



SAINT JAMES CATHOLIC SCHOOL

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Dear Parents,

September 18, 2024

My main letter to you this week consists in what I wrote regarding the Opportunity Scholarship of Nebraska. Please see this sheet enclosed in your packet. There is one happy update since the letter was written. We are now up to \$64,400.00 which may be used for eligible students to receive scholarships to St. James. Thank you to all who are supporting this effort!

In the Heart of Christ the King,

Sister Mary Alma, C.K.

Eucharistic Revival: During this third year of our nation's Eucharistic revival, a portion of each newsletter will be dedicated to Eucharistic teachings and/or inspirational stories. This week enjoy some thoughts from the Saints!

“There are two things the devil is deadly afraid of: fervent Communions and frequent visits to the Blessed Sacrament.” – Saint John Bosco

“If the angels could be jealous of men, they would be so for one reason: Holy Communion.” – Saint Maximilian Kolbe

“The Eucharist is the secret of my day. It gives me strength and meaning to all my activities of service to the Church and to the whole world.” – Pope Saint John Paul II

Parent-Teacher Conferences: Parent-Teacher Conferences are on Thursday, October 3 from 9:00 am – 12:00 pm, 1:00 – 5:00 pm, and 6:00 – 8:00 pm. Please see the sign-up sheet enclosed in this packet. We hope to see you at St. James!

Picture Retake Day: Picture retakes are scheduled for Thursday, September 26. Children having their picture taken for the first time or retaken may wear appropriate dress clothing to school and change back into uniforms after their picture is taken. Pre-K children do not need to change clothing. If your child is having their picture retaken, please let the school know in advance (402-826-2318) and bring back the original photograph package.

Volunteers are needed: Would you like to help with the Book Fair? Please see the dates and times below and give us a call to let us know you can help. (402-826-2318)

Calendar change: Please make this change on your calendars. St. James School will not be in session on Monday, March 3. We will have school, however, on Monday, March 17.

Coming Home Today: Opportunity Scholarship Letter, Villa Regina Workday Flyer, Parent-Teacher Conferences Sign-up Flyer.

Upcoming Dates:

September 26 Picture retake day.

September 29 Book Sale in the school library 10:00 am – 1:00 pm

(Would you like to volunteer? Please call the office at 402-826-2318.)

October 2nd Book Sale in the school library 3:30 pm – 4:30 pm

(Would you like to volunteer? Please call the office at 402-826-2318.)

October 3 Parent-Teacher Conferences – Sign up information is in the packet today.
Book Sale in the library 9:00 am – 8:00 pm.

(Would you like to volunteer? Please call the office at 402-826-2318)

October 7 The third graders presents “The Living Rosary” 1:20 pm in church. Parents are welcome.

October 15 SFA Meeting at 6:30 pm in the parish hall.

October 22 First Penance Meeting for parents of children in 2nd grade. 6:30 pm in the parish hall.

October 31 The first graders present the “All Saints Parade” 1:15 pm. Parents are welcome.

Mission Carnival follows at 1:45 in the parish hall. Parents are welcome.

