

February 12, 2021

From the Headmaster



We're happy to welcome the Williams family back to Lumen Christi! Vincent is joining the 6th grade, and Kaitlin the 4th grade, on Tuesday.

Next week, we begin the penitential season of Lent. As it happens, we will have an unbroken stretch of classes until Good Friday, Apr 2. This allows us to keep a steady focus on preparing our hearts for Easter. Two practices we will follow as a school are to pray the Stations of the Cross after Mass each Friday, and to collect items for the St. Anthony and Holy Trinity Food Pantry, beginning the week of Feb. 22.

Weather Delays and Closings

My apologies to families that did not receive notification of the delayed opening yesterday. We seek to notify parents of school closings, delays or early dismissals due to weather or other circumstances through:

- A text message through Remind.com
- A listing on WTHR-TV and wthr.com
- A phone call from Mrs. Mascari, if requested

If you're not already signed up on Remind.com, here's what to do: If you use a smart phone, open up your browser and go to this link: rmd.at/lccsparent. Then follow the instructions. To get notifications if you don't have a smart phone, text the message **@lccsparent** to the number **81010**. If you need assistance, please email me, and I'll get you set up. **If you are already on Remind.com** and you did not receive a notice Thursday, please let me know. If you'd like Mrs. Mascari to call you when we have delays/closings, just let her know.

Coming Up Next Week

Monday, Feb. 15, is Presidents Day – no school! When we return on Feb. 16, we'll be celebrating **Fat Tuesday** with a Pizza Day lunch that includes a couple of surprises. On **Ash Wednesday**, if the church is full for 7:30 Mass, some of us may be attending via livestream in Priori Hall. (We would be able to receive communion and ashes.) We don't know exactly what to expect, but I just want you to be aware of the possibility.

Teaching the unity of faith and reason, through the Light that is Christ Jesus, for the formation of young Catholics in truth and virtue.

Looking Ahead to the 2021-22 School Year

- **Key Dates for 2021-22** are now on our school web site, lumenchristischool.org, under the Parents tab.
- Families seeking **financial aid for 2021-22** should complete their FACTS application by **March 12**.

Extracurricular News

- **Spring Drama Production** – Mrs. Richert and Mrs. Denney will begin practices for skits for Cabaret Night, April 30, next week in Priori Hall. The high school practice will be Tuesday (Feb. 16) and the middle school practice on Wednesday (Feb. 17). Both practices are scheduled for 2:30-3:30.
- **Girls Volleyball** – The Girls Volleyball Team is hanging tough and has two more games before the tournament in March. Thanks to our coaches, Mrs. Denney and Mrs. Dowell, for a great first season.
- **Chess Club** – Because we have no school on Monday (Feb. 15), the next meeting of the Chess Club will be on Monday, Feb. 22. All students are welcome!

Forms for Family Night Feb. 27

In today's Friday folders, you'll find sign-up sheets and pizza order forms for Family Night on **Saturday, Feb. 27**. It's a casual night of food and bingo, highlighted by an Art Show of student works presented by Mrs. Roller. Please plan to attend. Please return completed forms in the Friday folder.

Annual Dinner Update

- We will have four sponsorship levels for our Light in the City Dinner: **Seraphim Sponsor \$5000, Cherubim Sponsor \$2500, Archangel Sponsor \$1000, and Guardian Angel Sponsor \$500** – in addition to table sponsors. If you are interested in providing a sponsorship or know someone we should contact, please contact me for more details. Thank you!
- Also in today's Friday folders is a flyer about the **Bourbon Pull** at the Annual Dinner. Donations of fine bourbon are gladly accepted in the main office!
- The Annual Dinner committee met this week and is making great progress on the big event on Sunday, April 25. Mark your calendar! We can use more volunteers, so if you can help, please contact me!