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Holy Cross Catholic School Newsletter

150 Years of Discipleship



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Kitchen Duty Schedule

Thur. 9/21: Tonia Briski

Fri. 9/22: Carrie Nystrom

Mon. 9/25: Moira Callan

Tues. 9/26: Cami Wasilkoff

Wed. 9/27: Jonathan Reinhardt

Thurs. 9/28: Michele Vincent

Sign up here:

<https://goo.gl/yEEX4z>



Dear Holy Cross Families,

Each year the International Day of Peace is observed around the world on September 21st. The United Nations has declared this as a day devoted to strengthening the ideals of peace, both within and among all nations and peoples. The International Day of Peace, also known as Peace Day, was brought into being by United Nations Resolutions in 1981 and 2001. Each year, hundreds of students take part in a student observance of Peace Day at the United Nations which includes Messengers of Peace. You can view the UN's Peace Day page: www.un.org/peaceday.

Dear God,

We thank you for giving us your peace.

*Help us to spread peace at home and at school
by loving and caring for one another.*

*Help us to spread peace by listening to one another,
even when we don't agree.*

*Help us to spread peace by sharing our time
with those who are lonely and who need a friend.*

*Help us to spread peace by thinking and praying
for children who have no food or
who are frightened and live in fear.*

*Let us pray every day for peace
for our families, for our friends
and for ourselves*

Amen

We teach our students to practice each day as if it were Peace Day here at Holy Cross Catholic School.

Blessings,

Mrs. Gast

Lunch Menu:

9/21: Scrambled Eggs, bacon, tater tots.

9/22: Buttered noodles, garlic bread, broccoli with cheese sauce.

9/25: Cinnamon roll, sausage patty, tater triangle.

9/26: Chicken patty on a bun, mashed potatoes, corn.

9/27: Sausage Pizza, breadstick, pudding.

Important Dates:

Thur. 9/21: HOLY CROSS SCHOOL DAY OF GIVING (Collection at mass). Mass Grade 6

Thurs. 9/21: SAC Meeting 6:00 pm (Library)

Fri. 9/22: Packer Dress Day

Tues. 9/26: Grades 4, 5 & 8 to Ledgeview Nature Center.

Contact Us:

<http://holycrossfamily.org/>

Holy Cross Catholic School Celebrates 150 Years of Discipleship

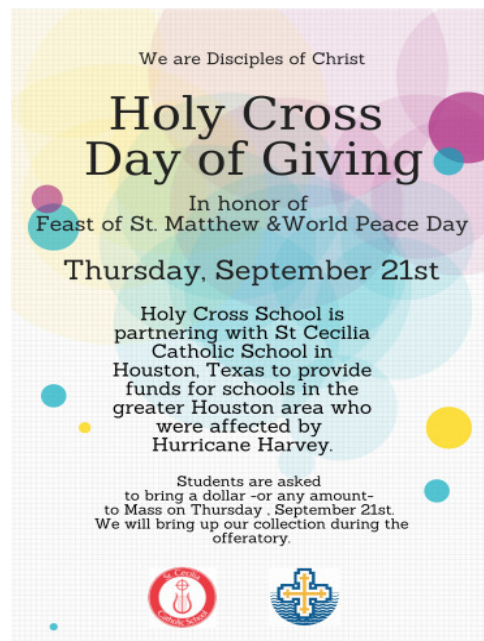
Holy Cross Catholic School is approaching its 150th anniversary (Feb. 12th 2018).

The Holy Cross School faculty has been meeting to brainstorm events and celebration ideas. If you would like to be a part of the planning (on a large or small part) we could use your help!

Please contact Mrs. Gast
sgast@gracesystem.org

Holy Cross Day of Giving Tomorrow!

We are hoping to have all students participate in helping the families of St. Cecilia Catholic School who are still displaced and suffering from Hurricane Harvey.



We are Disciples of Christ



Holy Cross Day of Giving

In honor of
Feast of St. Matthew & World Peace Day

Thursday, September 21st

Holy Cross School is partnering with St Cecilia Catholic School in Houston, Texas to provide funds for schools in the greater Houston area who were affected by Hurricane Harvey.

Students are asked to bring a dollar -or any amount- to Mass on Thursday, September 21st. We will bring up our collection during the offeratory.



World Rosary

At the beginning of the school year each student was given a World Rosary to be used throughout the year. Today in a prayer service the Holy Cross Students gathered in the gym to kick off our "Holy Cross School Day of Giving" for St. Cecilia Catholic School in Houston Texas. We concluded our prayer service by saying one decade of our World Rosary for North & South America; for the help they need to rebuild from the recent hurricanes & natural disasters. Tomorrow after mass Father Dane will bless the students' World Rosaries.



Colors of the World Mission Rosary

Green –Africa (For the forests and grasslands of Africa)

Red – North and South America

Beige (Beige or White) – Europe, the home of the Holy Father

Blue – Australia/Oceania (For the oceans that surround the islands of the Pacific)

Brown -Asia/ Middle East

Mission Statement: Holy Cross Catholic School guides each student in developing academic, emotional, and physical excellence while spreading the Gospel message as Jesus did, since 1868

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