0	0
59	Kreider, F				3	17	0	8	5.7						2	0	0	0	0
63	Suer, Joe														1	0	0	0	0
66	Powell, C														1	0	0	0	0
98	Kerkhoff, C									1	14	1	14	14	3	0	0	0	0
99	Pippin, A														3	0	0	0	0

Players of the Week

Offense

Koy Beasley

Defense

Austin Buckle

Panther Award

(Player Voted)

Luke Hageman

Leader of the defense helped those around him learn the defense and motivated his fellow teammates.



FC CINCINNATI



2019 Our Lady Of Grace Night

Our Lady of Grace and FC Cincinnati are proud to partner together to present Our Lady of Grace Night. For more information on how to purchase tickets, please visit www.fc-cincinnati-olg-family-night.cheddarup.com.

FC CINCINNATI VS. CHICAGO FIRE SC
 SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 21 | 7:30 PM

SPECIAL PARTNER PRICING

2019 TICKETS

SPECIAL

FAMILY SECTION 111 \$20



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Important Notice about Spiritwear -

You may not know this, but we do not actually carry Spiritwear inventory besides a few sweatshirts in some sizes, some of the time. All of our items are custom made when ordered. Our entire Spiritwear process is run by volunteers. When you place an order, it's not like placing an amazon order with 2 day shipping. It takes a little while to get the items ordered, finished and distributed.

NEW THIS YEAR - We will be placing Spiritwear orders once a month on the first Fridays of the month, same as Spiritwear days at school. You can place your order online, any time, but they will be gathered and placed together in one big order with our supplier on First Fridays. You will have your items before the following Spiritwear Day, probably sooner, but guaranteed by the next Spiritwear Day.

We are working on some new designs, but it takes time to get approval and to evaluate sustainability of designs along with keeping the costs down as much as possible. We certainly don't make much money on Spiritwear, especially uniforms which we sell at cost. Everything we do is a service to our community and we hope that you can wear your OLG Spiritwear proudly!

You can place paper orders and I'm getting the new order form up on the school website today that you can print and send in with your payment. Please always label your envelopes as "Spiritwear" and do not send loose cash with your student.

Thank you!



Cafeteria Position- The OLG Cafeteria is hiring a long-term substitute for a daily 4-hour shift. This position may lead to permanent employment. Job description and application are available upon request.

Questions can be directed to Cathy Lawson at 931-3070 x7 or clawson@olgcs.org.



PO Box 9519 | Cincinnati, OH 45209

Dear Parents,

The new school year is just about here and it is time to be thinking about band for your child. I am excited to be the Band Director for Our Lady of Grace. Band will begin WEDNESDAY, September 18th, immediately after school.

Beginner Band: 3:00 – 3:45

Advanced Band; 3:45 – 4:30

We will begin preparing for our Christmas Concert.

Since I am new so some of you, I want to take a few minutes to provide you with some information about me. I want to make sure all parents know and feel comfortable with the person who their child is spending an hour with every week.

Here is a short “Cliff Note” version of my history.

- I have been teaching music in schools for THE MUSIC STAFF for over 10 yrs.
- I have written arranged and recorded a few CD's.
- I have played in Navy bands around the world.
- I have taught seventh grade PSR/CCD classes for 18 yrs. (Retired 2009)
- I was the Music Director for the St. Ignatius 7:30 p.m. Youth Music ministry for 14 yrs. We recorded three CD's with this group. (Retired 2009)
- I have played in my local bands in Cincinnati since the 1960's and I'm currently playing the “THE BELAIRS SHOW BAND” (10-piece Las Vegas style show band).
- I am a trained and registered teacher with the Archdiocese of Cincinnati

If you have any other questions, please feel free to contact me anytime!

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THE MUSIC STAFF

<https://www.musicstaffbeat.com>