



# Weekly Update



October 30<sup>th</sup> - November 3<sup>rd</sup>

*Mission Statement:* St. Peter School provides a quality education built on Catholic values and teachings.

*Follow the Golden Rule*

## SATURDAY, Oct. 28<sup>th</sup>:

- 🎃 IESA 7<sup>th</sup>/8<sup>th</sup> gr Boys Crusaders Basketball - QJHS Tri-Angular at QJHS; time TBA

## MONDAY, October 30<sup>th</sup>:

- 🎃 Classroom 8-104 out of dress code day - Parish Picnic Silent Auction Winner
- 🎃 Gr 6 field trip - Horizons 9:30-11:00 am
- 🎃 No Jubilation Choir rehearsal today
- 🎃 Chess Club Meeting 6:00-7:30 pm Maria Goretti Rm
- 🎃 Gr 6-8 Halloween Bash 6:00 - 8:30 pm in the gym
- 🎃 IESA Girls Crusaders Basketball HOME games vs Liberty at QND gym 6:00 pm
- 🎃 IESA Boys Crusaders Basketball AWAY games-Unity 8<sup>th</sup> gr Tourn. Mendon time TBA

## TUESDAY, October 31<sup>st</sup>:

- 🎃 K-4 Halloween Parties 8:15 am-1:45 pm (45 min per grade level)
- 🎃 Halloween Parade Gr K-3 2:00 pm
- 🎃 Out of Dress Code Day - Students may wear orange, black, appropriate Halloween shirts with out of dress code bottoms (Please remember to follow non dress code days guidelines - page 29 Parent/Student Handbook)
- 🎃 Holy Day Vigil Mass (All Saints Day) 6:00 pm
- 🎃 PMO Band Rehearsals-QND Music Room: 5<sup>th</sup> gr 3:30-4:30 pm; 6<sup>th</sup> gr 4:30-5:30 pm; 6<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> gr Jazz Band 5:30-6:00 pm; 7<sup>th</sup>/8<sup>th</sup> gr 6:00-7:30 pm
- 🎃 IESA Boys Crusaders Basketball AWAY games Unity 8<sup>th</sup> gr Tourn. Mendon time TBA

## WEDNESDAY, November 1<sup>st</sup>:

- 🎃 Children's All Saints Day School Mass 8:30 am 6<sup>th</sup> grade preparing; 8<sup>th</sup> grade students dressing as their Confirmation Saints
- 🎃 All Saints Day Masses 8:30 am, 12:10 pm, 6:30 pm
- 🎃 PMO Band Rehearsals: 5<sup>th</sup> gr 1:15-1:45; 6<sup>th</sup> gr 1:45-2:15; 7<sup>th</sup>/8<sup>th</sup> gr 1:45-2:15
- 🎃 After School Cooking Class 2:30-4:00 pm Cafeteria Kitchen (registered students only)
- 🎃 Quincy Art Center Art Classes 2:30-3:30 pm Maria Goretti Rm (registered students only)
- 🎃 PMO Choir Rehearsals: Gr 7/8 3:00-4:00 pm; Gr 4-6 4:10-5:00 pm at QND Music Room
- 🎃 Early Dismissal at 2:17 for students in grades PK-8. (This will occur throughout the school year.)
- 🎃 IESA 7<sup>th</sup>/8<sup>th</sup> gr girls Crusaders Basketball AWAY games at QJHS 6:00 pm

## THURSDAY, November 2<sup>nd</sup>:

- 🎃 Moms are Praying - Martha Jane Room 8:10 am
- 🎃 Quincy Art Center SmArt Art Classes here w/ Rms KN, KS, 1W
- 🎃 Blessing Hospital Tobacco Prevention Classes w/4<sup>th</sup> grade: 4W 1:30 pm, 4E 2:00 pm
- 🎃 Handbell Choir Rehearsal 3:10-4:15 pm
- 🎃 CYO 5<sup>th</sup>/6<sup>th</sup> gr Volleyball Games 5:30, 6:30, 7:30 pm - St. Peter gym and St. Dominic gym

**FRIDAY, November 3<sup>rd</sup>:**

- 🍁 St. Peter Parish Men's Group 6:00 am - gym
- 🍁 Quincy Art Center SmArt Art Classes here w/Rms 1E, 2N, 2S, 3E, 3W
- 🍁 Saints Alive Youth Group (gr 4-6) Meeting 6:00-7:30 pm in the Cafeteria

**SATURDAY, November 4<sup>th</sup>:**

- 🍁 St. Peter School Pizza Making/Pick Up Day 8:00 - 11:30 am
- 🍁 Please pick up your pizzas or have arrangements for them to be picked up by 11:30 am
- 🍁 IESA 7<sup>th</sup>/8<sup>th</sup> gr Boys Crusaders Basketball - QJHS Tri-Angular at QJHS; time TBA

**SUNDAY, November 5<sup>th</sup>:**

- 🍁 Daylight Savings Time ends; set clocks back 1 hour

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**WELCOME JAMIE ROBNETT - TEACHER AIDE**

We wish to welcome Mrs. Jamie Robnett to our St. Peter School Staff. She will be the Teacher Aide for both 3<sup>rd</sup> grade classrooms and Room 5E. Jamie and her husband, Chris, have 3 children in St. Peter School - Mia, Audrey, and Curtis. She has always been a very active volunteer for our school and we are so very blessed that she has now joined our staff. She is a very welcome addition.

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**ST. PETER SCHOOL PIZZA MAKING DAY - Sign Up Genius**

Thank you to all of our families that sold or bought pizzas! Our day to assemble all of these pizzas is Saturday, November 4<sup>th</sup>. We need help from parents, teachers, and staff to prepare and package all pizzas sold. Thank you to everyone that has already signed up to help. Please consider helping us - we are especially short on help in 2 areas - "wrapping"- someone to wrap the finished pizzas in saran wrap and "runners" - those that help with taking pizzas to our refrigeration truck or people to run orders from the truck to families picking up. Our 7<sup>th</sup> & 8<sup>th</sup> grade students can volunteer to help as a "runner." We truly appreciate any and all help that we receive with this day! Please sign up to volunteer at our sign up genius listed below. If you have any questions please contact Karen Sedevic at [karensedovic@gmail.com](mailto:karensedovic@gmail.com) or at 217-779-1507. Pizza Making Day really is a fun morning and goes by quick! It is a very busy morning!! Please come join us!!

Please click on the following Sign Up Genius Link:

<http://www.signupgenius.com/go/8050b4aaea82ba46-pizza1>

Remember - This is a great opportunity to earn service hours. We always have so much fun and would love for you to join us! Please don't miss out.

**Please also keep in mind that all pizzas are to be picked up on Saturday, Nov.4th between 8:00 a.m-11:30 a.m. If you cannot pick up the pizzas that you sold you must make arrangements for someone to pick up your order as we do not have the freezer space to store pizzas that are not picked up.**

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**GRADE 8 WASHINGTON DC TRIP**

Last week, Oct 16-20, our 8<sup>th</sup> grade class took a trip to Washington, D.C., directed by Mr. Dave Cawthon. We saw many historic sites and experienced many different aspects of our government and country. We even got to see the Senate in session! We all enjoyed each other's company on the trip and the different tours. We had the opportunity to recreate the morning of September 14, 1814 at Fort McHenry and have taken back many other unique memories and experiences. We would like to take this chance to thank Mr. Cawthon, our teachers, Miss Metz and Mrs. Martin, and all of our other chaperones for their protection, guidance, and comfort during the trip. We are now all back in the classroom, safe and sound! Thank God for a wonderful trip and safe return! ~~8<sup>th</sup> Grade Students

## LUNCH MENU CHANGE

**Remember**, our Halloween Day lunch menu changed to Bat Burgers, Freaky Fries, Vampire Veggies, Googly Eyes Grapes and Dirty Worm Pudding. Sounds Spooky!!

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## CYO BASKETBALL REGISTRATION

CYO will be offering Winter Basketball again this coming season. Registration will open Nov 1<sup>st</sup> and will be open to boys and girls in 1<sup>st</sup> through 8<sup>th</sup> grade. The season will run from early January to early March. All games will be played on Sundays. Registration forms will be coming home soon.

## CYO KARATE CLASSES

The next CYO Karate session (8 weeks) will begin November 1. All classes will be at St. Dominic School on Wednesday and/or Friday nights. The cost is \$40 for one day and \$60 for two days per week. To register or for more details please contact John Wellman at 217-430-1399.

## CYO BASKETBALL COORDINATOR

The CYO is looking for applicants interested in being League Coordinator for the upcoming Winter Basketball league. This is a paid position. Basketball games will be held January through early March. Please submit your interest ASAP to [quincycyo@gmail.com](mailto:quincycyo@gmail.com)

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## ST. PETER SCHOOL HALLOWEEN PARTIES – Tuesday, October 31<sup>st</sup>

Our amazing room parents are once again providing our Kindergarten through 4<sup>th</sup> grade with fun activities in the gym celebrating Halloween on Tuesday, Oct. 31<sup>st</sup>. Our schedule for these parties will be:

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|-------------|-----------------------|------------|-----------------------|-------------|-----------------------|
| 8:15-9:00   | 1 <sup>st</sup> grade | 9:15-10:00 | 2 <sup>nd</sup> grade | 10:15-11:00 | 3 <sup>rd</sup> grade |
| 12:00-12:45 | Kindergarten          | 1:00-1:45  | 4 <sup>th</sup> grade |             |                       |

Our Halloween Parade will then begin at 2:00 pm. Grades Kindergarten - 3<sup>rd</sup> will dress in their costumes and parade from our front parking lot, up Maine Street, around the Parish Office and School. Grades 4-8 will be outside to watch and join in the fun! Please feel free to come join us for this spooky parade!

## HALLOWEEN BASH – Grades 6-8 – October 30<sup>th</sup>

Please mark your calendars for the 6<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> grade Halloween Bash on October 30<sup>th</sup> from 6:00-8:30 pm in the school gym. The 8<sup>th</sup> grade class officers will be hosting this event with the assistance of grades 6-8. Students attending the dance are asked to bring in a canned food item.

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## TOLTON: FROM SLAVE TO PRIEST – NOV 12<sup>th</sup>

*Tolton: From Slave to Priest*, the powerful live production performed by actor Andrae Goodnight and directed by Leonardo Defilippis of Saint Luke Productions, will be presented at **Quincy University's Pepsi Arena** on **Sunday, November 12 at 3:00 p.m.** The event is sponsored by Quincy University and the Parishes of the Quincy Deanery.

Meet Fr. Augustus Tolton, the first African American priest, in this one-man multimedia performance. From his dramatic escape from slavery to his courageous struggle in the face of prejudice, Fr. Tolton's inspiring life centers around his message of reconciliation and hope. This riveting drama is filled with all the elements of professional theater, runs 75 minutes, and is suitable for ages 10 and up.

Admission is a free-will offering. **For additional information**, contact Ray Heilmann, Quincy University Director of Campus Ministry at 217-228-5432 ext. 3617 or [heilmra@quincy.edu](mailto:heilmra@quincy.edu) or visit [www.quincy.edu](http://www.quincy.edu).

## PROTECTING GOD'S CHILDREN

Blessed Sacrament Parish/School has 2 more opportunities for parents to attend a Protecting God's Children Session scheduled for this fall. If you are interested in helping in your child/ren's classroom, driving for field trips, etc our Parish and the Springfield Diocese require you to attend this training. They will have these training sessions on Nov. 13, and Dec. 4 from 6:00-9:00 pm. Please call 222-2759 to register if one of these dates will work for you. *This is a one-time only training.* If you have already participated in a class, you do not have to take it again.

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### UPCOMING DATES:

- Nov 6-10 Stewardship Week
- Nov 6 IESA 7<sup>th</sup>/8<sup>th</sup> gr girls Crusaders Basketball AWAY games at Payson 6:00 pm
- Nov 7 Out of Dress Code - students/families that sold 10 or more pizzas  
Kelsey Celek w/QCT here with 5<sup>th</sup>, 7<sup>th</sup>, and 8<sup>th</sup> grades
- Nov 8 8:30 am Children's Mass w/grade 5 assisting  
2<sup>nd</sup> gr students First Reconciliation Meeting 6:15 pm Church
- Nov 9 Picture retakes 9:30 am - 12:00 noon  
Kelsey Celek w/QCT here w/1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup> grades, Rms 4W, 6W
- Nov 10 Spirit Day!! All Donations given to Haiti Water Filtration Systems  
Gr 6 presenting Covey/Catholic Habit #2: Begin with the End in Mind/How do we get to Heaven?  
Diocesan Youth Day-Gr 7/8 at St. Francis Parish Center 9:00 am-1:45 pm  
IESA 7<sup>th</sup>/8<sup>th</sup> gr boys Crusaders Basketball AWAY games at Payson 6:00 pm
- Nov 11 Veterans Day - Thank you to all our Veterans for your service
- Nov 12 Tolton: From Slave to Priest - QU Pepsi Arena 3:00 pm