

St. Michael Swords News

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*to be friendly, respectful, responsible
and Christ-like*

Our second graders will present the saints for the mass tomorrow. This mass will be live streamed at www.stmichaelweimar.org.

All Souls Day

Monday, November 2nd is All Souls Day. On this day, and all through November, the Church prays for the souls of the faithful departed, especially those we have known and loved.

Grades 1 – 8 will attend mass that morning at 8:00 a.m. Dress uniforms are required. Later that day, each Religion class will walk to the cemetery to pray the rosary. Students are invited to bring small bouquets of flowers to put on the graves of those who have no one to care for them. Permission slips for this were due today.

***May the souls of the faithful departed,
through the mercy of God, rest in peace. Amen.***

Election Day

In case you haven't heard, Tuesday, November 3rd is Election Day. We will begin the day with a Patriotic Rosary in the Church beginning at 8:00 a.m. Everyone is invited to join us.

As part of our Texas Studies Weekly, we will be joining with students across the country to exercise our privilege to "vote." We will be able later that day to see the results of the schools' votes.

Veterans Day Mass

Veterans Day is November 11th. Since we are not able to invite them to the school that day, we will be recognizing them at our mass on Friday, November 6th at 8:00 a.m. Students are busy preparing gift bags to present to them that day. Everyone is invited to join us to celebrate our Veterans.

Catholic Life Sweepstakes

It's that time again! Time for the annual Catholic Life Sweepstakes. Grand prize is a Ford F-150 truck, Ford Fusion car, or a \$20,000 VISA card! Each school is guaranteed a \$1,000 winner from the tickets sold.

This is one of our easiest fund-raisers. Tickets are only \$5.00 each so they are easy to sell. Additional incentives are being offered this year for selling tickets. Locations for selling are also available. The tickets and more information are being sent home today. This fund-raiser does not end until January.

School Jackets

Attached is an order form for St. Michael Catholic School jackets. As we remembered this week, colder weather is right around the corner. Orders are due November 6th in order to receive them in time to keep your children warm.

Time to Give Back

The Weimar Encore Lions Club have invited us to participate in their shoe drive. There is a box available here at school for nice, gently used or new shoes for adults and children. The shoe drive lasts throughout the month of November.

***Classes will dismiss at noon next week
Friday, November 6th for the
monthly faculty meeting. There will not
be any after-school care that day.***

Fire Prevention Poster Contest

Winners in this year's Fire Prevention Poster Contest sponsored by the Weimar Volunteer Fire Department are:

Emma Koeth – Overall Winner
Lane Anders – 1st place, Kindergarten
Beau Anders – 2nd place, Kindergarten
Parker Helmcamp – 3rd place, Kindergarten
Hadley Brandt – 1st place, Primary
Wyatt Janecka – 2nd place, Primary
Isabelle Marek – 3rd place, Primary
Mallarie Williams – 1st place, Intermediate
Joseph Rowland – 2nd place, Intermediate
Chloe Brandt – 3rd place, Intermediate
Emma Koeth – 1st place, Middle
Cullen Marek – 2nd place, Middle
Dylan Moeller – 3rd place, Middle
Adela Rubio – 1st place, Junior High
Bralen Heger – 2nd place, Junior High
Kylie Ohnheiser, 3rd place, Junior High

Congratulations to all of our winners!

Thank you to Mary Lou Kristynik for donating four tubs of sanitizing wipes to the school.

Altar Server Schedule

Friday, October 30th – Nicholes Williams, Adela Rubio and Hunter Shupak

Monday, November 2nd – Huxton Kloesel, Kylie Ohnheiser, and Emily Wied

Friday, November 6th – To Be Determined

Saturday, October 31st at 5:30 - Jonathan Shupak, Hunter Shupak, and Kylie Ohnheiser

Sunday at 7:30 – Lily Berger, Sarah Jane Berger, and Madelyn Rerich

Please be sure to find a replacement if you cannot attend.

The fifth graders will lead the liturgy this Friday, October 30th.

The fourth graders will lead the liturgy on Monday, November 2nd.

November Birthdays

Happy birthday to those celebrating a birthday in November:

2 – Joseph Rowland
5 – Charlee Davis
5 – Emily Herzik
19 – Kortlyn Jahn
23 – Annie Wessels
28 – Bishop Brendan Cahill

Sports News

The final football game against Nazareth Academy scheduled for yesterday was canceled.

Basketball practice has begun for the girls team. The boys will begin after-school practice next week.

The first basketball games scheduled for this year are on Monday, November 9th against Our Lady of Victory School. The games begin at 5:00 p.m. in our gym.

Friday's Halloween Schedule

Grades Pre-K and Kindergarten may choose to come to school in their costumes, or may just bring their costumes to change into during the day.

Grades 1-8 must come to school in the MASS UNIFORM. These students will change during the day.

That afternoon, classes will alternate in games and activities for our annual Halloween Carnival sponsored by the Student Council.

Thank you to Mrs. Ann Barlow and Mrs. Sandra Muras for coordinating the events for Red Ribbon Week for the school! You made it a special week for all of us!

Job Opening

We have an opening for a part-time employee in the cafeteria. This person will work Tuesdays, Thursdays, and Fridays for 4 hours each day. If you are interested, or know someone who is, please come by the school office for an application form.