

# SAINT JOSEPH'S CATHOLIC SCHOOL

Newsletter #2-September 8, 2023

## **Can You Donate?**

St. Joseph School will be holding a Blood Drive on Thursday, September 28<sup>th</sup> from 2:00-6:00p.m. in the school gym. If we have 20 donors, our school will receive \$250 in grant money to use for our students. We use the money that we receive from the blood drives to help with the cost of a bus to attend different field trips.

## **Catechetical Sunday:**

On Sunday, September 17<sup>th</sup> we will celebrate Catechetical Sunday at St. Joseph Parish. This is where we recognize everyone who is helping to bring Catholic education to our students. We will begin with Mass at 8:30 a.m., followed by a gathering in the school. The PEC will be serving doughnuts and juice in the cafeteria after Mass.

## **Scrip:**

We have a Scrip program at St. Joseph School. Both HG-IC and St. Rose who are in our pastorate have one also. The Scrip program is where you can buy gift cards to spend at grocery stores, restaurants, etc., and then St. Joseph School receives a percentage from the cards you purchase. I challenge every family in our school to try our Scrip program. Even if you use them for one item such as gas or groceries, it will help our school. If you are new to our school, feel free to give me a call and I can explain how the program works and answer any questions you may have.

The Scrip program made a profit of \$665.07 for the month of August.

## **September 15-Early Release:**

Remember that next Friday, September 15<sup>th</sup> is an early release. The students will be dismissed at 1:30 p.m. All students will need to be picked up in the afternoon. The buses will run in the morning, but not in the afternoon. Thank you.

## **School Pictures:**

As stated in last week's newsletter, our All-School Picture Day will be on Tuesday, September 19<sup>th</sup>. Countryside Studio in Dickeyville will be taking pictures of our students starting at 7:45 a.m. You should have received order forms in your Friday Folder last week. Please choose which package you would like for your child. I ask that you please send the order form with the enclosed check to the office by Monday, September 18<sup>th</sup>. Every student will be photographed for our class composites, even if you do not choose a picture package.

**3K Parents**-Since the 19<sup>th</sup> is not a day that our 3K students are in school, you will have two options to have your child's picture taken. If you can bring your child to school between 7:45 and 9:30 a.m. on the 19<sup>th</sup>, we can take your child's picture at that time. Otherwise, you will need to go to Countryside Studio (335 West Main St. Dickeyville, WI.) and they will take your child's picture at their studio.

I will contact each of our 3K families next week to see what your plans are so that I can let the photographers know who will be going to the studio.

Please let me know if you have any questions.

## **Mark Your Calendar:**

9/10-Home Volleyball Games with Cassville  
(B-girls at noon; A-girls at 1:30 p.m.)  
9/14-Pastorate Mass at St. Rose (8:30 a.m.)  
9/15-Early Dismissal (1:30 p.m.)  
Parent transportation is required.  
9/17-Catechetical Sunday (8:30 Mass)  
9/28-St. Joseph Blood Drive (2:00-6:00)  
9/29-No School

Enjoy your weekend!

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