



LION'S DEN WEEKLY

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Reflection for the Week

Dear Lord,

*Teacher me to recognize your presence in each person I meet.
Help me to treat everyone fairly, lovingly, generously and graciously.
It is you, Lord, that we Honor.*

Amen

Back to School Virtual Nights

Thank you to those who attended the virtual Back to School Nights scheduled by your child's teacher. Grades 4, 5 and 6 are this evening.

Although meeting in person is so much better, this year I was able to be a part of the teachers' presentations and enjoyed every minute. Let us pray that next year, we can resume our in-person Back to School Night.

Walk-a-Thon

Yesterday you received an e-mail providing a link to your child's web based donation page for our annual Walk-a-Thon. This year it will take place Thursday, October 21. Request support from family and friends! There will be a cash prize for top seller, a pizza party for the top class, and Mrs. Thompson will be duck taped to the school building when our goal of \$15,000 is reached. Thank you for your support of our first fundraiser for the year.

Option C Parent Portal –.

The following forms are posted and ready for your electronic signature on [your Option C Parent Portal](#). You must sign into the parent portal, not the student portal.

Forms include:

- Memorandum of Understanding
- Parent/Student Handbook Agreement Form
- Request for Loan of Textbooks Form
- Parental Permission for Technology Use Form
- Chromebook Agreement

Lunch Menu Reminders

J.D. McGillicuddy's Lunch Menu opened today. It will close Friday, October 1. Remember you need to order for the entire month.

Returning families please be sure your children are in the correct grade.

Workbooks

We are still awaiting approval from the Pennsylvania Department of Education for math, reading and fourth grade social studies workbooks. I have contacted PDA numerous times concerning this and have been told they are working as best they can. As the PDE pays for our books, I have no control over their system.

On Going Reminders:

Fund Raisers for the Year

There are three major fundraisers planned for the 2021-2022 school year. The first is our annual Walk-A-Thon to be held Thursday, October 21. The second fundraiser is the 5-Week Club. This is the mandatory fundraiser for the year. Each family will be asked to purchase tickets for chances to win 5 weeks in a row. The last fundraiser, Keep Saint Eugene School Strong, will be held May 31.

On Going Fund Raiser for Saint Eugene School Amazon Smile

When you shop at smile.amazon.com, Amazon donates to Saint Eugene School. Type in Saint Eugene Church and begin shopping. A percentage of your sales is deposited directly into the Saint Eugene School account.

SCRIP Sales = Tuition Assistance

Buying SCRIP is a great way to save money on your tuition. You receive a percentage back for each gift card you purchase. Just be sure to keep the vouchers. Families have saved \$500 or more off their tuition by purchasing SCRIP. You may purchase SCRIP through the school by filling out the order form, found on our website, and sending it along with your payment, in a sealed envelope to school on Thursday. Your order will be filled and returned on Friday. Please be sure to label the envelope with your name and SCRIP. See our website for more details.

Upcoming Dates

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| September 23 | October Pretzel Money Due \$9.50 |
| September 24 | Band Begins Stationery Money Due |
| October 14 | Children's Choir Begins – Information to Follow |
| October 20 | Progress Reports |
| October 21 | Walk-a-Thon 11:30am Dismissal Parent/Teacher Conferences |
| October 22 | No School for Students Parent/Teacher Conferences |