



Prairie Catholic Weekly Newsletter

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From the Principal

Due to the extreme flooding in Peru, the school students would like to offer fundraising opportunities. The student council will offer a Change War with winning class receiving a special prize. Students are encouraged to bring change to raise their own total. Some of the 5th Grade girls will offer bracelets for \$.50 and tie pillows for \$2 for small and \$3 for a large. All the money raised during these two fundraisers will be sent through the diocese to those in need in Peru. Thank you for your help.

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The school would like to congratulate the early registration raffle winners Terry and Beth Quick, Jeremy and Sheila Eastman, Ed Egstad/Sara Rybarczyk and Amanda McWilliams-Rosanske. Each family will receive half of their first child's tuition reduction.

Included in this mailing are Cash Raffle Tickets and the school asks that you please sell two books worth. The proceeds go to the school and we thank you for your support. Tickets are \$10 each or 11 for \$100. Need not be present to win. Please return the stubs with payment to the school office by Monday, May 15th.

On Tuesday, April 11th the 8th grade students will attend the Chrism Mass in La Crosse. The students will take a bus to La Crosse and back. Due to Fr. Weighner's involvement, we will not have school Mass.

The school has been made aware of three opportunities for our students. These were included in the last mailing for students that met age requirements. If you misplaced any info please contact the office.

Please join the J-Walkers for live Stations of the Cross on Wednesday, April 12th at 7:00 pm at St. John's Church.

The school will be closed on April 13th, 14th and 17th for Easter Break. Classes will resume on Tuesday, April 18th.

8th Grade students and adults that are traveling to Washington DC have a mandatory Pack-It-Up Meeting on Wednesday, April 19th at 6:30pm in the cafeteria.

First Communion practice will be Thursday, April 20th at 5:30pm in St. Gabriel's Church.

Mark Your Calendars

- April 11th - No student Mass
- April 11th - 8th Grade to Chrism Mass, La Crosse
- April 12th - Run Like a Girl Club, 3:15pm
- April 13th-17th - No School, Easter Break, Classes resume the 18th
- April 19th Washington DC Pack It Up meeting, Cafeteria, 6:30pm
- April 20th - First Communion Practice, St. Gabriel's Church, 5:30pm
- April 21st - Pre-K to AmericInn
- April 21st - Mid Term 4
- April 23rd - First Communion, St. Gabriel's Church—10:00 am
- April 28th - No School, Teacher In-Service, La Crosse.
- May 6th - Saints Scramble and Social Golf Fundraiser, Prairie du Chien Country Club, registration at 8:00am
- May 14th-20th - 8th Grade Washington DC Trip
- May 23rd - 8th Grade Graduation, St. Gabriel's Church, 6:00pm



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Prayer: *Almighty God, you see signs of faith among your people. Guide us as we strive to do your will and to keep your words of life in our thoughts. We ask this through Jesus Christ your Son, our Lord. Amen.*



Well Done! The school's Iowa Test's are back and the results were very positive. The 2nd Grade's Math Computation national percentile rank was in the 78th percentile. Great job students!

If you would like information on the Lil' Saints Early Childhood Center please contact the center at 326-5383.

This Friday will be the final Stations of the Cross before Easter break. Everyone is welcome to attend, at 2:45pm in St. Gabriel's Church.

Please use <http://www.smile.amazon.com> for your future Amazon purchases and select Prairie Catholic School as your designee.

You can order SCRIP online using the code: 315114L45414. The website is: <https://www.shopwithscrip.com/>.

Cash Raffle, Cash Raffle, CASH RAFFLE!

Holy Family Parish is offering a 2017 Cash Raffle with drawing being held on Sunday, May 21st, 2017. The proceeds of this raffle will support the school. The Grand Prize is \$7,500.00; there are two 1st Place Prizes of \$2,500.00 each; and ten 2nd Place Prizes of \$250.00 each. Tickets are \$10 each or 11 for \$100. Need not be present to win. Tickets are available in the school of- fice, both rectories and around town at different locations.

Saints Scramble and Saints Social

Prairie Catholic is happy to announce the Saints Scramble Golf Fundraiser will be held on Saturday, May 6th at the Prairie du Chien Country Club. There are two divisions for your consideration.

The Competitive Division is an 18 hole four person scramble with a shotgun start at 9:00am. The cost is \$65 for non CC member and \$40 for a member. The entry fee includes golf, cart, door prizes, flag events, driver raffle and Putt for a Car contest.

The Social Division is a 9 hole scramble with teams of 2, 3 or 4 persons and it will start at 11:15am. The cost is \$50 for a non CC member, \$35 for a member and \$25 for a student. The entry fee includes golf, cart, door prizes, flag events, driver raffle and Putt for a Car contest.

Please consider forming a team to play or even sponsoring a hole with a sign. In the past seven years this fundraiser has raised over \$42,000 for the technology account. This event is perfect for the first time golfer!

A message from Mrs. Stiemke:

The Music Department is wondering if anyone has acoustic guitars that they are not using and would let us use until the end of the year. We need 2 more for 6th grade music. We can provide new strings, if that is a concern, and will send them home on the last day of school. If anyone is able to help us, we would like to have the guitars tomorrow or Monday to prepare them. They can call Mrs. Stiemke if there are any questions-608-306-0269. Thanks!