

School News ...

The 2017—2018 school theme which guides us:
Happy are those who walk in the ways of the Lord.
(Psalm 128)

Correction: Our middle school students have the opportunity to visit the Adoration Chapel **every** Monday during their recess (vs monthly, as last week's Messenger noted). This week, our chapel was packed with over 35 students who wanted to spend their time in quiet prayer. Thank you to our wonderful volunteers Beth Czarnecki, Mary Wisnewski, Michelle Gutierrez, Carrissa Brayer and Ronda DeAngelis for helping us facilitate this precious weekly time with Jesus.

All students will regularly visit the Adoration Chapel with their classes:

- 2nd-8th grade will visit once a month
- 5K and 1st grade will visit every other month
- 3K and 4K will visit the chapel quarterly

SAVE THE DATE for the 125th Holy Apostles School Anniversary Golf Outing & Dinner at Morning Star Golf Course on Saturday, September 29th. Look for more details soon!

Bake Sale! Bake Sale! The 5th grade is having a Bake Sale on Wednesday, March 28th (Kelm) and Thursday, March 29th (Schreiner)!

The proceeds from the sale will be split between two charities. These two wonderful organizations will be selected as the result of a persuasive writing/technology assignment and student vote. Each student will create a technology-based presentation trying to convince classmates to give money to the charity he/she selected. After all students present their projects to the class, students will vote for the most convincing one in each class! Although we are certain each student will create a quite convincing presentation, only one from each class will be selected!

Our sweet treats will be sold throughout all school lunches on Wednesday, March 28th and Thursday, March 29th. Each delicious delight costs only \$.50 cents!! Please support the Fifth Grade Bake Sale!

Lenten Penny Drive reminder! Thank you for supporting Children Helping Children, which is a ministry of the School Sisters of St. Francis. Check out previous Messengers for more information. Thank you for your support!

The school health-room is in need of latex free rubber gloves, size medium. We also need a replacement probe of a Welch Allyn Sure Temp Plus 690 thermometer. Thank you for your help.

2017-2018 School Calendar

March 15—Chess Club, Tuition Due, 4K—Betty Brinn, Peer Mentoring

March 16—All School Mass—7:50am, Free Out of Uniform Green Day, 3K Muffins with Moms

March 19—7th Grade DARE, 4th grade Linden Grove

March 20—Winter Advanced Band Recital—6: 30 in Lofy, Peer Mentoring

March 21—MSO 4th / 5th Grade, Middle School Preview, End of the 3rd Quarter, **NO**

ASIP today, Middle School Preview Night

March 22—Chess Club, Peer Mentoring

March 23—NO SCHOOL, Fish Fry

March 24—Forensics State Tournament

March 26—7th grade DARE, Holy Week—NO evening activities

March 27th—Peer Mentoring, Geo Cache Club, Holy Week—No evening activities

March 28—ASIP, 5th grade bake sale, Holy Week—No evening activities

March 29—5th grade bake sale, Living Stations of the Cross—1:45, Holy Week—No evening activities

March 30—Good Friday, No School until 4/9

April 9—School resumes, \$1 Out of Uniform

April 10—Geocaching, Peer Mentoring

April 11—8th grade trip to Alverno

8th Grade Washington DC Trip Update—On Thursday 3/8 your child received the Medical Form that needs to be filled out for the Washington DC trip. It is a two-sided document, so please complete both sides. The Medical Form is due Wednesday, March 28th to Mrs. Laabs. Thank you to the families that have already turned in their form.

No meds are needed to be turned in at this time, but they should be turned in the week before the trip (a separate reminder email will be sent out). When the time does come around to turn in meds, please put the meds in a ziplock baggie with their first and last name and any instructions on it. Remember that seasonal allergies are popular in DC at this time. You do not need to bring in aspirin, advil, Tylenol, ibuprofen, or pepto bismal as the chaperones will carry this with them in the first aid kit (please note that we are not providing these meds in chewables or gel caps).

Later in April, we will have a student meeting at lunch/recess to discuss the tentative itinerary, chaperone groups, rules, expectations, etc. We will send a separate email after the meeting. Please let us know if there are any questions/concerns.

—Mrs. Laabs, Ms. Schreiner, and Sra. Kurth

Legacy Gift Update: Thank you to everyone who purchased or donated to the 8th Grade Legacy Bake Sale this past weekend. We are grateful for your support and we hope you enjoyed your treats!

Also, we are still taking orders for **Krispy Kreme BOGO** cards. See more information [here](#).

Thank you to the [Trinity Irish Dancers](#) who will be performing on Friday, March 16th at 1:30! Our kids are excited to have them back! All are welcome to join us for this wonderful experience AND to cheer on one of our own dancers, Maggie Lemke!

Athletics news ...

Padre Serra Basketball Tournament Update!

On Saturday the 8th grade boys won their 2nd round game of the Padre Serra Tournament and have moved on to the final 8 teams!

Their next game is Friday March 16th at 7:45 pm against St. Joseph - Kenosha at the Mount Mary Bloechl Center - 2929 N. 92nd Street, Milwaukee. Please come out to cheer on the boys!

Unfortunately the 8th grade girls were eliminated this weekend from the Padre Serra Tournament. Congratulations to the girls on a nice run in the tournament and their league season as well!

Track Registration

Reminder - track registration (<http://www.hanbschool.org/athletics>) is now open for 5th, 6th, 7th, and 8th grade students. The early registration deadline is March 31st and the final registration deadline is April 30th (extra \$10 fee will be assessed for registrations received after March 31st).

The track season practice will begin in mid- to late-March; track meets will take place Saturdays (with a couple of Friday evenings) between April 14th and May 26th.

Please contact our Track Coordinator, Jim Ganzer with any questions (jim@iwbmarketing.com) about the track season or Chris Quesnell (chris.quesnell@lakesideengineers.com) with any registration-related questions.

Home & School Association ...

Our Home & School Association (HSA) supports the spiritual and educational mission of Holy Apostles School. We financially assist school needs and provide adult, student, and family activities. For a full description of the role of the HSA, visit our [website](#) & like us on [Facebook](#)!

ATTENTION ALL PARENTS!!! HIGH INTEREST DAY REGISTRATION ENDS THIS SUNDAY, MARCH 18!

Click on this [link](#) to access the HID website. Then, using the registration IDs and passwords that were sent home with your oldest child last week, please help your children select their top choices.

All students (1st-8th grade) need to enter their selections by this Sunday, March 18th.

If you'd like to check out all the fun things that your kids are doing on High Interest Day, come volunteer for part or all of the day!

Any questions, please contact Wendy Kopischke (wendy_kopischke@yahoo.com) or Ashley Banton (abanton@hanb.org).

For any questions regarding web registration such as student numbers and passwords, please contact Lynda Gilpin (the6gilpins@gmail.com) or call (262) 565-8978.

MARCH MADNESS!!! It's time for Scrip March Madness! While you are filling out your brackets and rooting for your favorite team, place a Scrip order and earn a chance to win. Every week in March, a name will be drawn and the winner gets to pick a \$25.00 gift card of their choice. Last date for the drawing will be Monday, March 26.

This week's winner is the Sturino Family. Congratulations!!!

Whether you are traveling near or far for Spring Break, the beach in Florida or the snowy fields in Waukesha County, now is the time to stock up for the week of vacation. Gas, grocery, restaurants, souvenirs, buy your Scrip cards. You can also order ScripNow and reloads during the week of Spring Break because Great Lakes Scrip will not be closed for Easter break.

At the end of March, the four winners will be entered into a final drawing to win 100% profit on their next Scrip order.

GRAB 'N GO—The next Scrip Grab 'N Go will be Friday, April 13th.

LOOKING FOR THE PERFECT EASTER GIFT? Your kids would love to receive a gift card to their favorite store or restaurant in their Easter basket, and their dentist will thank you too. Save their teeth, buy some Scrip gift cards for Easter!

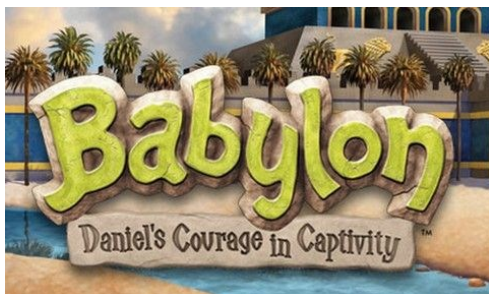
Parents, save the date!!! Our Home and School Association will be hosting the Spring Adult Social on Saturday, April 21. Keep an eye out for a flyer to come home next week with further details!

Also, we are looking for someone with a bartenders license in attendance at the Adult Social. You don't need to serve the drinks but just need to be there. If anyone will be able to do this, please contact Heather Sturino (hsturino@gmail.com) or Valerie Lange (valerie.lange@live.com). Thank you!

Parish news ...



SAVE THE DATE FOR BABY SHOWER FOR UNBORN sponsored by **Elizabeth Ministry of Holy Apostles**. Please begin to think about collecting/making items for the **BABY SHOWER** for needy mothers with crisis pregnancy. The dates will be April 28-29 and May 5-6 at all Masses. As in the past, ELIZABETH MINISTRY will seek to give assistance to agencies such as Birthright, Evangelical Child and Family Ministry and Life's Connection. Baby items such as diapers, wipes, swaddles, sleepers, outfits, (please ...new or homemade items only) other baby needs as well as monetary gifts are needed. Thank you in advance! More information to come. Questions: Mary Chmielewski (262)782-6783.



SAVE THE DATE for Vacation Bible School! **JULY 16 -20 9:00 AM -12:00 PM**

Join us as we travel back in time to the Holy Land to be with Daniel who was torn from his home and forced into the king's service.

We will explore exotic sights and smells in the Babylonian bazaar, play on the Palace Playground, and visit with Daniel as he shares his stories of faith in the one TRUE GOD. Kids and adults will find that they're not much different from Daniel and his friends, who kept their faith in a faithless culture.

SPACE IS LIMITED! REGISTRATION OPENS APRIL 4th at www.hanb.org!

Holy Week and Adoration Chapel – Holy Thursday to Easter Vigil

Holy Week is the Church's most special prayer season beginning with the Mass of the Lord's Supper on **Holy Thursday** (March 29th) at 7:00 p.m. followed with the Passion of the Lord on **Good Friday** at 3:00 p.m. (March 30th), and concluding with the **Easter Vigil** at 8:00 p.m. on Holy Saturday (March 31st). These are special days of prayer for the whole church but also for us individually.

The presence of the adoration chapel provides an additional opportunity for individual prayer. The adoration chapel will be open **all day and all night** after the Holy Thursday service until the Easter Vigil at 8:00 p.m. on Saturday with the exception of the Good Friday prayer at 3:00 p.m. when we gather to pray as a community.

It would be especially helpful if you could **sign up** for Thursday evening, Friday, and Saturday in the chapel, or on the parish web site (www.hanb.org), or by calling the Parish Center ([262-786-7330](tel:262-786-7330)).

Clubs, activities, and student news ...

Check out the New Berlin School District Summer Program [here!](#)

Girl Scout Sock Hop – March 16th – (Theme: Out of this World!) All girl scouts and siblings are invited to the annual Girl Scout Sock Hop being held March 16th in the HA gym from 2:30-4:00. There will be dancing, Glow-in-the-Dark fun, games, snacks, and lots of fun. Please see the attached flyer for more information and to sign up for this great event. RSVPs were due by Monday, March 12th. The girls of Troop 8322 hope you join us. Please contact Lynda Gilpin at [262-565-8978](tel:262-565-8978) or the6gilpins@gmail.com with any questions.



Congratulations to 3rd grader, Madison Schaumann, who received her permanent Dan Black Belt at the age of 9 in Taekwondo this past weekend!

Madison's journey started a little over 3.5 years ago when WMAA came to Holy Apostles for High Interest Day. From the first day, she was hooked and has put in countless hours at the Dojang going three to four times per week to help reach her goal. Along with weekly classes, she has attended tournaments both in Wisconsin and St. Louis in which she has competed in form and board breaking. Madison lives her life by the words she is taught at school through her faith and by the tenants that they teach at Taekwondo which include; courtesy, integrity, perseverance, self-control, and indomitable spirit.

Elmwood Chess Tournament—Saturday, March 24. Elmwood School is hosting a [chess tournament](#). Anyone is welcome to register. You play 6 rounds of chess starting at 9:15 (check-in is between 7:45-8:45).

The way this chess tournament works is: They have 2 options for non-rated chess players. (If you don't have a USCF membership, you aren't rated): K-3 or K-6. If you are in K-3 you can decide whether to register for the K-3 or K-6 division. Every time you win, you get 1 point. If you tie, you get a half point. At the end of 6 rounds, your total points count towards your individual award. Your points also count towards your school team award. The scores from up to 4 players will determine your school team award. Everyone gets a medal.

If you have any questions, you can contact Lynda Gilpin at [262-565-8978](tel:262-565-8978) (different from the school directory) or the6gilpins@gmail.com.

The Forensics Team had a successful run in the last weeks of the season!

From the Cudahy Meet on March 3rd: Congratulations to Jackie Behring and Sophia DeAngelis - they took 1st place in Group Acting. Congratulations also go out to: Madelyn Gratz, Ali Lara, Lilli Schneider, and Aliann Winchester all for earning state scores. An amazing run also by Nathan Schomburg and Roman DeAngelis for getting a perfect score of 70!

We had great scores from last weekend at Immanuel Brookfield on Friday:

Congratulations to: Ali Lara - 1st place in Prose category. Also, two teams: Myles Hubacek, Josh Nitka and Bryce Roder And Reenie Ganzer and Emily Langer our teams tied for 1st place in Special Events Category
Lilli Schneider earned a 3rd place medal in Storytelling and Daniel Anthes and Gabby Kazinski earned a 3rd place medal in Group Improvisation.

**Do you have other club, service, or student news?
Please share news or congratulations with messenger@hanb.org! Thank you!**