



Weekly Update



November 9th - November 13th

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

MONDAY, November 9th:

- Distance Learning Students - Materials pick up/drop off 4:00-5:00 pm School Lobby/Entry

TUESDAY, November 10th:

- PMO Band Rehearsals at QND: 6th Gr Cadet Band 4:15-5:15 pm; 7th/8th gr Jazz Band 5:30-6:00 pm; 7th/8th gr Concert Band 6:00-7:00 pm (5th gr Beginners Band will begin in October 3:15-4:00 pm)

WEDNESDAY, November 11th:

- Children's School Mass 8:30 am for Grades 7th/8th w/7th grade students assisting at Mass
- Veterans Day - School is in session; Please keep our Veterans in your prayers today
- PMO Band Rehearsals - Gr 5 12:40-1:15 pm; Gr 6 1:30-2:15 pm - School Music Room
- Second Grade First Reconciliation Parent/Student Meeting 6:30 pm in Church

THURSDAY, November 12th:

- Children's School Mass 8:30 am for Grades 3 & 6 w/6th grade students assisting at Mass
- School Picture Retakes - Gr PS3-8th beginning around 8:30 am

FRIDAY, November 13th:

SCHOOL PICTURE RETAKES - Thursday, November 12th

This coming Thursday, Interstate Studios will be here to photograph students that were absent on our original picture day (Sep. 22nd). They will also retake photos of students that are wanting their picture taken again. Students must have their original picture package with them in order to have their picture retaken. To help our photographers, we would also like just a short explanation of why they are having their picture retaken - would like a better smile, hair out of place, etc.

We also wish to invite students that are distance learning to have their picture taken. We had several students come for pictures on Sep. 22nd. If your child did not come on this day, please consider bringing him/her this Thursday. We would love to have everyone's photographs in our 2020-2021 School Yearbook. It only takes a few minutes and Interstate is very professional with their social distancing. We ask that all students wear their mask until it is their turn to be photographed. We plan to finish with our PM Preschool Classes around noon and ask that our virtual students come to the gym between 12:00 and 12:20 pm on Thursday for their photos.

PARISH STEWARDSHIP RENEWAL PACKETS

We have entered our annual St. Peter Parish Stewardship Renewal. Our theme this year is Stewardship Through the Saints. As we begin this journey, we learn that all saints lived their lives through stewardship. They strived to live with gratitude to God for all the blessings he placed in their lives. Through stewardship we can also become aware of the amazing blessings God has given to us. If you haven't already submitted your family's stewardship renewal commitment card, we ask that you please take some time to read

over and pray about the opportunities available for you to share your time, talent, and treasures with our parish.

We ask that you please submit your stewardship commitment to the Parish this weekend, November 7th/8th. You may also submit this online at www.cospq.org. **We also want to remind our Parish families that for their family to receive the Participating Parishioner Tuition rate, your stewardship commitment card must be received by December 14th.**

ST PETER SCHOOL THANKSGIVING LETTERS

It has become a tradition every November for our school students in grades Kindergarten through 8th Grade to write a letter of thanksgiving to someone that they feel blessed to have in their life. It could be someone that has been kind to them, helped them in different ways, or had a positive influence in their life. We will once again be writing these letters during the month of November and will mail them the weekend before Thanksgiving. Your children may ask you for the address of the special person they would like to honor this year. Thank you so much for your help with this special project.

COATS AND JACKETS!!

Fall weather is upon us - our daytime temperatures are all over the place! Please send a coat, jacket, sweatshirt, or sweater (marked with their name or initials) to school with your children. We are outside at many different times during our school day. Besides our normal recess times, teachers are also taking their classes outside to give their students a break from wearing their masks all day. PE and Music classes may still be outside depending on the weather. We still have several students that do not have jackets on days when it is cold or windy. We will try to continue to have classes outside until it just gets too cold.

LOST AND FOUND

If your child can't find their mask, jacket, sweater, and/or sweatshirt - Our lost and found is still overflowing!! We have many, many masks, jackets, sweaters, and sweatshirts that are not marked with their owner's name or initials in them. We also have several lunch boxes, and hats and gloves that are not labeled. Please ask your child to check the lost and found if he/she is missing any of these items.

STUDENTS AND SIBLINGS WITH SUSPECTED COVID-19 SYMPTOMS

If a student is sent home sick with suspected COVID 19 symptoms (cough, fever, diarrhea, shortness of breath, stomach ache, vomiting, etc.) must all their siblings/household members be sent home as well and quarantined for 14 calendar days?

Yes, if one of the household members is being evaluated for COVID 19, the rest of the household must be quarantined until an alternative diagnosis is made or a negative result is received. Medical evaluation and COVID 19 diagnostic testing are strongly recommended for all persons with COVID-like symptoms. If the sick student becomes a confirmed case (tests positive for COVID) or a probable case (has symptoms and is linked to a known case), the Adams County Health Dept. will conduct contact tracing and will place household contacts, including siblings, in quarantine for 14 calendar days. The Health Dept. will also provide guidance on how to safely quarantine and isolate within the household.

UPDATED INFORMATION as of 10/14/2020: If testing is not performed due to the clinical judgment of the healthcare provider, a medical note is needed to return to school documenting that there is no clinical suspicion for COVID-19 infection and indicate an alternative diagnosis with the exclusion consistent with this diagnosis. Your child may then return to school on the day his/her doctor indicates on their medical note. Healthy siblings may then return to school.

UPCOMING DATES:

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| Nov 19 th | GSA Meeting 10:00 am School Conference Room |
| | Illinois Family Reading Night - information flyer attached to this update |
| Nov 20 th | Second Quarter midterm - Reports will be sent home/or on RenWeb by Nov. 24 th |
| Nov 25-27 | No School - Thanksgiving Vacation |
| Nov 29 th | First Sunday of Advent |

