

THURSDAY THOUGHTS

FEBRUARY 29, 2024

One School, One Book

We hope you have been enjoying reading along with *Escape from Mr. Lemoncello's Library*. Please turn in your BINGO board and reflections sheet as will be handing out prizes to our participants the week of March 4!

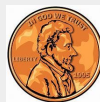


Battle of the Books

4th and 5th grade students who are participating in the Battle of the Books will have preliminary battles on Wednesday, March 6th & Thursday, March 7th. The final battle will take place on Thursday, March 21st. Good luck to all of our participants!



Penny Wars



Congratulations to 2nd grade for earning a free dress day since they brought in the most pennies per student! **Students can still bring silver in tomorrow to sabotage the other grade levels.**



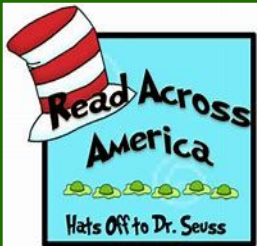
*Money collected will go toward Father Wilger Scholarships. The classroom with the highest overall total per student will win a surprise.



St. Mary's Elementary Prayer Retreat

On Friday, March 1, the students will be participating in a "Praying with the Arts" retreat. We are looking for a few parents who are able to join us from 12:30-2:15 as we learn to pray with our bodies, hands, and voices. If you are able to help out, please click on the link below to sign up:

[St. Mary's Elementary: Prayer Retreat \(signupgenius.com\)](https://signupgenius.com/st-marys-elementary-prayer-retreat)



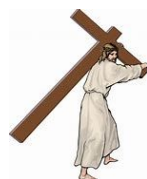
March 4-8 is Read Across America week where we will be promoting literacy throughout our school days!

Stations of the Cross

During Lent, our students will be leading and praying the Stations of the Cross on the following Tuesdays. The schedule is as follows:

- March 5th: 5th Grade (2:55pm)
- March 19th: 4th Grade (2:45pm)

*All are welcome to attend



Bonus Casual for Christ

Tuesday, March 12, is an additional Casual for Christ. Students who dress casually must bring in at least \$1. Money collected will go toward the Father Wilger scholarships.

*Please keep in mind that while this is an out-of-uniform day, all clothing should still represent modesty and shoes need to be closed-toe with a back strap and worn with socks for safety. Leggings are not pants and should be worn under a dress or skirt.



IMPORTANT DATES

Upcoming Mass Schedule

Friday, March 1st - 3rd Grade

Friday, March 8th - 2nd Grade

Friday, March 15th - 1st Grade

Friday, March 22nd - 5th Grade

**Mass begins at 9:00 a.m. All are welcome to attend!*

MARK YOUR CALENDAR

3/8
3/6 & 3/7
3/10
3/17
3/25-3/30
3/31
4/1

K-1 Vision Screening
Battle of the Books
Daylight Savings (turn clocks ahead)
St. Patrick's Day
No School, Spring Break
Easter
No School, Easter Monday



Warm weather fun



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