

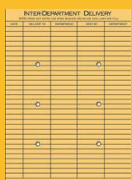


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♥ **Happy St. Valentine's Day!!** ♥

Not all of us can do great things. But we can do small things with great love.
-Saint Teresa of Calcutta

Intention/Registration Forms

Today, parents will receive registration paperwork for the 2019-2020 school year, as well as a timeline of important dates related to the registration process. We ask that you please return paperwork in a timely manner to help us in our planning for next year.

Girls CYO Volleyball



There will be a volleyball meeting TONIGHT, February 14th at 6:00 p.m. in the school cafeteria to explain details of the upcoming season.

Paperwork and fees are due. Please stop by the Main Office if you need a CYO Sports Packet. You can also print it from our website. (Family Resource tab -> School Forms -> Athletic Forms -> CYO Sports' Packet) Practice begins in late February. Students will not be eligible to play if completed paperwork and fees are not returned.

Movie Night!

Have a date night on us TOMORROW, February 15th from 6:00-8:30 p.m. Drop off the kids for a showing of "Beauty and the Beast." Parents will need to sign their child in and out if they are not staying. The movie will be in the school cafeteria, so please enter through the cafeteria doors, not the Main Entrance. Popcorn and water will be served.



Don't Forget!

School will be in session on **Monday, February 18th**



4th and 5th Grade Families:

If you were not able to come to today's Logic School meeting, there will be an evening meeting on **Monday, February 18th at 6:00 p.m.** Parents of *current* Logic School students will be there to talk about their experiences and answer any questions. We look forward to sharing the exciting opportunities your child is about to enjoy!

Bring a Friend to Dinner

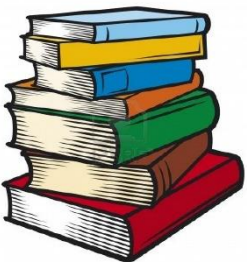
The next "**Bring a Friend to Dinner**" will be next Thursday, **February 21st** at 6:00 p.m. If you know of a prospective family that may be interested in attending this wonderful event, please RSVP by calling the Main Office at 724-539-1561. Again, a copy of the invitation is electronically attached to this week's Newsletter. Please share with your friends or post on Facebook. Childcare is available, if needed. Please help spread the word!

Upcoming House Activity

Houses will meet again this **Friday afternoon**. The students will get to reveal themselves to their Secret Valentines and **give their \$1 gift**. This wonderful activity was organized by the Spiritual-Life Committee. Our House activities are going very well and the students are learning to interact with students in different grades. We have some new ideas for the second semester that we hope to get underway!



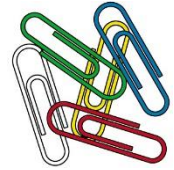
Library Night



The Library Night for Grades 4-7 at Adams Memorial Library is scheduled for Monday, February 25th from 6:00-7:30 p.m. Parents are not required to stay for the activity, however please be prompt with pick-up. This event is a great way for students to experience Literature outside of a school setting and for them to interact with different kids. They always do something interesting, so make sure to sign your kids up! Email Mrs. Foss at kfoss@cdtschool.org or call the Main Office by Tuesday, February 19th at 3:00 p.m.

Holocaust Studies Request from Logic School

Mrs. Slough and Mrs. Fournier would really like to get started on a 6th and 7th Grade project in Holocaust Studies. This project requires MANY paperclips, 6 million to be exact. At present, students have collected nearly 1 million. Each paperclip is going to represent one of the Jewish victims of the Holocaust. (We were going to aim for 11 million, however that is a very lofty goal.) If you have a few paperclips lying in a drawer, or your office building has boxes to spare, Logic Students will take them and put them to good use! Just send them to Mrs. Slough in a bag/small box. Thank you in advance!



Student Council Updates

Student Council is beginning to work on some suggested long-term projects, which include the use of recycling bins throughout the school.



The Logic School Mardi Gras Dance is scheduled for Friday, March 1st from 6:30-8:30 p.m. Parents who wish to chaperone, please be sure that your clearances are in the office! Thank you!

🎵 Music News 🎵

Music Around Town: Mrs. Thackrah will be performing in the pit orchestra for the upcoming musical production of *Damn Yankees* at Saint Vincent College. The show runs this Thursday, February 14th through Sunday, February 17th. For specific show times and ticket information, please click on the following link: <http://www.stvincent.edu/community-events/newsroom/2019/02/04/svc-players-to-present-damn-yankees>

You're A Good Man, Charlie Brown: Mrs. Thackrah will be performing in the pit orchestra for the upcoming Stage Right! musical production of *You're a Good Man, Charlie Brown*. The show runs next weekend, February 22-24. For specific show times and ticket information, please click on the following link: <https://www.stagerightgreensburg.com/copy-of-shows>

Argus String Quartet: The next SVC Concert Series concert, featuring the Argus Quartet, is next Saturday, February 23rd at 7:00 p.m. For more information, please click on the following link: <http://www.stvincent.edu/community-events/the-arts/saint-vincent-college-concert-series>

Jr. High Lacrosse @ GCC



For Who: All 6th, 7th, & 8th Graders. Girls are welcome. We will be playing full contact boys' rules. No experience needed.

Practice: Tentatively 2-3 times per week starting after March 17th; weather dependent.

If interested, please email Jennifer Erdely @ edinerjeff@yahoo.com by Feb.15th.

A Review of CDT's Cell Phone and Digital Device Policy

Students are permitted to have cell phones, iPads and other digital devices. However, use is reserved for times before and after school, not while the student is at school.

Three conditions must be met *before* any device is brought into the building.

1. Parents must send a note to the Main Office granting permission for the students to have a device.
2. The device must remain in the student's backpack during the school day/while at school.
3. The device must remain off during the school day/while at school.

If you have any questions about this policy, please contact Mr. Frye. Students not following this policy will have their devices taken to the Main Office and returned to the parent.



Prayer for Prudence

Dear Jesus,

Sometimes it is difficult to stop and pray before I react.

Help me to look to YOU for guidance.

Help me to remember to pause, reflect on the intent of my actions and the consequence of my words.

Help me to remember that if I ask you to be Lord of my words and actions, this will help me to be more prudent, reflecting YOUR love and bringing those around me closer to YOU each day.

Amen.

Prayer Intentions

Each week, we pray for our school community. If you have a special intention that you would like to have listed in the Newsletter, please contact Mr. Frye at kfrye@cdtschool.org.


Please pray for:

Avery Soich
Catholic Education
Dawn Berkebile
Tim Bender

We humbly ask Rose Hawthorne to intercede for Michael Walker and that with God's mercy, he may be healed.

**PRAYER FOR THE
CANONIZATION OF
ROSE HAWTHORNE**

MOTHER MARY ALPHONSA, O.P.



Lord God, in your special love for the sick, the poor and the lonely, you raised up Rose Hawthorne (Mother Mary Alphonsa) to be the servant of those afflicted with incurable cancer with no one to care for them. In serving the outcast and the abandoned, she strove to see in them the face of your Son. In her eyes, those in need were always "Christ's Poor."

Grant that her example of selfless charity and her courage in the face of great obstacles will inspire us to be generous in our service of neighbor. We humbly ask that you glorify your servant, Rose Hawthorne, on earth according to the designs of your holy will. Through her intercession, grant the favor that I now present (here make your request).
Through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Most Sacred Heart of Jesus
Have mercy on us! (3 times)

Our Father Hail Mary Glory be to the Father

St. Peregrine Novena



The Catholic Identity Committee would like to invite you to join us as we begin a nine-day prayer TODAY, February 14th. We will be praying for all the cancer patients in our CDT family. We are specifically asking for St. Peregrine's intercession because he is the patron saint of cancer patients. You can follow this link to learn more about St. Peregrine or to pray the novena with the Pray app.

<https://catholicnovenaapp.com/novenas/st-peregrine-novena/#>



St. Peregrine Novena

Intro Prayer (to be said each day)

O good St. Peregrine, patron of those suffering from foot ailments, cancer, and incurable diseases, grant, we beseech you, relief from suffering to (name the names of the persons who are ill).

In your compassion, we beg you to intercede with Our Lord Jesus Christ that mankind may soon find a cure for the dread disease of physical cancer as well as for the moral cancer which grips so much of our world today. Amen.

Daily Novena Prayers

Day 1: O great St. Peregrine, who were yourself converted from a violent and sinful life, grant that those who have strayed from the way of Christ may, like you, be given the grace to repent and amend their ways. Amen. St. Peregrine, pray for us.

Day 2: Good St. Peregrine, who bore the agonies of cancer patiently for so many years, grant us the courage and faith to stand up under our own sickness or weakness. Amen. St. Peregrine, pray for our fortitude.

Day 3: St. Peregrine, as His priest, you dwelt for many years in peace in the House of the Lord. Intercede for us with Him, then, that this troubled world, torn by hatred and violence, may at last know the blessedness of peace with justice. Amen. St. Peregrine, help us bring lasting peace to the world.

Day 4: St. Peregrine, you became a model priest and eloquent preacher. Grant us more vocations in these troubled times. Amen. St. Peregrine, inspire more young men and women to follow in the footsteps of Christ just as you did.

Day 5: O St. Peregrine, just as you were cured from cancer of the body, intercede for us that the cancer of disregard for life may be removed from the world today. Amen. St. Peregrine, pray that the people of the world may heed the teachings of Christ.

Day 6: St. Peregrine, as a youth you led a life of sin. May our Divine Lord grant that your own conversion may inspire our wayward young people today to change their lives as you did and return to Christ. Amen. St. Peregrine, pray for our young people.

Day 7: St. Peregrine, God granted you the grace of a long and fruitful life. Ask Our Lord, Jesus Christ, to lighten the burden of so many of our aged today who are spending their twilight years in pain, sorrow, and loneliness. Amen. St. Peregrine, bring comfort to our aged in their last days.

Day 8: O St. Peregrine, we ask you to heed the anguished cries of those dying from starvation throughout the world today, especially children and old people. Amen. St. Peregrine, pray that relief may come to those who are suffering from hunger and thirst in body and soul.

Day 9: Finally, O good St. Peregrine, we ask that you intercede for those whom God sees fit to call home. May they die in happiness and peace, confident that they will be with You forever in the presence of Jesus and Mary. Amen. St. Peregrine, pray that we may have strength and comfort in the hour of our death.

Concluding Prayer for each day

Saint Peregrine, inspired by your own example of repentance, patience, and humility, help us remain faithful to our resolution to walk with renewed strength and vigor in the ways of Our Lord. And, if God wills, please obtain a cure of the illness of (mention names) through Jesus Christ, Our Lord. Amen

