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Faces of Faith in Christ

Great Greetings St. Greg's Families and Friends,

Can you believe we are finishing our 4th week of school already? The blast of autumn weather this past weekend was a cool reminder that the change of season is right around the corner and it's time to settle in to the fall semester. Let's hope the humidity is on its way out for good so we can focus on our learning.

Festival Fun

Thank you to all our festival volunteers and visitors for contributing to the success of St. Greg's Parish Festival this past weekend. It was so nice to see so many of our school families and friends supporting our community.

Playground Completion

You may have seen the new playground structure on the lot. It was finally completed in time for the festival. Our students are enjoying the new slides and the buddy benches are popular gathering spaces. A very special thank you to the Home and School Association, the Playground Committee, and especially our designated project manager, Mr. Michael Gutierrez for all the time and effort put in to bringing this project to completion. An official ribbon cutting ceremony is TBD.

School Mass

We celebrated our first all school mass today. The fifth grade reminded us to wear our "Faces of Faith" and live out our mission to serve others every day. We always welcome parents to celebrate mass with us on Thursday mornings. Students are permitted to sit with their parents, but please communicate this with the child's teacher. Also, we ask that parents stick to school mass practices and procedures- please refrain from bringing snacks or play items for your child to have during mass. We try to model behaviors and establish expectations for our students to follow when attending mass at St. Greg's.

Fr. Colon Visit

Fr. Colon from our sister parish in The Dominican Republic will be visiting St. Greg's from September 19-25th. We will welcome him to our school community at our September 20th all school mass.



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Parking Lot Reminders

Now that we can get back to the regular routine of the parking lot procedures, please remember that the drop off lane is for a quick exit. The first four cars at the first cadet stop should unload together. Do not wait to drive up to the stop to unload if cars are in front of you. If you are not prepared for a quick exit, please drive into the lot and park. We understand that the road construction causes back-ups, so please be patient. We try to get the cars through as quickly and as safely as we can while allowing people to cross the lane. **Most importantly, please use the cross walks when crossing the drive through lane!**

Sincerely,
Amy Schlegel

Festival Cans for Computers Update!

Festival Cans for Computers was again a successful venture for our school Technology Fund. We collected a total of \$222.00 worth of aluminum during the festival. Thank you to all the festival workers, bartenders, parishioners, parents, and students that donated their time and helped collect and crush cans. Don't forget to continue saving your aluminum cans. You can drop off your crushed aluminum cans on the playground every Monday morning before 8:00 A.M. starting September 17th.

(submitted by Mrs. Bayer & Mrs. Dahl)

Home and School Restaurant Night

The St. Greg's Home and School Association will be holding it's first restaurant night fundraiser. Please join us for pizza while supporting St. Greg's! 20% of your bill will go to support our great school. Flyers are coming home with students today.

Wednesday, September 19th ~ All Day

MOD Pizza

8833 West Sura Lane, Greenfield, WI 53228

(submitted by Amber Ordaz)



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Calling all K5 Girls

We are looking to start a K5 Daisy Troop. We need girls who want to have fun, learn new things, become a strong confident young lady, be a leader, an innovator, an explorer and a go-getter! For more information, please contact Jaimie Sponder at mjsponder77@gmail.com or call 414-721-6698.

(submitted by Jaimie Sponder)

Yearbook order forms are available in the school office. If you did not receive a form, please stop in and get your copy.

Picture Re-take Day is October 2nd

Shooting Stars Preseason Basketball Camp

WHO: Boys and Girls in Grades 5, 6, 7, and 8

WHEN: Friday, October 5th, 2018

WHERE: Pius XI Catholic High School - Field House

Copies of the flyers went home with the 5th through 8th graders. More information and forms is available in the school office.

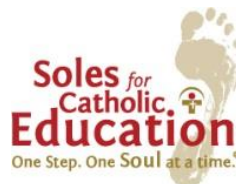
(submitted by Dan Carey , Pius XI Catholic High School)

Save the Date!

Saturday, October 20, 2017 ~ Mount Mary University

Celebrate Catholic Schools and our community! Register to walk with St. Greg's! Money raised will benefit St. Gregory the Great School. For more information go to www.catholicsoleswalk.org.

Receive a free t-shirt if you register before October 9th.



St. Greg's Basketball Sign Up Time is Here!

5th – 8th Grade ~ \$55/person

The website will be active from Sept 14 – Sept 20

<https://stgregsmil.weshareonline.org/AthleticAssociation-Basketball>

In person sign up will be Sept 21st, 3:00 – 6:00 pm, in the Gym Concession Stand.



****LAST DAY to ORDER****

St. Greg's Fall Spirit Wear Sale

Awesome clothing items for sale ~ Show your team spirit!

<https://bsg.chipply.com/stgregsmil/products.aspx>

Go Trojans!

(submitted by Jon & Jill Schneider)