

# IMMACULATE CONCEPTION

Elementary School

## IC What's Happening!!

January 12, 2024

### THERE WILL BE NO SCHOOL ON JANUARY, 15TH FOR STAFF DEVELOPMENT.

Beginning January 22, all students will report to the gym for PM transportation at 3:30 p.m. Students who do not take the bus will report with their classes at that time.

Please make plans to arrive at school between 3:20-3:45 for afternoon pick-up. The outside doors will not open until 3:20 p.m. each day.

2nd quarter ends on January 19th. Report cards will be sent home on January 26th.

January 19th will be a Jeans for Jesus in support of Catholic Charities Diaper Drive. Monetary donations will be collected (not diapers). Thank you for your generosity!

On Tuesday, January 16th, Immaculate Conception Elementary School will host Quest for Kindness, an assembly aimed at giving students an understanding of why bullying occurs and how to stop it. Students from St. James and St. Mary's Elementary Schools will be joining us.

**Catholic Schools Week starts on January 28th through February 2nd. Please see the enclosed flyer for the schedule of events for the week.**

Each year, to celebrate Catholic Schools Week, we ask that students and staff thank the parish by helping with liturgical ministries at a weekend Mass and putting on a reception for parishioners afterward. *This year's Thank You IC Parish Mass will be on Saturday, February 3rd at 5pm.* It is a pizza Saturday! We need students to volunteer to read Scripture, read universal prayers, present gifts, and altar serve and clean up after the reception. The Children's Choir has also been asked to sing. If your children are able to volunteer for this Mass, please contact Mrs. Bahnum at [kbahnum@regiscatholicschools.com](mailto:kbahnum@regiscatholicschools.com).

### Children's Rosary Group

Students in second grade through fifth grade are invited to join the Children's Rosary group. Students meet Wednesday after school until 4:15 to pray the rosary at church and ask for the intercession of our Blessed Mother. Students do not need to come every Wednesday. Come when you can. Lent is coming up and prayer is an important part of one's Lenten Journey. The rosary group is a great way to add prayer to your week. Please contact Miss McCandless if you are interested in joining. [kmccandless@case.k12.wi.us](mailto:kmccandless@case.k12.wi.us)

**Group pictures will be taken at I.C. on Monday, January 29th for the following:**

- Boys Basketball
- Girls Basketball
- Girls Volleyball
- Boy Scouts
- Girl Scouts
- Agriculture Club
- Rosary Group
- Altar servers
- Mass Cantors
- Jump Rope Contest

**The 2024-25 enrollment season is quickly approaching!**

**Current Regis Catholic Schools families will be provided a two-week priority enrollment period in January to re-enroll for the coming school year. Current families will have the opportunity to enroll current students and siblings (new students) during this time.**

**Once this two-week priority enrollment period has closed, current RCS families are no longer guaranteed enrollment within the system.**

**Following the priority enrollment period for current families, enrollment for the next school year will open for families new to the Regis Catholic Schools system.**

**Monday, January 15: Priority Enrollment Opens (Current Families)**

**Sunday, January 28: Priority Enrollment Ends (Current Families)**

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**The enrollment fee for the 2024-25 school year will be \$150 for all families. (Paid once per family.)**

**If not enrolled by May 31, our current families will pay a \$200 enrollment fee.**

**As a reminder, if you choose to enroll outside the two-week priority enrollment period for current families, you also risk losing your child(ren)'s spot.**

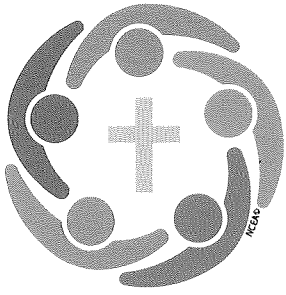
**PARISH EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY**

**Immaculate Conception Parish in Eau Claire is seeking a Head of Maintenance.**

**The Head Maintenance position is a part-time/or full-time position. This person is responsible for organizing and supervising a maintenance program that provides the Immaculate Conception Parish campus with a safe, clean, and functional environment. This person may be asked to coordinate projects through a planned program of improvements and preventive maintenance for the campus buildings, grounds, and related projects.**

**Learning Today, Leading Tomorrow**

Regis Catholic Schools is dedicated to educating students of all faiths in a Catholic, Christ-centered environment. We are united by Our Core Values of *Living Faith, Accepting Responsibility, Promoting Teamwork, Achieving Excellence, and Inspiring Leadership.*



**Catholic Schools**  
United in Faith and Community

**Catholic Schools Week 2024**  
**Immaculate Conception Elementary School**  
**January 28-February 3**

<p><b>Monday, January 29</b> <i>"Celebrating Community"</i></p>	<p><b>Dress: PJ Day</b> <b>Activity: All School Bingo-parents invited, 2pm cafeteria</b></p> <p><b>1pm: Talent Show Rehearsal</b></p>
<p><b>Tuesday, January 30</b> <i>"Celebrating our Students"</i></p>	<p><b>Dress: Western Day</b></p> <p><b>Activity: Root Beer or Orange Floats at lunch with Crazy Straws!</b></p>
<p><b>Wednesday, January 31st</b> <i>"Celebrating the Nation"</i></p>	<p><b>Dress: Red, White &amp; Blue Day</b></p> <p><b>Activity: Talent Show 2pm (Live Streamed)</b></p>
<p><b>Thursday, February 1</b> <i>"Celebrating Vocations"</i></p>	<p><b>Dress: Mass- College Day (wear your favorite university apparel)</b> <b>All School Mass, 9am</b> <b>Activity: Write cards for deanery priests</b></p>
<p><b>Friday, February 2</b> <i>"Celebrating Staff and Volunteers"</i></p>	<p><b>Dress: Sports Day</b> <b>Activity: / Blugolds Basketball Team vs. 5th grade 2:00pm-3:00pm. (Live Streamed)</b> <b>PARENTS WILL SIT ON THE SHERWIN SIDE CLOSEST TO THE OFFICE.</b> <b>Book Fair Preview in Oak Room</b></p>
<p><b>Saturday Feb. 3</b> <i>"Celebrating our Parish"</i></p>	<p><b>Thank You Mass</b> from students Kids wear uniform/ Regis gear to Mass Saturday at 5pm. Student volunteers are needed to serve in the liturgy (altar servers, lectors, gift presenters). Reception to follow (this is Pizza Saturday so come for a free meal and fellowship!)</p>

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**SUPPLEMENTAL CHILD CONSENT AND RELEASE FORM**  
Parental/Guardian Consent Form and Liability Waiver

Participant's name(s): \_\_\_\_\_

Birth date: \_\_\_\_\_ Sex: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian's name(s): \_\_\_\_\_

Home address: \_\_\_\_\_

Home phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Business phone: \_\_\_\_\_

I, \_\_\_\_\_, grant permission for my child, \_\_\_\_\_  
Parent or guardian name Child's name

to participate in this parish/youth ministry/school event that requires transportation to a location away from the parish/school site. This activity will take place under the guidance and direction of parish/school employees and/or volunteers from Immaculate Conception Parish/School.

**A brief description of the activity follows:**

**Date of Event:** Wednesday, January 24th, 2024 **Cost:** None  
**Type of event:** RCS All School Mass Day  
**Individual(s) in charge:** Immaculate Conception Elementary Staff  
**Destination of Event:** Regis High School - Eau Claire, WI  
**Estimated time of departure and return: Depart:** 9:30 a.m. **Return:** 11:30 a.m.  
**Mode of transportation** Walking/ If inclement weather we will ride the Regis Bus

I acknowledge that I have previously completed the Comprehensive Child Consent and Release form, providing medical information, permissions, authorizations and releases pertaining to my child. I have listed below any additions and/or corrections to the information provided on that form:

Subject to any changes above, I hereby reaffirm any and all such disclosures, permissions, authorizations and releases as though stated herein.

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_