### November 7 – November 13, 2022

Dear Lourdes Families,



### Receptionist and Administrative Assistant for Immigration Position

Don't forget - 1:30 PM Veterans Day Assembly in the LCS gym

Mass is held each Wednesday at 9:00 AM.

**Parents in Prayer-** Meets Wednesdays before Mass (8:30-9:00) in the Mary Chapel to pray the rosary and lift up the intentions of our Lourdes school, church community and families. Please join us weekly or drop in when you can! Prayer warriors of all ages are welcome, including kids! Any questions: Call or text, Andrea Reilly 704-975-5130.

Please take a few minutes as a family to reflect upon this week's scripture verse for November 13, 2022:

"While some people were speaking about how the temple was adorned with costly stones and votive offerings, Jesus said, "All that you see here--the days will come when there will not be left a stone upon another stone that will not be thrown down."" ~Luke 21:5-6

Have a faith-filled week!



Season's greetings everyone!!

I can't tell you how much I love this time of year! Good food, great music, and a sense of joy that we get from celebrating the birth of our Savior- it's my favorite!

The students have been HARD at work for their Christmas programs, and I wanted to communicate the dates to you! Our programs will look a little different than they have in years past, and I hope you enjoy them!

December 6th - The Littlest Angel Choir- A Christmas Musical! 😇



Christmas Day is almost here! The choir has been practicing, the drama team has been learning their lines, the musicians have been rehearsing - all in preparation for the big Christmas Pageant. But the littlest voices in the congregation are feeling a bit left out. They aren't quite sure where they are supposed to fit in.

Sometimes, though, no matter how well you've planned for something, life can throw you a few curves. As it turns out, the music director is stuck at an airport because of bad weather. The sets and costumes for the Christmas play are back-ordered and won't arrive in time. And to top it all off, the pastor has come down with laryngitis! What else could possibly go wrong?!

It's up to the congregation's youngest members to figure out a way to save the day. Along the way, they learn that Christmas is about one thing and one thing only - the birth of Jesus. Watch as The Littlest Angel Choir delivers the message of Christ's birth in the most humble and innocent of ways.

- \* K-5 General Music students required- 6-8th grade students are highly encouraged to participate as well this year!
- \*Auditions went SPLENDIDLY this week, and I am so proud of the students' efforts! Scripts will go home next week.
- \*Costumes- Christmas best for all students except Angel Choir and Nativity Scene members- Special instructions will be sent home for them.
- \*Practices are occuring during their music classes- no outside time will be needed!

December 20th- Beginning Band, Middle School Band, and 5-8 Choir Concert Please join our music department as they present their Christmas concert on December 20th.

As always, please don't hesitate to contact me with any questions, and I'm wishing you all the Merriest of Christmases!

Mrs. Freemyer

# WEEKLY CALENDAR November 7 - November 13

Monday, Nov. 7<sup>th</sup>
Vocations Awareness Week

Tuesday, Nov. 8<sup>th</sup>
SCRIP for sale
3:30 PM Lego Robotics - Blue

Wednesday, Nov. 9th
9:00 AM All School Mass
2:30 PM K-8 Early Dismissal
6:00 PM Home & School Meeting

<u>Thursday, Nov. 10<sup>th</sup></u> 3:30 PM Lego Robotics - Red

Friday, Nov. 11<sup>th</sup>
SCRIP for sale
1:30 PM Veterans Day Assembly, gym

### Looking further ahead...

November 23, 24, and 25 - Thanksgiving Vacation - NO SCHOOL December 21 - Christmas Vacation Starts



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Any questions? Email Kate at katie.greg@gmail.com or Ryan at LourdesWermesFamily@gmail.com

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# A HUGE "THANK YOU!!!!" TO EVERYONE WHO PARTICIPATED IN THE LCS CLEANING OF THE FLOWERBEDS, GIVING TREE AREA, FRONT OF THE SCHOOL, AND BIG TOY!

85 yard bags of leaves! WOW!

A big shout out to Mr. Meier and Mr. Moldt for hauling away the bags.

This pride of the Lourdes Catholic School community shines through!