

Holy Spirit Newsletter



December 18, 2020

UPCOMING EVENTS:

January 4, 2021

School Resumes

January 4-8th

School will be
online.

Students need to
log on to ALL of
their classes or
they are
marked absent.

Dear Parents,

Merry Christmas and Happy New Year! I send many prayers and wishes of blessings, happiness, peace, and joy to you and your families. 2020 has been a challenging year for all of us and our faith us brings us the hope for 2021.

We will be remote January 4th - January 8th. Please read the email that was sent yesterday regarding this decision. It was made after many conversations and serious thought.

Father Arnold and I are asking with an urgent plea, to keep your family safe. Use caution and care when you are making decisions over break to attend gatherings. Community spread has a direct impact on whether or not students can be in schools. We know how important it is that students are in the building, but safety is our number one priority.

Again, I wish you all a very Merry Christmas and Happy New Year!
Good tidings of joy to all of you!

God Bless and Stay Safe,

Miss Chessler



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HOLY SPIRIT SPARTANS

While nurturing active Christ-centered citizens, Holy Spirit Catholic School's mission is to maximize student learning through the development of responsibility, reasoning, and resilience.

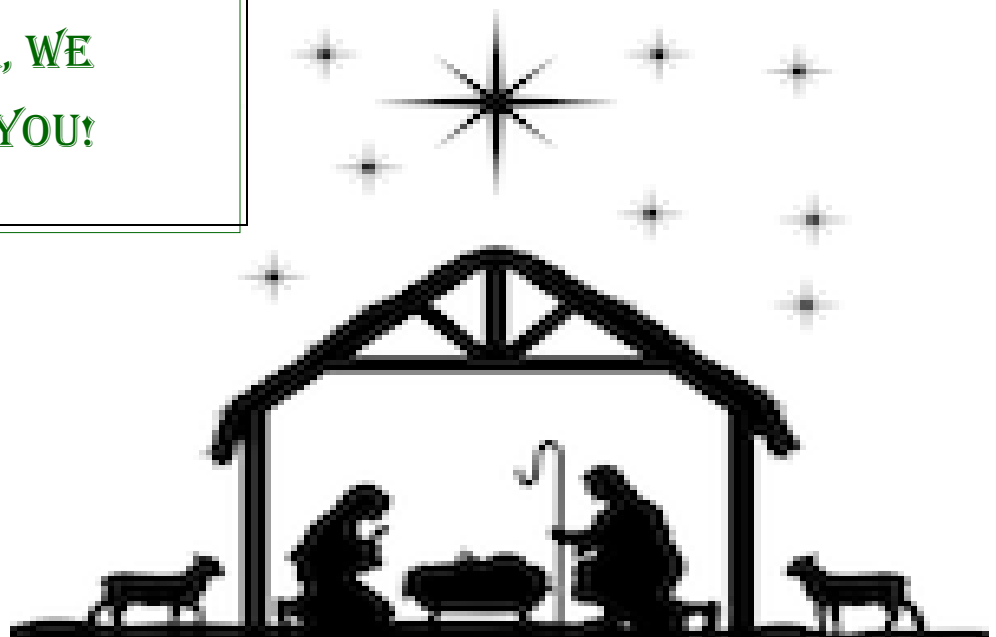
MERRY CHRISTMAS TO ALL OF
YOU FROM THE HOLY SPIRIT
SCHOOL TEACHERS AND
STAFF!!

WE WISH YOU MANY
BLESSINGS, HAPPINESS, AND
JOY IN THE NEW YEAR!

THANK YOU FOR ALL THE
SUPPORT, PATIENCE, AND
PRAYERS DURING THIS
SCHOOL YEAR, WE
APPRECIATE YOU!

God of Love,

As we approach Christmas day, may we all feel the true spirit of Christmas, a spirit that tells us about God's great love for each of us. May we appreciate the meaning of the birth of Christ, a birth that has changed history forever. His birth allows each of us to be more fully alive, knowing that Jesus' birth offers us salvation and love. May this Christmas bring joy and peace. Amen



Christmas Break Tips:

Safely Celebrating Christmas and New Years

According to the Ohio Department of Health, the best way to protect yourself and your loved ones during the COVID-19 pandemic is to celebrate the holidays at home with members of your household. If you decide to get together with others, please keep the gathering small (10 people or fewer) and stick to the basics:

- Everyone should wear a mask who can safely do so.
- Make sure everyone washes their hands frequently and uses hand sanitizer.
- Whenever feasible, stay 6 feet away from one another.
- Regularly disinfect frequently touched surfaces.
- If you are sick, remain home and stay away from others as much as possible.
- Have a small dinner for those who reside in your home, and organize a virtual call with extended family.
- Have your own parade. Drive by homes of neighbors or family members.
- Dig out those old photos and videos of holidays past, share your favorites with relatives, and ask them to do the same. Have the most tech-savvy family member create a shareable video combining all the contributions.
- If you are traveling out of state, please follow the travel advisories and let us know.

TESTING SITES AND INFORMATION

- covid-19.myfcph.org- has a map with testing sites close to where you live. They also have pop-up sites
- coronavirus.ohio.gov- has a map of testing sites
- OSU Fairgrounds 717 East 17th Ave 43211 614-293-4000, 614-293-3200. They suggest you call your primary care provider first. If you have a My chart account you will get the results quicker than 2-3 days.
- Walgreens on Broad Street (Rapid tests)