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Saint John XXIII Newsletter

Friday May 4, 2018

Dear Saint John XXIII Community,

It is never easy to write a letter such as this and it is with heavy heart today that I need to inform you that last Friday afternoon, Mr. Putz let me know that he will not be returning to St. John's next school year. He has been offered an opportunity to return to the finance world with his former employer, Charles Schwab, and has accepted that offer.

We have been very privileged to have had Tom with us for the past 7 years and I have been more privileged to have him as my friend for over 15 years. The many gifts he has bestowed on our community will last for years to come and his calm manner and stable presence will truly be missed. I ask all of you to keep Tom and his family in your prayers as he embarks on his new venture. I am still working on trying to convince him to help coach some basketball next year, but that might take more than a heartfelt email or a six pack of IPA. Tom will be with us through the end of the school year, but feel free to pop by whenever to give him a big hug and wish him the best in his new career path.

Thank you for all of your love and support for our community Tom. Your legacy will live on and you will be missed!

God Bless,
Preston Colao
Principal

School Notes

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Important Dates

Friday, May 4

Art Walk 5:00-6:00

Spring Concert Gym 6:00

May 7 - 10

Book Fair Library

May 7-11

- Ways of Worship
- SCRIP
- Parish Corner

Water Drive
Friday, May 11
8th Gr. Mandatory Prac.
9:00-12:00

School Calendar



Please [click here](#) to view the 2018-2019 school calendar.

Farmers' Market



NEXT WEEK is the Annual Teacher/ Staff Appreciation Farmers Market.

On Tuesday, May 8th our teachers and staff will have the opportunity to shop a market filled with your donations. There are class specific sign ups with items needed to make the market a success. What makes the market more personal and special is YOU. If you have a specific item from your garden, recipe, or baked item that you prefer to donate in lieu of your class sign up please do.

We have all been to a Farmers' Market, and what makes them special are the unique items offered. Please contact me with any questions! Thank you!

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[Kindergarten \(Potted fresh herbs/ tasty treats\)](#)

[1st Grade \(Potted Flowers/Plants and Peppers \(Variety\)\)](#)

[2nd Grade \(Jars of Jam/Jelly Apples and Oranges\)](#)

[3rd Grade \(Jars of Honey, Cucumbers, Garlic and Onions\)](#)

[4th Grade \(Pasta,Rice, Quinoa, Tomatoes, and Bananas\)](#)

[5th Grade \(Bread \(Variety\), Lemons and Limes\)](#)

[6th Grade \(Specialty Teas/Coffee, Lettuce and Celery\)](#)

[7th Grade \(Cooking Oils, Salad Dressings, Marinades and Carrots\)](#)

[8th Grade \(Salsa, Potatoes, Small Watermelons\)](#)

*****We will also need help Tuesday morning with this Market. Please***

click here to [SIGN UP](#).

[Art Walk](#)



We invite the St. John XXIII community to attend the Annual Spring Art Walk on Friday, May 4th. We will have two viewing sessions in the courtyard

for our art enthusiasts. View K-5th grade student art work from 12-1 p.m. and again from 5-6 p.m. before the Spring Concert.

If you would like to purchase a frame that will be used to display the artwork, please turn in the order form before May 1st. All artwork will be returned to the student AFTER the Art Walk, but if you decide to purchase a frame to go along with it, there is special pricing for pre-orders!

Spring Book Fair



The Spring Book Fair hosted by Phoenix Book Company begins Monday morning! We will be open before school, during lunch and after school. Come on in and stock up on summer reading books!

Spirit of Service



New Service opportunities are HERE!!! Please see our Spirit of Service tab on the website for details and to signup!!

Saint Vincent de Paul

Family Pizza Making Night

Friday May 18, 2018

Volunteer and learn how to make handmade pizza! Friday Night Pizzas are a beloved tradition at St. Vincent de Paul; we make 150 pizzas every Friday for guests in our family dining room. This volunteer opportunity is a great bonding activity. Duties may include but are not limited to: rolling dough,

topping the pizza, slicing and boxing the pizza, cleaning.

Saint Vincent de Paul

Hearts and Hands Days

Saturday May 5

Volunteers engage in craft projects that are centered around the themes of offering blessings, love, hope, and motivation to our guests. In addition, activities may include but are not limited to: making hygiene packets, making sack lunches, sandwiches, and more. Specific activities vary depending upon the need that month.

Ways of Worship



Mom's Morning with Momnipotent

Thursday May 10, 2018

8:00am to 11:00am

Parish Hall Chapel area

Join us on Thursday May 10,2018 for a tea style morning as we approach Mother's day. Please see the sign up genius link if you would like to attend and feel free to bring a friend. Everyone is invited and all are welcome...even your little ones:)

<http://www.signupgenius.com/go/20F0F4DAAA92CA7FF2-moms1>

Click on this link to learn more about "Momnipotent"

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=kmlIO3mBFVU>

SCRIP



Mother's Day is May 13th!

Stop by the SCRIP cart, we have gift cards for lots of great places for your mom to dine or shop. We have everything from Magiano's, to Fox Restaurants, to Sephora, to Kohls, to Nordstrom and many more!!!

Remember you can use your FACTS account to purchase SCRIP!

For questions stop by the SCRIP cart before or after school or email Pegge Gentry, at pgentry@saintjohnxxiii.org with any questions.

Scrip Sales Hours:

Monday-Thursday

7:30 – 8:15

2:30 – 3:15

Friday

7:30 – 8:15

12:15 – 1:00

Parish Corner



Saint Bernadette
Roman Catholic Parish

Vacation Bible School



Explore the Marketplace shops, visit Daniel, take part in games, dance to lively Bible songs, and sample tasty tidbits as you discover more about Daniel's adventures in Babylon. These experiences make God's Word come alive with new meaning for all who participate!

So mark these dates on your calendar: June 11-15.

The adventure starts at 9:00 a.m. and will end at 12:00 p.m.

To register your family for this awesome Bible adventure, follow this link:

<https://saintbernadette.weshareonline.org/VacationBibleSchool>

WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY



SUMMER CLASS AT ST. BERNADETTE

Please consider joining our upcoming class beginning April 12, 2018.

We'd love to have you!

Contact us to enroll and for book ordering information.

WALKING TOWARD ETERNITY:

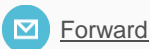
Making Choices for Today, Engaging the Struggles of Your Heart

By Jeff & Emily Cavins

Thursday Evenings 6:30-8:00 PM

Parish Center Building

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