



St. Ambrose Newsletter



March 26, 2009

Virtus Training and Dates

Do you want the assurance that your child is in the protection of a person that has experienced the Virtus Training? This has become a nationwide concern in churches. The training is to help an adult become aware of how some of the problems in today's culture are negatively affecting our children and their safety. This has become a required program for any person who works with your children. If you are not certain that you have had the class, we do have a listing of the ones that have taken the course. Please contact the school. We have been advised by the archdiocese to require

this of any adult working with children. This could be teaching, scouts, coaching, tutoring, helping in the classroom, field trips, etc.

The program will be offered on the following dates: Saturday, April 25th at 11:30 a.m. or on Wednesday, May 6th at 6:00 p.m. **Please call and register immediately so we will not have to call you! I would hate to have to say no to someone who has not had the training or not to accept the offer of the adult to help with the children!**

It is preferable that class size be at least 20 adults.



Special points of interest:

- ✓ Virtus Training
- ✓ School Make-up Days
- ✓ Good Friday
- ✓ Collections
- ✓ Library Books
- ✓ Registration for Kindergarten and Preschool



School Make-up Days

In case you did not mark your calendars, we do have the dates that school will be in session for the days that were missed due to bad weather. We already made up one on February 16th. The other

make-up dates are: Monday, April 13th, Friday, May 1st and Thursday, May 28th. At this time, **Good Friday, April 10th is not a make-up day, so enjoy the day off but try to remember to visit church or spend**

some time in prayer in remembrance of Jesus on the cross. Please mark your calendars!

Looking Ahead

Friday, March 27th—Spirit Day

Tues. March 31st
1/2 Day of School

Wed. April 1st
Communion Service and Awards

Friday, April 3rd
Dress Down Day

Friday, April 3rd
Stations at 2:15

Wed. April 8th
Mass 8:45 a.m.
And Reconciliation
for Gr. 2, 3 & 4



Collections

Canned Goods

Forty (40) days of prayer and fasting.

The classrooms began Lent with the plan to collect 40 cans of food for the needy in Seymour. Some have been very faithful while other rooms are falling short of their goal. The last day for gathering these will be Thursday, April 9th. Thanks!

Mission Boxes

Please have your child(ren) bring in their mission boxes if they are full. You still have until the end of lent to turn these in.

Foil Juice Boxes

We are registered to collect the "Capri Sun" or "Kool-Aid" empty foil boxes. The school will receive 2 cents for each one. We will receive 1 cent each for any of the other off brand foil boxes as well, so if you have any of these, please turn them in to the school!

Market Day

Orders are due on Friday, April 3rd. Internet orders are due by 11:00 p.m. on Wednesday, April 8th. Pick-up for Market Day is Monday, April 13th from 5:30-6:30 p.m. **We need your help! Mrs. Lemming has done a tremen-**

dous job managing the Market Day orders and delivery dates. We are looking for someone that would be willing to work with her this coming year and then be able to take over the following year. If you are interested in helping and need more information, please call Julie Lemming at 405-2607.



Library Books

We have made use of the Grant that we received from Jackson County Bank. We have purchased books from this Grant to add to our library inventory!

Thank you Jackson County Bank!



Stations of the Cross

Some of our school children will be involved in acting out the **Stations of the Cross** on Friday, April 3rd. We will have those participating to change into their costumes at 2:00 p.m. and the rest to meet in church at 2:15. The students who participate in the acting will also be acting out their part that same evening in church at 6:00 p.m. If you have any ques-

tions, please call the school.



Registration

We had a good turn out for Kindergarten enrollment on Tuesday of this week. However, if you missed it, please contact the school immediately so plans can be made. **Also, Preschool registration has begun.** If you know of anyone who has a child old enough, please have them contact the school.



Yearbook Orders

We sent home yearbook order forms on Monday. Please return these as soon as possible. They

are \$10 each. Thanks!

