

Lourdes Letter

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Lunch Schedule:

K-4: eat 11:24-11:44,
recess 11:44-12:04

5-8: recess 11:24-11:44,
eat 11:44-12:04

Dear OLOL Families,

I hope that you all had a wonderful Thanksgiving week-end. We are so thankful for all our students here at OLOL.

The second trimester started this week. We have been talking about opportunity in our classroom in the month of November. The start of a new trimester is a great opportunity to start over with study habits and preparing yourself for achievement in the classroom. Please take this opportunity to talk with your children about high academic achievement and also being a great classmate in the classroom.

First trimester report cards are being sent home today. Please talk with your child about what went right and what can be improved for the second trimester. Teachers are also always available to meet if you have questions or concerns. Be sure to reach out to them if you would like to meet to discuss your child's educational journey.

Next week we are kicking off our Catholic Schools Week shoe drive. This event is both a community service event as well as a fundraiser. We are accepting your gently used shoes though the month of December and January. All donated shoes will be redistributed through Funds2Org network. This organization assists small entrepreneurs in developing countries. The proceeds from the shoe drive also assists with food, housing, and clothing in these countries as well..

I cordially invite all of you to go Christmas Caroling with OLOL families and parishioners. Mrs. Lacrosse, OLOL Youth Minister, and I have put together an evening in which we hope to spread some Christmas joy. On Sunday, December 9th OLOL school and religious education are going to be singing Christmas carols around the neighborhood. The times are from 5:00-6:00 with hot chocolate served afterwards. Please join us in this time-honored tradition.

Next week we begin the Advent season. The OLOL Advent committee has different activities planned throughout Advent which will assist our students to prepare themselves for the birth of Christ. Please join us as we spend the month of December filling our hearts with love, service, and compassion during this advent season.

“Authenticity is everything. You have to wake up every day and look in the mirror, and you want to be proud of the person who's looking back to you. And you can only do that if you are being honest with yourself and being a person of high character. You have an opportunity every single day to write the story of your life” - Aaron Rodgers

The Lourdes Way,

Jeffrey Young

Up Coming Dates:

Fri. Nov 30: Elementary
Release at 2:40

Popcorn

Wed. Dec 5: Mass –T

Sun. Dec 9: Christmas
Caroling 5:00-6:00

Thur. Dec 13: OLOL
Christmas Concert 6:30

Dec 24-Jan 1: No School

Discipline with Purpose Winners

Congratulations!

Aubrey Zwiefelhofer Abby Clevon
Madison Gilmore Jeffrey Fair Jr.
Sofia Rodriguez Dyllyn Williams
Andrew Kaumheimer Noah Hock

Thank you!

OLOL Paper Drive

The paper drive bins will be here this weekend? Bring us your Amazon boxes! They'll arrive Thursday sometime and leave Tuesday or whenever they are full.



Our Lady of Lourdes School Jersey Mike's Subs Fundraiser



December 5-8, 2018.

There will be coupons available in the school and parish offices for a free sub with a \$3 donation to Our Lady Of Lourdes School. One coupon per person per visit. Please share the coupons with friends and family. We have 500 coupons.

Jersey Mike's Subs

2476 S Oneida St. Ashwaubenon

Questions contact: Amyblevins@icoud.com

Lunch/Playground Volunteer Schedule

Thur. Nov 29: Portia
Asiamah/Julie Zifferblatt

Fri. Nov 30: Rachel
Johnson/Katie Bey

Mon. Dec 3: Elizabeth
Charles/Sarah Lawler

Tues. Dec 4: Nicole
Johnson/Tami Linssen

Wed. Dec 5: Kelly
Smullen/Julie Zifferblatt

Please be at school from
11:20 until 12:15.

Thank you.

Singers and musicians needed for the 4:00 PM Christmas Eve Family Mass



Singers from preschool age through great grandparents are welcome. No previous experience needed. Rehearsals are in the school music room on Monday nights 5:30 to 7:00 on December 3, 10, and 17, and Saturday, December 15 after the 4:30 Mass. We will have a quick bowl of soup and practice until 6:45. Music begins at 3:00 on Christmas Eve. You must participate in a minimum of three practices in order to sing for this Mass. To access the school music room, enter through the single door on the south side of the building, the music room is downstairs. To RSVP and for more information contact Miss Susan at proverbs3110@new.rr.com or 265.5210

We're on the Web! Be sure to check the School Calendar for upcoming dates

<http://www.lourdesdepere.org/school/>

Follow Our Lady of Lourdes School on   .

Our Lady of Lourdes School is collecting gently used boots, sandals, tennis shoes, dress shoes, flip flops, dance shoes, cleats, kids, men's and women's shoes etc.



When: December 3, 2018 until February 1, 2019.

Our school will earn 40 cents per lb. Each family will receive a bag to fill with 25 pairs of gently used shoes. Please tie the laced shoes together and rubber band the shoes without laces. There will be a shoe collection box at school. Shoes will go to under privileged countries as part of our Catholic Schools Week service project. Questions: please contact Amy Blevins at amyblevins@icloud.com



Parents!

This little bit of snow and cold weather reminds us that it is time to inform you on what we do in the event of a closing due to weather. OLOL follows the West DePere School District for all school closings. Please look for WDP on your TV and apps. I will also alert you through the Remind app and e-mail. Please contact the school office if you need more information about the Remind app and how to sign-up.



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Lourdes Letter Submissions

If you have an event or information that you would like published in the newsletter, please send it to Cindy Smits at csmits@gracesystem.org by Monday at 3:00 to be published in the following Wednesday Lourdes Letter.

Mission Statement

Our Lady of Lourdes, an educational ministry of the Roman Catholic Church, promotes the development of lifelong learners and Christian leaders with a strong tradition of faith, service, and academic excellence.