

JANUARY 9 – JANUARY 13, 2023

Dear Parents,

Welcome back to our first full week back in a new year and the second half of the school year. I can't believe how fast this year is progressing. Even with the love and beauty of the holiday season, being back with the children of LCS is a blessing all of its own. To hear their voices and see their smiles and feel their energy is a testament to why we all are students, staff, family, and members of this school!

As you know, Catholic Schools Week is coming up from January 29th through February 4th. Details for Catholic Schools Week are still being determined. We will be sending out information as it is finalized.

Scott County Catholic Schools and St. Ambrose University 8th Grade Career Fair

School counselors for the Scott County Catholic Schools are asking for your help as we begin preparing for our annual 8th grade career fair which will be Friday, March 3rd, 2023 at the St Ambrose Rogalski Center. Presenters are needed for a variety of careers! Presenters are asked for a time commitment of 8:15am-1:30pm. We ask you to prepare a booth with information about your career (job duties, professional expectations, hours, required education/training, likes & dislikes, etc). The students always enjoy hands-on activities as well! Students rotate in groups and complete a career questionnaire about each booth they visit. A thank you lunch will be provided for presenters and an invite to join us for the celebration Mass at 1:30 at Christ the King Chapel on campus is extended to presenters. If you are interested in helping out or have questions, please contact Mrs. Johnson at leigh.johnson@lourdes.pvt.k12.ia.us

Inclement Weather Announcements for Lourdes Catholic School

If there should be a weather related late start, early dismissal, or school closure, this information will be sent out via email and through the local media stations. The automated message goes to all primary contacts and is shared as soon as we can. We also put the information on our website and main Facebook page. Please tune in to local news broadcasts and watch the scrolls for the list of school closures.

LCS follows what Bettendorf Community School District decides as far as canceling school, starting late, or dismissing early. Every effort will be made to email and text all families in the event of an emergency closure.

Please plan ahead. Be sure your student knows where he/she should go in the event of an emergency closing. You are encouraged to make these plans and arrangements in advance before facing a school closing.

Please take a few minutes as a family to reflect upon this week's scripture verse for December 15, 2023:

John the Baptist saw Jesus coming toward him and said,

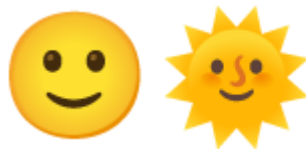
"Behold, the Lamb of God, who takes away the sin of the world. He is the one of whom I said,

'A man is coming after me who ranks ahead of me because he existed before me.'

I did not know him, but the reason why I came baptizing with water was that he might be made known to Israel." ~John 1:29-31

Have a faith-filled week!

Mr. Michael Hughes



January 9th – 13th

Monday, Jan. 9th

Tuesday, Jan 10th

SCRIP for sale

Wednesday, Jan. 11th

9:00 AM All School Mass

2:30 PM K-8 Early Dismissal

6:00 PM Home & School Meeting

6:15 PM MS Youth Night

Thursday, Jan. 12th

Friday, Jan. 13th

SCRIP for sale

11:30 AM K-8 Early Dismissal (No Lunch served)

5:00-7:00 PM AHS "Pack the Gym Night"

Save the Date:

Monday, January 16th ~ No School (Martin Luther King Day)