

LA SALLE CATHOLIC SCHOOL NEWS

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“Enter the Journey of Faith”



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One of the most important things we can do to share our faith with our children is to participate in weekend Mass.

Pastorate Mass Schedule

Balltown 4:00 Saturday  
Luxemburg 6:00 Saturday  
Rickardsville 8:00 Sunday  
Sherrill 10:00 Sunday

Readings for this weekend:

Sirach 35:12-14, 16-18      2 Timothy 4:6-8, 16-18      Luke 18:9-14

*Whoever exalts himself will be humbled and the one who humbles himself will be exalted.*

**Thank you!** Thank you to all the grandparents and friends who spent time with us at school today. We are so pleased to have you visit school and participate with us in activities. The students had a wonderful time and we hope you did as well.

**Fall Cash Raffle Winners:** Traci Schmitt won the top prize of \$3500. Leon Klein won the second prize of \$1500. Steve Georgen won the third prize of \$750. Lonnie & Diane Klein were winners of a \$350 prize. Charles & Mary Hellman were also winners of a \$350 prize. The four winners of the raffle’s \$200 prizes were Ken Schroeder, Kay Schmitt, Cheryl Sigwarth, and Mark Dupont. La Salle Catholic School earned \$5,775 from the 2019 fall raffle. This is an increase of \$1512 from the 2018 fall raffle. Thank you to everyone for your support!

**Red Ribbon Week Activities Continue:**

**Monday, October 28 is Cool Day** with the theme, “It’s Cool to Be Drug Free.” Students may wear their favorite “cool” hat and sunglasses.

**Tuesday, October 29 is Farm and Country Pride Day** with the theme, “Respect Yourself. Be Drug Free.” Students may dress in country clothes, boots, and hats. If your student will be wearing cowboy boots, please send along tennis shoes for gym class.

**Wednesday, October 30 is Sports Day** with the theme, “Keep Your Head In The Game, Be Drug Free!” Students may wear their favorite team’s clothes, colors, or team uniform.

**Thursday, October 31 is Halloween.** Students may be out-of-uniform in their favorite Halloween shirt. Students in Preschool through grade two will have a costume parade at 2:15 in the gym. There will be Halloween parties in classrooms.

**Early Dismissal:** School will be dismissed two hours early on Thursday, November 14.

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**No School:** Friday, November 15 is a no school day. Teachers will be meeting for in-service activities.

**Halloween Plans:** Students in four-year-old preschool will celebrate Halloween on Tuesday, October 29. They will change into costumes after lunch recess and parade through the classrooms of the older students. They will visit businesses in Holy Cross about 1:30 and have their party in their classroom afterwards. Students in kindergarten through grade 6 will celebrate Halloween on Thursday, October 31. Students may be out-of-uniform and wear a Halloween shirt. Kindergarten through grade 2 will change into costumes at 2:00 and parade in the gym at 2:15. Families are welcome to come to school for the Halloween parade. Students in three-year-old preschool will celebrate Halloween at class on Friday, November 1. They will put costumes on for a party at 10:00.

**All Saints Day:** All Saints Day is a Holy Day of obligation. Because this Holy Day falls on Friday, Mass will be at our regular school Mass time of 8:30. There is a vigil Mass for the Holy Day at Rickardsville at 7:00 pm on Thursday, October 31.

**All Systems Mass:** On Thursday, November 7, students will be taking a bus to Beckman Catholic High School to attend an All Systems Mass. Permission slips will be sent home today and Monday.

**Science Night at Beckman Catholic:** Students in grades 3-6 are invited to attend Science Night on Monday, November 4. Children may be dropped off or may attend with their parent/guardian from 5:00 - 7:00 pm. Prior registration is required. Email Cheryl Kluesner at [ckluesner@beckmancatholic.org](mailto:ckluesner@beckmancatholic.org) to register or call Beckman at 875-7188. Please note any allergy or dietary restrictions at time of registration. Older students will be able to attend the open house that evening. This event is possible in part by a grant from the Iowa Academy of Science.

**Open House at Beckman:** Beckman Catholic High School has scheduled their Fall Open House for Monday, November 4, from 6:30 - 7:30 pm. Ambassadors will guide parents and students on a tour of the school, highlighting academic achievements and providing interactive classroom visits. You do not need to register for this event.

**Wrestling Camp at Beckman Catholic:** Wrestling Camp will be held on November 9 from 9:00 am -12:00 pm for grades 1-4 and from 1:00 - 4:00pm for students in grades 5-8. Registration forms can be accessed on the Beckman website under the activities tab/camps/wrestling.

**Parent Teacher Student Conferences:** Parent Teacher Student conferences are scheduled for Tuesday, November 12 from 4:00 to 6:30 p.m. and on Thursday, November 14 from 2:00 to 8:00 p.m. Forms will be sent home next week for scheduling conference times.

**School-Planned Sunday Mass:** La Salle Catholic School is planning a weekend school Mass for Sunday, November 17 at 10:00 am at Sts. Peter and Paul Church in Sherrill. Students in kindergarten through grade 6 will take part through various roles. Please watch for an RSVP letter to come home next week asking if your family will be attending at that time so we know which students can be assigned roles.

**DARE Graduation:** Students in 5th/6th grade have been participating in the DARE program with Sheriff's Deputy Kamm. Graduation will be held at 7:00 pm on Wednesday, November 20.

**Out-of-Uniform:** Our October Out-of-Uniform Day raised \$119 for the Veterans Freedom Center. Our next Out-of-Uniform Day will be Wednesday, November 20 and donations will be for Advent Angels.

**Great Gobble Galore:** The fall vendor fair will be held on Friday, November 22 from 6:00-8:30. There is only one table still available. If you sell a product or have a friend or family member who is interested, please contact Roberta Smith at 563-599-2649. Kid's games will be set up in the cafeteria and there will be food for sale.

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