



LION'S DEN WEEKLY



APRIL 10, 2019

Sunday is Palm Sunday. The palms we receive remind us of the willingness of Jesus to enter Jerusalem, even though he knew it meant death for him. When we receive palms on Sunday, they are a symbol to remind us of Jesus' triumph, to rejoice in his cross and praise his resurrection.

*Mrs. Diana Thompson
Principal*

Bittersweet – an emotional feeling that is a mixture of both happy and sad.

At this time, it is my responsibility to inform you that two of our teachers will not be returning to Saint Eugene School. Mrs. Barbara McFadden, who has been our Librarian for the last 9 years, will be retiring in June. Mrs. McFadden has used her position in the library to teach our student's research skills, to recognize the need for reliable sources, and to work in tandem with the classroom teachers on projects. Reading Olympics and Reader's Theater are just two of the extra-curricular activities that Mrs. McFadden has opened to our students. We will truly miss Mrs. McFadden, but understand her desire to spend more time with her grandchildren.

Miss Kellianne Miley will also be leaving at the end of the 2018-2019 school year. Miss Miley, who has been at Saint Eugene School for 14 years, has accepted the position as Director of Religious Education at Saint Joseph Parish in Aston. Before moving to Kindergarten three years ago, Miss Miley taught fourth grade. Miss Miley has been our Religion Coordinator, where she developed programs such as Mary's Gift of Prayer and The Works of Mercy Ministry. Miss Miley's listening ear and guidance to students and faculty alike will surely be missed.

Mrs. McFadden and Miss Miley touched the lives of so many here. Bittersweet- a mixture of both happiness, as they move to a new phase in life, and sadness as leave our school community. I know you join me in wishing these two woman the best of everything. We will miss seeing them every day at Saint Eugene School, but their presence will be everlasting.

Spring Picture Day

Spring pictures will be taken Friday, April 12 for students in grades kindergarten through seventh. School uniforms are not required for these pictures.

Student Council Dress Down

Our Student Council is sponsoring a \$1.00 Blue Dress Down on Monday, April 15 for autism. The money raised will be sent to Autism Speaks.

Families Remembered in Prayer

Wednesday	April 10	Mrs. Hart Family
Thursday	April 11	Mrs. McRae Family
Friday	April 12	Mr. Christie Family
Monday	April 15	Mrs. Mc Fadden Family
Tuesday	April 16	Mrs. Janasik Family

There is no Communication Folder today.

On-Going Reminders:

Start Time Reminder

Our school day begins at 7:50am. To insure students are on time, they need to be in line before 7:50am. We pray together as a school at 7:45am. Once all the lines enter the building, for security reasons, the back brown doors will be locked.

Volunteer Clearances

Classes are now in the process of planning spring field trips. If you wish to chaperone any trip, you must have all your clearances. Please call Mrs. McBlain in the school office for information.

Scrip Sales = Tuition Assistance

Buying SCRIP is a great way to save money on your tuition. You receive a percentage back for each gift card you purchase. Families have saved \$500 or more off their tuition by purchasing SCRIP. See our school website for details.

Upcoming Dates

April 5	First Friday Mass 8:00am
April 12	Spring Picture Day Living Stations 7:00pm
April 15	Art Club
April 17	Living Stations for School 10:15am Dismissal 11:30am
April 18-23	No School Easter Holidays
April 24	Classes Resume May Pizza Lunch Forms in Communication Folders
April 25	May Pretzel Money Due \$9.00 18 days May 6-31
April 29	Progress Reports
April 30	May Pizza Lunch Forms Due
May 2	First Communion Retreat
May 3	First Friday Mass 8:00am prepared by Gr.4
May 4	First Communion 10:00am
May 6	May Procession 7:00pm Eighth Grade Graduation Pictures 5:30pm