

LA SALLE CATHOLIC SCHOOL NEWS

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“Enter the Journey of Faith”



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:

2 Samuel 5:1-3 Colossians 1:12-20 Luke 23:35-43

Jesus, remember me when you come into your kingdom.

Great Gobble Galore: Join us tonight from 6:00 to 8:30 p.m. for our annual Great Gobble Galore family event. Twenty five vendors will have booths set up for your holiday shopping. Donated items will be raffled off with tickets selling for \$1 per ticket, or \$5 for 6 tickets. There will be a drawing for a free door prize. Games will be set up for the kids to play. Food items available include walking tacos, popcorn, cookies and lemon-tang drink. Hope to see you there!

Sack Lunch on Monday: Students need to bring a sack lunch to school on Monday, November 25. There will be a funeral dinner in the cafeteria that day.

Thanksgiving: La Salle School will have school on Monday, November 25 and Tuesday, November 26. There is no school the rest of the week and the school office will be closed. Reminder, there will not be an 8:30 school Mass in Holy Cross on Friday, November 29.

Advent: The first Sunday of Advent is December 1. La Salle Catholic School students will be sharing in Advent prayer services throughout the month of December. The service for the first week of Advent will be presented by grades 3 and 4 on Thursday, December 5 at 2:45. Grades 5 and 6 will present the second week of Advent prayer service on Thursday, December 12 at 2:45. Preschool and kindergarten will present the third week of Advent prayer service on Monday, December 16 at 2:45. The prayer service for the fourth week of Advent will be presented by grades 1 and 2 on Friday, December 20 at 11:15. December 20 is a two-hour early out and the last day of school for 2019. We will have an Advent retreat that day with students working in multi-age groups across classrooms.

Blood Drive December 6: La Salle Catholic School is hosting a blood drive at school on Friday, December 6 from 2:00-6:30. Will you give?

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Prayers for Mrs. Webb: Please pray for Mrs. Webb as she has knee-replacement surgery on Monday, November 25. The sub for next Monday and Tuesday will be Mrs. Beecher. Mrs. Schmitt will be the sub for the rest of the time that Mrs. Webb is recuperating.

Heritage Center Performances: Grades 5 and 6 are scheduled to go to the University of Dubuque Heritage Center on December 2 for a performance called, “50 States in 60 Minutes.” Grades Kindergarten through 6 will be attending the play, “Christmas Carol,” at the Heritage Center on December 9.

Cookies with Santa: Santa is coming to the La Salle gym on Saturday, December 14. There will be an open house event featuring three activity centers from 9:00 to 11:00 a.m. Children are invited to visit Santa, listen to stories, and frost cookies. Each family will leave with a photo of their Santa visit.

Holy Cross Cookie Exchange: There will be a cookie exchange in Holy Cross from 9:30-10:30 on Saturday, December 14. Please see the attached flyer for more information about how to sign up.

Christmas Scrip Contest: The school scrip contest runs from November 1 through December 17. For every \$250 of scrip purchased, your name will be entered into a drawing for one of two prizes: a day in the park including a pavilion rental at the Holy Cross Park along with a pizza certificate from Noonan’s North and Neumann’s and a \$20 gift card from Main Street Market or a scrip of choice of \$250. The winners will be drawn at the school Christmas program on December 19.

Christmas Program: La Salle School will present their Christmas Program on Thursday, December 19 at 2:15 and 7:00 pm. This year’s program will be a musical, *Star of Wonder*.

STO: This is the time of year we ask for donations to the STO program. The Educational Opportunities Act, passed by the Iowa Legislature in 2006, allows Iowa taxpayers to receive a tax credit equal to sixty-five percent (65%) of the total amount of voluntary cash contributions made to a School Tuition Organization. Donations can be made by check or credit card. Donations can also take the form of gifts of stock or gifts of grain. There are specific instructions for donating stock or grain. Forms and directions are available by contacting Jeff Schneider at 563-556-2580 ext 219 or online at <https://www.ourfaithsto.org/for-donors/ways-to-donate/>. Contributions must be postmarked by December 31, 2019 to be eligible for a 2019 tax credit.

Dubuque Fighting Saints Hockey: Members of the Dubuque Fighting Saints hockey team will be at La Salle on January 28 to present their Live Like a Saint assembly. La Salle Night at the hockey game is on Saturday, February 8. Tickets for the hockey game will be \$10 and will be on sale in January.