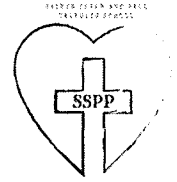


SS. Peter and Paul School Panther Press



Sunday, February 23rd: Please go to church! Your faith community needs you!

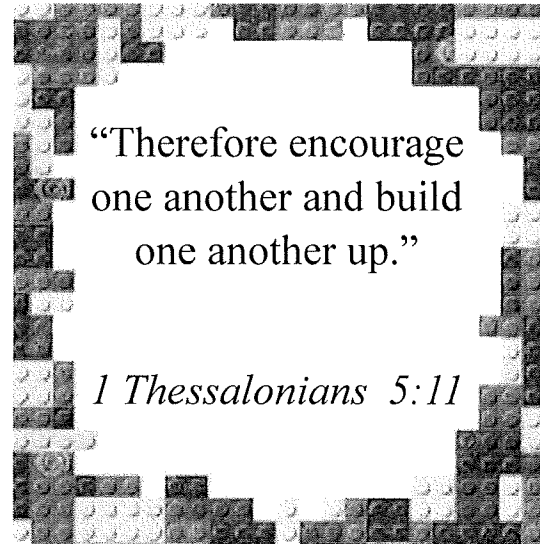
Monday, February 24th
Hall Prayer

Tuesday, February 25th

Wednesday, February 26th
Ash Wednesday—Mass at 8am
All are welcome and allowed to receive ashes
*Please remember to bring a canned good to donate to Zion Food Pantry, if you are able.
8th Grade Pizza Lunch
5th Grade trip to the GR Symphony

Thursday, February 27th
No Mass

Friday, February 28th
Jeans Day
Knight of Columbus Fish Fry 5pm-7pm



Enrollment - Saints Peter and Paul enrollment is now open! Go to ssppcatholic.com and click on the registration link! Families who register by April 15th receive a discounted enrollment fee and a chance to win a \$25 Meijer gift card! **NO FEES ARE DUE AT TIME OF REGISTRATION!**

Preschool enrollment is not confirmed until a letter is received in the mail from Mrs. Leik! Existing families are given top priority, then parishioners, followed by first come, first serve. Please know that all applications are all date and time stamped. This is what will be used for the first come, first serve portion of preschool enrollment, so it is important to register early.

2020/2021 Scholarships— Families wishing to apply for scholarships for the 2020-21 school year will need to complete the Smart Aid application. Applications and complete instructions are available by following the links below: Applications and supporting document deadlines:

Round 2 of Bishop Scholarship: 2/03/20

Round 3 of Bishop Scholarship: 4/17/20

Round 4 of Bishop Scholarship: tbd

Any and all scholarships are awarded to families that have submitted a Smart Aid application and meet scholarship requirements. Scholarships are reviewed and awarded on a first-come, first-served basis to eligible families. Even if your family does not qualify for the Bishop Scholarship from the Diocese, your application through Smart Aid is needed for the school to award aid through the Saints Peter and Paul Scholarship Fund .

New Scholarship Opportunity—The Faith and Future Scholarship was recently announced by the Diocese! Please see the flyer sent home! Each student enter Kindergarten or 6th grade has the opportunity to receive \$100 off their tuition! If you attended Preschool or 5th grade with us, you are eligible for an extra \$50 off! This is a separate application from Smart Aid. If you need help, please contact the school office!

MSU Rodeo— Thank you to all of the parents, and students who attended the Rodeo! It was a very educational day! Also a HUGE thank you goes out to the Knights of Columbus who helped fund the Ionia Public School buses! Finally, thank you to our bus drivers for getting us to and from the Rodeo safely and joining us for our day of learning.

24 Hour Rule—With flu season upon us, please be aware that students should be free fever for 24 hours, WITHOUT medication before returning to school. If your child has vomited, they may not return to school until they are 24 hours past the last time they vomited. These policies are in place to keep everyone as healthy as possible. Please do your part.

Continue to encourage good handwashing habits from your child. It is the number one defense against the germs!

Have you reviewed the Mission Statement?

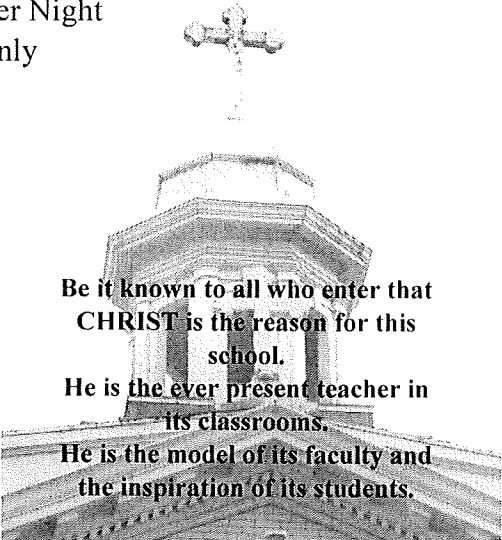
The Mission of Saints Peter and Paul School is to provide a high quality Catholic education in a Catholic Christian environment.

Through Word, example and service, students are taught a sense of responsibility for others and are encouraged to be actively involved in their faith and local communities.

Our goal is to form future leaders, productive citizens, and active faith-filled Christian men and women.

Upcoming Dates:

March 1—31	March is Reading Month
March 5	4th Grade Songfest
March 6	No School—Teacher In-service
March 8	Grades 5/6 at 11:30am Mass
March 18	Preschool & Kindergarten Meet the Teacher Night
March 25	Kindergarten Round-Up by appointment only
March 27	End of 3rd Quarter
April 3	Cold Lunch Only
April 6—10	Spring Break
April 12	Easter
April 13	Easter Monday—No School



**Be it known to all who enter that
CHRIST is the reason for this
school.
He is the ever present teacher in
its classrooms.
He is the model of its faculty and
the inspiration of its students.**