



St. Ambrose Newsletter



Priorities

April 9, 2009

Holy Thursday, April 9

7:00 p.m. Bi-lingual Mass and Washing of the Feet

8:00 p.m. Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament will be upstairs in the Parish Center Admin Room

Reminder: No School on Good Friday

Good Friday, April 10

9:00 a.m. Office of Readings and Morning Prayer

5:00 p.m. Way of the Cross-Spanish Outdoors

6:00 p.m. Celebration of the Lord's Passion and Veneration of the Cross (Spanish)

7:30 p.m. Celebration of the Lord's Passion and Veneration of the Cross- English

Holy Saturday, April 11

10:00 a.m. Office of Readings and Morning Prayer

2:00 p.m. Blessing of the Easter Food

Dusk (8:14 p.m.) The Easter Vigil—Bi-lingual

Easter Sunday, April 12

7:30 a.m. Mass at St. Ambrose

10:00 a.m. Mass at St. Ambrose

12:00 p.m. Mass at Our Lady of Providence

2:00 p.m. Mass (Spanish)

Virtus Training and Background Checks

If you plan to volunteer for any groups in the parish or the school and have not signed up for

one of the Virtus Training Sessions, please do so. The first one is Saturday, April 25th beginning at 9:00 a.m. and on Wednesday, May 6th at 6:00 p.m. Also, if you have not filled out a background check form, we will need all volunteers to do so.

Summer Review

Each family will be receiving a copy of a booklet giving information on various tutoring opportunities to keep your child in touch with learning through the summer. If interested, please send in your own order. If you have any questions, please call the school.

Special points of interest:

- ✓ Holy Week and Easter
- ✓ Virtus Training and Background Checks
- ✓ Summer Review
- ✓ Recycle Program at Immanuel
- ✓ Parent Meeting with Fr. Todd and Coaches Meeting
- ✓ Extended Care
- ✓ Registration for 2009-2010

Looking Ahead

Good Friday- No School

Mon. April 13th- Market Day Pickup, Scholastic Book Fair Starts, School Snow Make-up Day

Tues. April 14th- PTO Meeting 7:00

Wed. April 15th Mass- 1st Communion Practice 4:00-5:30 p.m.

Fri. April 17th- Spirit Day

REMINDERS

On April 16th, grades K-7 have been invited to Immanuel Lutheran School for a talk/demonstration and activities to encourage the children to be recyclers. In anyone does not want their child to walk to Immanuel (2 blocks from St. Ambrose), please notify the principal immediately or we will assume it is okay. The

demonstration for grades K,1,2 & 3 will be at 9:15 a.m. and grades 4, 5, 6 & 7 will be at 9:50 a.m.



Parent & Coaches Meetings- Just a reminder that if there is anyone interested in a coaching or sports there is a meeting at 6:00 p.m. on April 22nd in the Science Room and Fr. Todd's Parent Meeting is the same evening at 7:00 p.m. in the Parish Center. Let's please have one family member try to attend **this** meeting.





PLAN AHEAD

This next school year we will need one or two people to oversee the Extended Care Program after school. Mrs. Dieckmann and Mrs. Stephens will not be able to continue this program.

Both ladies have done a tremendous task this year and I believe have actually enjoyed it. Mrs. Dieckmann is expecting a baby the first part of September if you haven't heard. Currently, she hopes to be able to continue with the morning care, but does not think she can manage *baby* and the after school care. Mrs. Stephens will begin managing their newly remodeled store here

on Chestnut St. If anyone is interested, they can contact either one of them for more information about the program. Please let the Sr. Anna Rose know if you wish to fill out an application for the position (s).

Registration Information

You are receiving a questionnaire that we would appreciate completion regarding your commitment for this next school year. Please return this by April 17th so we may project the number of students, teachers and order the supplies that we will need.

Grant and Aid Forms

These forms are available in the office if you are interested in or think you may need some assistance with tuition next year. The sooner these are completed and turned in they will be processed and you will not have to wait until August. These are available in English or Spanish.



Principal for a day and Secretary



If you called the school today (Thursday), you may have received an unknown voice. We had two students helping. The Principal for the Day was Emma Wood and the Secretary was Carson Regruth. These positions were up for bid at our annual PTO Auction in February. We hoped they enjoyed all of their responsibilities!



Remember: Scholastic Book Fair will be all next week: Starting on Monday and ending on Friday.

Please return the form that was sent home on Kid-a-bility if you do not want your child to participate.

Uniform Sale and End of Year Field Trip

Last year we had a used uniform sale in July. Would there be anyone interested in managing it again this year? Many parents found it helpful in managing their budgets. If you have some donations, please drop them off in the school office.

See the attached information regarding a field trip we are planning for the students in grades K-7 to Spring Mill State Park.

