



## **HOLY FAMILY SCHOOL**

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*Holy Family School, as part of Holy Family Parish community, educates and inspires students to grow in faith, to demonstrate academic excellence, and to model Christian citizenship.*

Bulletin #4

September 12, 2018

Psalm 139:4 *Even before a word is on my tongue, Lord, you know it all.*

Dear Parents,

What are the student SLEs? SLEs are Holy Family School's Student Learning Expectations. These are the lifetime skills we want our students to develop and take with them when leave Holy Family School. The SLEs are posted on the website and visible in every classroom. Grades Pre-K through 3rd have a student friendly wording of the SLEs. Teachers guide the students to identify lessons that connect to the SLEs and the upper grades have the SLEs posted on the students' desks for quick reference. SLEs are evidence that our school is living our Mission Statement.

We base our selection of "Student of the Month" on students who model the SLEs. The wording in italics are the younger grades wording. September and October SLES are:

**September - Persons of deep faith who have knowledge of Catholic beliefs and practices and participate in the celebration of their faith through liturgy, sacraments, and prayer**

*Persons of deep faith who learn about and celebrate our church, participates in mass and prayer*

**October - Persons of faith who make Christian moral choices that reflect self-respect and diversity of others**

*Treat All with kindness and respect*

The teachers and staff look for students with these qualities throughout the month.

**MAP** testing will start next week for grades 2nd through 8th grade. We will be testing on Monday and Tuesday over the next 3 weeks. Wednesday will be a day for students how need extra time or need to make up a test. Make sure they have plenty of rest each night. Thank you.

**Guest speaker for parents!** We are privilege to have Doctor Tom Curran as a guest speaker Thursday, October 18, 6:30 in the Parish Hall. The evening is for adults only, and the topic is the cell phone and technology influence on children and young adults. This is a critical topic, because children and being influenced at a younger and younger age. Please mark you calendar and be sure to attend. Holy Family Parish parents are invited as well.

God bless,

Michele Corey

Principal Holy Family School

## **ALL SCHOOL MASS**

Please join us Thursday, Sept. 13th, for **8:30 a.m.** Mass - This is our first all school liturgy, prepared by Mrs. Reitan and the class of 2019. I hope you will be able to join us in prayer and celebration as we begin our new school year.

## **FIRST CARPOOL SPOT**

If you are the first car in carpool line please do not pull past the brick column to park. Mr. & Mrs. Kalenius were the winning bidders for this special spot at last year's Auction. They will be driving past everyone to pull directly into their parking spot at the front of the line! Thank you for your generous donation! Don't forget your family or carpool can bid on this parking spot in our upcoming Auction on March 9<sup>th</sup>.

## **DIRECTORY INFORMATION**

We are working on the 2018 – 2019 Parent Directory. If you do not wish for your name, address, email and telephone number to be published you must let us know in writing by Monday, September 17, 2018.

## **WE NEED YOU**

We are looking for 15 families who would be willing to be emergency phone tree callers. If you are interested, please return the enclosed flyer to the school office by Monday, September 17<sup>th</sup>. Thank you!

## **VISION AND HEARING SCREENING**

On **Monday, October 8<sup>th</sup>**, we will be conducting vision and hearing screenings in grades Kindergarten, first, second, third, fifth, seventh and students new to our school. Volunteers are needed to help with this process. If you are able to help, please call Mrs. Gina Foster at (206) 484-1863.

## **NOVEMBER CONFERENCES**

If you have not signed up for a conference on November 19<sup>th</sup> or 20<sup>th</sup> please contact Mrs. Brock in the school office at (253) 833-8688 ext. 214 to schedule.

## **FUNERAL RECEPTION COMMITTEE HELP**

At Holy Family there is a beautiful tradition of offering to grieving families the gift of a luncheon in the Parish Hall. Volunteers cook, make salads, and bake to provide a wonderful meal. The committee is in need of more volunteers. If you are able to help, your name would be placed on a call list, and you will then be rotated through the funerals as they come up – so you would not need to make something for every funeral. The hours you would spend on making something would count toward service hours. If you can help please send a note to the school office, and if you have questions, please do not hesitate to contact Mrs. Brock.

## **LOOKING AHEAD**

### **September**

Saturday, September 22<sup>nd</sup> – Oktoberfest

Thursday, September 27<sup>th</sup> – All School Mass

## **LOOKING AHEAD continued...**

### **October**

Thursday, October 4<sup>th</sup> – Feast of St. Francis Prayer Service – 1<sup>st</sup> grade in charge

Friday, October 5<sup>th</sup> – Free Dress Bring a can of food

Monday, October 8<sup>th</sup> – Health Screening

Wednesday, October 10<sup>th</sup> – Parent Club Leadership Meeting

Thursday, October 11<sup>th</sup> – All School Mass – 6<sup>th</sup> grade in charge

Friday, October 12<sup>th</sup> – Archdiocese in service for Teachers - No School for Students

Friday, October 19<sup>th</sup> – Individual School Pictures in Full Uniform

Saturday, October 20<sup>th</sup> – Women's Society Scholarship Dinner

Wednesday, October 24<sup>th</sup> – Trick or Trunk

### **ENCLOSURES**

Phone Tree

Auction Flyer

2 - Ocktoberfest flyers

SCRIP Order Form

### **SEXUAL OFFENDER BULLETIN**

From time to time the Auburn Police Department sends bulletins to the school to notify us concerning “sexual offenders” who are currently residing in the Auburn community. When the school receives a bulletin from the Auburn Police Department, I give the information to all the teachers and staff. I also put a notice like this one in the Wednesday Letter. If you would like to read the bulletin you may come to the school office and review the bulletin or you may view the copy of these in Extended Care.

One such bulletin was received this week.