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REILLY REPORT

As we break for Easter, I encourage you to attend the church services, including the 7:30PM Passion Reenactment by our high school students on Good Friday. I also encourage you to spend some time with your children. I have never heard any one say they regret taking the time to be with their kids. (Even 6, 7, and 8th graders!!!!!!)

D.A.R.E. Graduation was yesterday. Our fifth graders and Mr. Gemperline put a tremendous amount of energy into the course. It was powerful for your children to see the massive turn out of parents celebrating the conclusion of the course. This event is a good reminder for everyone to keep the conversation going. No one ever plans to get into self-destructive behavior. Prevention is sometimes as easy as regular conversations with family.

The March Pregnancy Center West (Baby Bottle Campaign) Spiritwear donation is being counted. A few bottles are still coming in. (We can still deliver full or empty bottles if you happen to find one!) Thank you for your generosity for this worthy organization. I also want to share the thankfulness the students expressed in their written prayers. You never know when your caring words will touch someone who needs to hear them.

The 2010-2011 School Supply list was sent home with last week's *Wire*. If you need another copy, it is available in the school office or online at www.sainti.org.

The beginning of the 4th Quarter starts when we return from break.

I will be at the NCEA convention next week and Mrs. Sieve will keep things running here. In addition to fulfilling my duties as the Ohio and Michigan rep on the NCEA executive committee, I will be investigating current research and models for reading enrichment and remediation.

LUNCH MENU

(fruit and milk are served daily)
Week of April 5th

Monday No School
Tuesday No School
Wednesday Mini corn dogs with fries
Thursday Sausage pizza with carrots and dip
Friday Popcorn chicken with corn

UPCOMING LITURGIES

Apr. 8	Miss Neyer, Rm 211	9:15AM
Apr. 13	Mr. Wellen, Rm 217	9:15AM
Apr. 15	Mrs. Engel, Rm 301	9:15AM



Easter Mass Times

Holy Thursday, Tonight 7:30 PM

Good Friday, April 2

6:30 AM Stations of the Cross
9:15 AM Morning Prayer
Noon Stations of the Cross
1:30 PM Liturgy
7:30 PM Passion Reenactment by our high school students

Holy Saturday, April 3

8:45 PM (Contemporary Group)

Easter Sunday, April 4

6:30 AM (Organ)
8:00 AM (Chime/Bell Choir)
9:30 AM (Organ, Traditional Choir)
11:00 AM (Church-Contemporary Group/Guitars)
11:00 AM (Gym-Contemporary Group)
12:30 PM (Children's Choirs)

Please note the change in Masses. Two additional Sunday Masses have been added to alleviate the overcrowding and the parking problems. NOTE – There is no 7:30 PM Mass on Sunday Night.

UPCOMING EVENTS

Apr. 5-6	Easter Break – No School
Apr. 7	Girls' softball evaluations - 6:30-8PM
Apr. 8	Girls' softball evaluations - 6:30-8PM
Apr. 12	Report cards sent home
Apr. 16	PSAS Deadline
Apr. 30	School Supply Form Due



Welcome back to the US Delegation to China! The cultural exchange was a fantastic experience for all of us! Hopefully, you were able to follow along with our travels on the sainti.org website. The delegation was in the Cafeteria on Monday during all lunch periods to hand out fortune cookies and talk to the students about the trip. They will also be sharing some of their experiences with their classrooms. We hope to continue to build our cultural exchange program next year by hosting and traveling to a different location in the world. More details when they become available.

SCHOOL NEWS

WILDCATS ON THE MOVE

Congratulations to Mallory C., our newest member of the 10 Mile Club! Keep moving!

CAFETERIA NEWS

Be sure to see the Fun Food Facts Board in the cafeteria next week. The focus will be Easter traditions and the history of Easter eggs.

BIGG'S SHOPPERS

Many of you have probably heard that area Bigg's stores are closing in the coming months. If you intend to shop at Bigg's before it closes, please consider purchasing a Bigg's gift card from the St. Ignatius PACE Committee to help us deplete our remaining stock. Gift cards are available in the Parish Office, or call Leslie Odioso, Sue Newland or Carol Lecher.

CONGRATULATIONS – 4th GRADE BOYS

Congratulations to the 4th grade boys' basketball team coached by Phil Bierbaum and Brady Gick. The team finished their season with an overall record of 22-2 taking first place in their league. They also won the St. Ignatius and St. Teresa tournaments and finished second in the city tournament. Team members include: Justin B., Ben B., Jared F., Brennan G., Danny H., Cole K., Jacob M., Zachary O., and Nick S.

CONGRATULATIONS – 3rd GRADE GIRLS

Congratulations to the 3rd grade basketball teams who were Champions and Runners-up in the St. Teresa Tournament. The girls who participated in the final game include: Kaylee H., Randii W., Hannah H., Bridget L., Paige L., Carli L., Olivia P., Jillian A., Rachel B., Anna K., Elizabeth S., Emma F., Hanna Z., Isabella, G., Katie B., Kieran C., Morgan H., Rachel L., Rachel T..

GIRLS' SOFTBALL EVALUATIONS

Girls' Softball evaluations will be held for the 5th, 6th, 7th, and 8th grade girls on Wednesday, April 7 and Thursday, April 8 from 6:30-8PM on the upper Softball fields. The girls will move through a series of stations reviewing and practicing the different skills of softball. All girls are encouraged to attend at least one night. Attending both nights is preferred. If you cannot attend or have questions, please call Jenni Hilvert. Please arrive early to check in and be ready to go at 6:30PM.

PARISH NEWS

LADIES SOCIETY NEWS

Please join us for **Bunco**, Wednesday, April 7, 7:30PM in the Hilvert Center. Enjoy friends, snacks and the chance for prizes! Don't know how to play? Don't worry! It's easy to pick up!

The **Spring Toy & Clothing Sale** is Saturday, April 17, 8:00AM until Noon. To sell items, please email Cathy @ cwk825@yahoo.com. She will assign you a seller's number and color-coded tags. You can pick up tags at the parish office. This is a major fundraiser for us and puts money in your pocket, too! Ladies Society gets 40% of the proceeds, you keep 60%. You must tag each item and drop them off at the Hilvert Center between 4:30 and 6:30PM Friday, April 16. There is a "presale" that evening

for those who are selling. All sellers must work a one to two hour shift at the sale. Any items not sold or picked up by noon will be donated to St. Vincent DePaul.

SCOUTING FOR FOOD DRIVE

Lent is a time for almsgiving. Please plan to do your grocery shopping at the Dent Kroger on Harrison Avenue on Saturday, April 10 and help replenish the St. Leo's Food Pantry at the same time. The **American Heritage Girls** will be participating in the Scouting for Food Drive at that location. A list of suggested items will be distributed at the entrances to make shopping easy, and your donations will be collected as you exit the store. All food and other donations will be delivered to St. Leo's by the troop members. If you have any questions please contact Sandi Auberger..

REMEMBER THE RESPECT LIFE BAKE SALE!

Thanks in advance for your scrumptious donations. Items will be accepted Saturday and Sunday, and will be available after Masses on April 10 and 11.

ENRICHMENT NEWS

MCAULEY SUMMER CAMPS

McAuley High School will offer summer camps for children currently in grades 1-8 in 19 different areas this year. Camps begin in June and run through July. The registration deadline for all camps is Friday, May 28th. To obtain a complete list of sessions, age groups, and fees (if any), please visit McAuley's website, www.mcauleyhs.net. For information over the telephone, please call 681-1800 ext. 1122 for sports camps and 681-1800 ext. 1125 for all other camps. Flyers are available in the St. Ignatius school office.

CHILD SAFETY EVENT

There will be a DNA LifePrint Child Safety Event held at Jake Sweeney Mazda West on Saturday, April 17th beginning at 9:30AM. They will be conducting new Biometric Fingerprinting and distributing DNA Identification Kits. For more information look in the next "Flyer Friday" or call Becky Reynolds at 699-4900.

SUMMER CAMP INFO

Information on the following summer camps are available in our school office:

- McAuley Sports Camps
- McAuley Summer Enrichment Camps
- Mercy 2010 Summer Camp
- Miami University Summer Reading Skills
- Northern Kentucky University Camps
- Spanish Summer Class
- St. Ursula Volleyball Camp
- YMCA Camp Ernst

