



# PRAIRIE CATHOLIC WEEKLY NEWSLETTER

March 28, 2019

## From the Principal

Dear Families,

As we move just about past half way through the Lenten season let's continue to improve ourselves and share/model these behaviors with our children. These simple tasks provide us with such purpose and help us live life to the fullest.

*Build bridges, not walls.*

*Let yourself be moved by suffering and then do something.*

*Don't be afraid to be ashamed of yourself and recognize when you've done wrong.*

*Dream of love.*

*Avoid attachment to riches.*

*Pray daily for your health and that of your loved ones.*

*Be strong in faith so as to overcome division.*

*Work hard for your dignity and that of your family.*

*Don't let yourself be robbed of hope.*

*Remember that God never abandons us.*

*Find happiness by creating harmony.*

*Know that you are loved so that you can give love and forgiveness.*

Let us reflect upon these ways and put them into action as we continue our mission at Prairie Catholic School. Please share them with your children so we may all work together to make the world a better place.

With peace~  
Mary Henry, Principal

**5<sup>th</sup> & 6<sup>th</sup> grade Fundraising Meeting** – There will be a fundraising meeting for parents on Wednesday, April 3<sup>rd</sup> at 5:00pm in the school cafeteria

**Spring Pictures** – Lifetouch will be here Thursday, April 4<sup>th</sup> to take spring pictures for any students who would be interested. Coming home today is a flyer with information regarding online orders. Paper order forms are included in today's brown envelope.

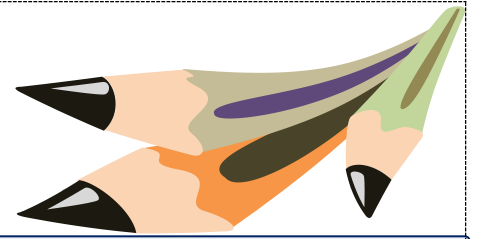
**Honor Roll Mass** – 3<sup>rd</sup> Term Honor Roll Mass will be held on **Tuesday, April 9<sup>th</sup>** at St. Gabriel's Church at 8:15 am. Parents are always welcome to join the students.

**Washington DC Meetings** – On April 15<sup>th</sup> Legacy Tours will be here. They will be hosting a "Pack it up Meeting" for all 8<sup>th</sup> graders and parents. This is a mandatory meeting for anyone going on the trip. (Students & Parents) We will meet at 5:30pm in the school cafeteria.

**Early Bird Registration Packets for the 2019-2020 School Year** – Watch for Early Bird Registration packets coming home next week in the weekly brown envelopes.

**4k Registration 2019-2020** – 4K Registration will be open April 1<sup>st</sup> – April 12<sup>th</sup>. Please contact the school office for a Registration Packet.





### Regional Forensics Competition results –

Congratulations to our Students from Prairie Catholic who placed at the Regional Forensics Competition on Thursday, March 21, 2019. Our students competed against Bluffview, Bloomington St. Marys, Wauzeka, and Seneca. The top 3 in each category were recognized.

- **Farrago** - Scout Hall 1st, Ashlyn Knapp 3rd
- **Demonstration** - Gabriel Munson-Fishler 3rd
- **Poetry** - Tommy Mara 2nd
- **Prose** - Ava Hager 2nd, Madi Fisher 3rd
- **Storytelling** - Lindsey Nolan 1st
- **Group Interp.** – Scout Hall, Lindsey Nolan, Madi Fisher and Allison Lindner 1st,  
- Madi Fisher, Ava Hager and Ashlyn Knapp 2nd (tied)  
- Emma Bjurquist and Makayla Steger 2<sup>nd</sup> (tied)

**First Communion Retreat** – The 2<sup>nd</sup> grade students will be participating in the **First Communion Retreat on Saturday, April 13<sup>th</sup>** in the school cafeteria. The students will be participating in different stations preparing them for the sacrament.

## THINK SPRING!



### Coming Home Today

Below is the information coming home this week. If you have any questions, please contact the school office.

- Newsletter
- Weekly Church Bulletin
- April Lunch Menu & Event Calendar
- Spring Picture forms

### Upcoming Events

**March 28<sup>th</sup>** – Opera for the Young 1:30pm @ PCS

**March 28<sup>th</sup>** - Break the Code Day – Team colors – will change after mass.

**March 29<sup>th</sup>** - No School – Teacher In-Service

**April 3<sup>rd</sup>** – 5<sup>th</sup> & 6<sup>th</sup> grade Parent Meeting – Fundraising @ 5:00pm – School Cafeteria

**April 4<sup>th</sup>** - Spring Pictures – Life Touch

**April 9<sup>th</sup>** – Honor Roll Mass

**April 9<sup>th</sup>** - Grades 3rd – 8th - Play at Viterbo

**April 13<sup>th</sup>** – First Communion Retreat

**April 15<sup>th</sup>** – Pack it up meeting – Washington DC trip

**April 17<sup>th</sup>** – Mid Term 4

**April 17<sup>th</sup>** – Live Stations of the Cross

**April 18<sup>th</sup>-19<sup>th</sup>** – No School

**April 22<sup>nd</sup>** – School Day – Makeup Snow day

**April 26<sup>th</sup>** – Prairie Catholic School Free Throw Contest

**April 28<sup>th</sup>** – First Communion

