



Holy Cross Eagle



March 10, 2020

Learning with a *Higher Purpose!*

<http://lovemyschool.net>

Principal: Mrs. Karen Boettcher

"Rejoice Always" 1 Thessalonians 5:16

Mission Statement: **We, through God's grace, nurture spiritual, academic, physical, emotional and social growth in children by guiding them to become responsible citizens and members of the body of Christ.**

From the Principal's Desk

Verse of the **Week** **"O taste and see that the Lord is good! Blessed is the man who takes refuge in him!"**
Psalm 34:8

Chapel this week— Join us for Lenten worship on Wednesdays (during Lent) at 9:30 am. (or 7 p.m.)
Our chapel offerings for March and April will go to the Guatemala ministry. We have received \$35.84.

Thank you—The choirs sounded like angels on Saturday and Sunday. Thank you for bringing your children to sing at the worship services.

Financial Aid—If you are in need of financial assistance, you must apply for it each year, it does not automatically carry over to the next year. We use an online processing company called Confidential Financial Services—CFS. There is a \$40 processing fee associated with this process, which includes access to financial well-being instructional videos, useful for budgeting and stewardship. Go to www.cfslogin.com and enter our school code 11124 and complete the application. **Please notify the school office once you've applied.**

We are now accepting new enrollment applications for 2020-2021, preschool—8th grade.

Our MS Robotics Team earned 2nd Place at their completion this past Saturday. Congratulations to James W, Logan W, Aven H, Elizabeth B Jaden D, Christopher K, David A and our coaches Mrs. Katherine Wallace and Mr. Rodney Wallace.

Congratulations to James W (8th gr.) who qualified for the State Geography Bee.

COVID-19 Holy Cross will follow guidelines given by the Kansas State Health Department and Sedgwick County Health Department. In the event of an outbreak, we will consult with KSHD and Sedgwick County Health Department. They have provided the following suggestions:

1. Wash your hands often with soap and water - **use hand sanitizer if soap isn't available**
2. Avoid close contact with people who are sick
3. Cover your nose and mouth when you cough or sneeze
4. Avoid touching your eyes, nose, and mouth
5. Clean and disinfect surfaces and objects that may be contaminated with germs
6. Stay home when you are sick

Holy Cross custodial staff works diligently to keep our school clean each day. They will continue to do so. If you have any further questions, please do not hesitate to call or email.

Facebook—join the *Holy Cross Lutheran School Moms and Dads* group for information, questions and answers.

Mrs. Karen Boettcher, Principal



ACCELERATED READER ASSEMBLY

Please join us on Wednesday, March 25 at 2:45 p.m. for an Accelerated Reader Assembly! Readers in grades 2-5 will be recognized for their achievements this year and for the 3rd quarter challenge. We will celebrate our accomplishments by throwing cream pies at those who have graciously offered themselves as targets! See you there!

REWARDS PROGRAM UPDATE

Congratulations to the 8th grade class on winning this months Box Tops and Coke codes collection! They will receive a treat and free dress day. The 4th graders came in second place and the 6th graders came in third place. Keep bringing in those Box tops and Coke codes and scanning those receipts! The next collection will be Friday, March 27th. Remember that the class with the most for the YEAR will get to silly string their teacher, check the poster outside the library for the totals for each class.

LUTHERAN SCHOOLS WEEK SCHEDULE

SPECIAL DRESS DAYS:

Wed. (11th) - School Uniform

Thur. (12th) - Class T-Shirt or Spirit Shirt (and Jeans)

Fri. (13th) - Free Dress

Book Fair Schedule (Eighth Day Books)

Wed. March 11 7:30-8:30am / 10:30-12noon / 3-5 p.m.

Thur. March 12 7:30-8:30am / 10:30-12noon / 3-5 p.m.

Fri. March 13 8-12noon (Grandparents Day)

March 12/15 Before and after church services

Coin Challenge: Dimes

Coin Challenge: Quarters

Coin Challenge: Any Coin or Bills



Tuesday, March 10th - Biz Kids Expo (Fellowship Hall)

Set-Up - Tuesday Morning 7:30 a.m.

It is highly recommended that parents help students set up their Biz Kids assigned table Tuesday morning at 7:30 a.m. in the Fellowship Hall. There will also be another time given for Biz Kids to complete their set up at 2:00 p.m.

Tuesday Afternoon (School Only Expo) The K-8 classrooms will have an opportunity to shop at the end of the school day from 2:30-3:25 p.m. There will be 40 businesses and most items cost \$1-\$3. Students **are allowed to bring money to shop (at parent's discretion). Small dollar bills and quarters are recommended.**

Tuesday Evening (Community Expo) 5-7PM—Student businesses will be open in the Fellowship Hall. This will be open to students, parents and the community from 5-7 p.m.

Thursday, March 12th—K-5 MUSICALS at 7:00 p.m. in the Sanctuary

Everyone is invited to the K-5 Spring Musicals on March 12th at 7:00 p.m.

*All students should meet in their classrooms at 6:45 p.m.*K-2nd will present **Something's Fishy** and K-2nd students should wear nice church clothes.3rd-5th will present *Moses & the Freedom Fanatics* and 3rd-5th grade students should wear jeans, a class t-shirt, with an optional slave shirt over that. (A slave shirt is a dirty ripped t-shirt.)

BAKE SALE AFTER THE MUSICAL

There will be a bake sale hosted by the Class of 2022 in the fellowship hall following the K-5 Musicals on Thursday March 12. We will have a variety of treats to take home for spring break snacking or entertaining. Thanks for supporting the Class of 2022 and their Washington DC fundraising efforts.

**GRANDPARENTS' (SPECIAL FRIENDS') DAY, IS FRIDAY, MARCH 13TH 8:15-11:00 A.M.**

The Book Fair will be available throughout the morning (excluding devotion time.)

8:10-8:20 Arrive in the school gym

8:20 Breakfast Snack, Family Fellowship and Program

9:25 Classroom Activities and Book Fair

10:15 Transition to Devotions/ Chapel in Sanctuary

10:20 Band plays in the Sanctuary

10:30 Preschool sings / Devotions in Sanctuary

11:00 School Dismissed (no afternoon Daycare or Latchkey)



IL Vicino "Spirit Day" on March 13th—Located at 2132 N Rock Rd. or 4817 E. Douglas Ave. Tell them you are from Holy Cross and 20% will come back to our school.—All Day



Chick-N-Max "Spirit Day" on March 13th—Located at 2350 N Greenwich Rd. Tell them you are from Holy Cross and 25 % will come back to our school.—All Day



JOG-A-THON FUNDRAISER

Jog—a-thon is a running event and an all-school fundraiser. Collection envelopes and information will be sent home this week. *The Jog-a-thon event will be on April 3rd.* We appreciate all your efforts to help Holy Cross.

PTL NOMINATIONS



It's PTL Executive Team nominations time! Are you enthusiastic about our school, students and teachers? Are you ready to be a part of an amazing group of dedicated parents? Visit to nominate yourself (or someone you think would be great in the role) or fill out a nomination form in the school office. Open positions are: PTL Chair, Co-Chair, and Treasurer, for the 2020-2021 school year. There is a box on the table in the school office where you can submit nominations for the PTL offices. Voting will be held at the March 27th PTL meeting.



TRACK HELP NEEDED

We are needing some people to help coach track this spring. It would be for two or three afternoons each week beginning March 24. Practices are Tuesday, Thursday and Friday 4:00-5:30. Would like help at least two days. We especially need help with high jump, long jump or throwing events. No experience needed, will help train. Please contact Mr. Wolgast at gwolgast@holycrosslutheran.net

EAGLET GIRLS SOCCER

Eaglet Girl's Soccer Camp registration forms were sent home last week with 1st-4th grade girls.

The dates are the following Tuesdays: March 24, March 31, April 7 and a scrimmage on Thur., Apr. 9th.

CHESS TOURNAMENT UPDATE

At our Holy Cross Chess Tournament on Feb. 22nd, in the K-3 division, our chess team got 3rd place, Aaron L placed 10th, Ethan D placed 11th. In the K-5 division, our chess team got 2nd, Edric O placed 6th and Matthew C placed 17th. Congratulations to all!

UPCOMING EVENTS

Lutheran Schools Week & Eighth Day Books—Book Fair March 7-13

Tue. Mar. 10 Biz Kids Expo

Tue. Mar. 10 Chess 1st & 2nd Gr. 3:30-4:30 p.m. (last class this year)

Wed. Mar. 11 Lenten Worship 9:30 a.m. / 7 p.m.

Wed. Mar. 11 Chess 3rd-8th Grs. 3:30-4:30 p.m. (last class this year)

Thur. Mar. 12 K-5 Musicals 7 p.m.

Fri. Mar. 13 Grandparents Day 8:15-11:00 a.m.

Fri. Mar. 13 School dismisses at 11:00 a.m. No afternoon Daycare or Latchkey

Mar. 16-20 Spring Break—No School

Mon. Mar. 23 School Resumes

Mon. Mar. 23—Apr 17 State Assessments

Wed. Mar. 25 Lenten Worship 9:30 a.m. (& 7 p.m.)

Wed. Mar. 25 A.R. Assembly 2:45 p.m.

Fri. Mar. 27 Free Dress Day

Fri. Mar. 27 Parents in Prayer 8:20 a.m.

Fri. Mar. 27 PTL Meeting 8:20 a.m.— PTL Elections All are welcome!

Tue. Mar. 31 4th Gr. KS Learning Center 11:30-3:30

Tue. **Mar. 31 McAlister's Spirit Day** - 5-10 p.m.

LOOKING AHEAD

Fri. Apr. 3 Jog-A-Thon Event

Fri. Apr. 10 No School — Good Friday

Sun. Apr. 13 Easter

Mon. Apr. 13 No School—Easter Monday

Apr. 14-18 8th Grade Class Trip

Fri. Apr. 24 Father / Daughter Dance

Mon. Apr. 27 No School—Teacher Inservice

SCRIP GIFT CARDS

Our business office has the following gift cards available for purchase.

<u>COMPANY</u>	<u>DENOMINATION</u>	<u>QTY</u>
Build A Bear	\$25	2
Children's Place	\$25	2
Foot Locker	\$25	4
Gordman's	\$25	2
Home Depot	\$100	1
JCPenney	\$25	3
Chuck E Cheese	\$10	9
Lone Star	\$25	1
Red Robin	\$25	2
Restaurant.Com	\$20	5

You are cordially invited to
Grandparents' (Special Friends') Day
March 13, 2020
8:15—11:00



8:10-8:20 - Arrive in the School Gym
8:20 a.m. - Breakfast Snack, Family Fellowship and Program
9:25-10:15 - Classroom Activities and Book Fair
10:15 - Book Fair and Transition to Devotions
10:30— Band Plays, Preschool Sings
and Devotions (in Sanctuary)
11:00—School Dismissed

*The Book Fair will be available throughout the morning.

Take your grandchild out to lunch at:

IL Vicino—both locations—All day— 20% comes back to HC

Chick N Max on Greenwich Rd.—10:30am-9pm - 25% comes back to HC



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GIVE BACK NIGHT

MARCH 13 | ALL DAY
BOTH WICHITA LOCATIONS

Stop by **Il Vicino** at either Wichita Location (Bradley Fair & Douglas Ave) **ALL DAY** on **MARCH 13** & 20% of your purchase will be donated back to Holy Cross Lutheran School!



Join Us! **MAX**
GIVE BACK NIGHT

Let us do the cooking while you support a great cause!

Save The Date:

FRIDAY, MARCH 13
10:30am-9pm

Be Sure To Mention:

HOLY CROSS LUTHERAN SCHOOL
SPIRIT DAY

25% of your dine-in, carryout and catering purchases will be donated when you mention the group.

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Know the facts about coronavirus disease 2019 (COVID-19) and help stop the spread of rumors.

FACT
1

Diseases can make anyone sick regardless of their race or ethnicity.

People of Asian descent, including Chinese Americans, are not more likely to get COVID-19 than any other American. Help stop fear by letting people know that being of Asian descent does not increase the chance of getting or spreading COVID-19.

FACT
2

Some people are at increased risk of getting COVID-19.

People who have been in close contact with a person known to have COVID-19 or people who live in or have recently been in an area with ongoing spread are at an increased risk of exposure.

FACT
3

Someone who has completed quarantine or has been released from isolation does not pose a risk of infection to other people.

For up-to-date information, visit CDC's coronavirus disease 2019 web page.

FACT
4

You can help stop COVID-19 by knowing the signs and symptoms:

- Fever
- Cough
- Shortness of breath

Seek medical advice if you

- Develop symptoms

AND

- Have been in close contact with a person known to have COVID-19 or if you live in or have recently been in an area with ongoing spread of COVID-19.

FACT
5

There are simple things you can do to help keep yourself and others healthy.

- Wash your hands often with soap and water for at least 20 seconds, especially after blowing your nose, coughing, or sneezing; going to the bathroom; and before eating or preparing food.
- Avoid touching your eyes, nose, and mouth with unwashed hands.
- Stay home when you are sick.
- Cover your cough or sneeze with a tissue, then throw the tissue in the trash.



For more information: www.cdc.gov/COVID19