Saint Wendel Catholic School

February 12, 2024

We hope everyone had a wonderful weekend! Just a reminder there will be no school on Friday, February 16th or Monday, February 19th. School will resume on Tuesday, February 20th.



Schedule for the week:

Monday- Adventure Catechism K-1 2:30-3pm, Student Leadership 2:30-3pm, Math Bowl practice 2:30-3pm

Tuesday- Mass at 7:30am- Muffins with Mom; Play Practice 2:30-3:30, Choir Club 2:30-3:30,

Wednesday-Ash Wednesday Mass at 7:30am (Giving Day); Edge Youth Group today 2:45-4:00, Math Bowl Practice 2:30-3pm

Thursday- Play Practice 2:30 pm-4:00 pm; Armata Bianca 2:30-3pm; Drama Club 2:30-3:30

Friday- NO SCHOOL- WINTER BREAK



The Season of Lent Begins

Parents, please note that Lent begins on Wednesday, March (Ash Wednesday). We will have Ash Wednesday Masses at 7:30am at Saint Wendel. There will also be 6:30pm Mass at Saint Francis. Everyone is invited to attend.

Lent is a very important time in the church. We challenge each of our families to step outside of their comfort zone and try something new as a family. Lent is not always about giving something up, sometimes it is better to try to do something. If your family doesn't have a routine of attending weekend Masses this would be a wonderful opportunity to start. Here are some upcoming opportunities for your family:

Way of the Cross lead by our students during the school day-

Everyone is invited to these days-Wednesday, February 28 at 12:30pm in church led by our 7th and 8th graders. On Wednesday, March 13 at 7:45am led by our 4th and 5th graders. On Friday, March 22 at 1:40pm led by our 6th graders.

Reconciliation

There will be an opportunity for individual confessions on these Tuesday evenings during Lent from 6:00 to 7:00 pm at Saint Wendel Church: Feb. 20, Feb. 27, March 5, March 12, and March 19. Contact Father Ed 812-499-9700 to schedule another time that is convenient for you.

Not by Bread Alone Books

Daily reflection booklets for Lent are available at the church doors. Prayerfully journey through Lent with fresh and meaningful reflections on the daily Mass readings. In just minutes per day, the insightful meditations of "Not by Bread Alone" can deepen your experience of this solemn season of prayer and penance. "The Word Among Us" books for Lent are also available at the church doors.

Online Resource through Dynamic Catholic-

https://dynamiccatholic.com/best-lent-ever/#sign-up-form

Grade Level Retreats-

During the season of Lent the 4th graders and 6th graders will be participating in their grade level retreat focusing on Lent and personal sacrifice. The 4th grade retreat is scheduled for Tuesday, February 27th and 6th grade retreat is scheduled for Thursday, February 29th. We will be sending out sign ups for prayer slots when the time gets closer.

Clean water for Haiti

New for Lent, we have the opportunity to make donations to provide clean water for the Kobonai Haiti Mission through Cross Catholic Outreach. The money donated will be used to drill wells to provide clean water for this remote community. Clear drinking cups with lids are available in church to take home for put your donations in throughout this season of Lent.

Rice Bowls- Lenten Alms Change Lives

Each Lent, our students unite to put their faith into action through prayer, fasting, and almsgiving. Through CRS Rice Bowl, students learn about how our sisters and brothers across the globe overcome hardships like hunger and malnutrition, and how through Lenten alms, we have the power to make the world a better place for all. Rice Bowl will be headed out to all our students to keep at home. Students will return their boxes during Holy Week. Your Lenten alms change lives globally and in our own community. 75% of your CRS Rice Bowl donation supports the work of Catholic Relief Services around the world; 25% of gifts stay in each U.S. diocese for hunger and poverty alleviation efforts.

https://www.crsricebowl.org/

Prayer-

Dear Lord, as we enter this Soleman and Holy Season, we pray that you would send your Holy Spirit upon us that we might prepare ourselves for these coming 40 days of Lent. Help us to humble ourselves so that we can understand the magnificence of Your Love for us as, You humbled Yourself and gave your Life on the Cross that we might receive the gift of Eternal Glory

Brother Francis- LENT.pdf

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Mom, bring your student(s) to school on Tuesday, February 13, 2024 to celebrate Mass at 7:30am and enjoy breakfast with us! (For Preschool and Prek-similar to Donuts with Dad.)

(If mom can't make it, your student can bring a grandma, aunt, older sister, or a family friend)

7:30am-9:00am

Location: Saint Wendel Church & Cafetorium

Track Sign Ups Going Home Today (4th-8th Graders)

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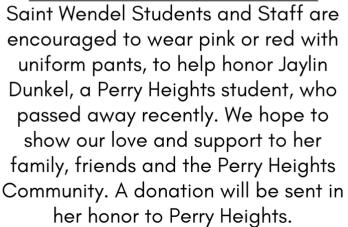
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Tuesday, February 13











Counting Our Days Together Calendar Fundraiser

Counting our Days together

Calendar Fundraiser

We have a fun and exciting fundraiser this year!

This fundraiser runs from Monday, February 5 to Friday, February 23.

How does it work?

Your child(ren) will ask someone to pick one (or more) day(s) on the calendar to sponsor. For example, if Uncle Bill chooses the 5th, he pays \$5. If Grandma Sue pics the 15th, she pays \$15 and so on. If they want to write a check, have them make it payable to Saint Wendel. Payments should be collected and turned in when you turn in your completed calendar.

Who does it benefit?

100% of the donations go to our Saint Wendel School Funds which benefits every teacher, staff member, and student at Saint Wendel.

(Make any checks payable to Saint Wendel. If possible one check for each family turned in with the particle or full completed calendar.)

Are there prizes?

Of course!!! Every family who gets the entire calendar filled and turns it in by Friday, February 23, gets extra free dress days for your student! On top of the extra free dress days, your family gets entered to win one of our four awesome prizes!

Can we fill more than one calendar?

YES! Once you fill your calendar, go to the school office to get another one. The more calendars you complete the more chances you have to win.

What are the four prizes?

Grand Prize: Getaway weekend at the French Lick Resort (Value over \$1,000)

1st prize: 84" Renegade Pool Table (Value \$900) *No Substitutes

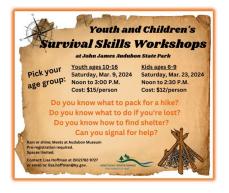
2nd prize: Family Fun Package (Value \$100) 3rd prize: Spiritwear Package (Value \$50)

Any family that can't get their calendar filled may turn in what they have by February 23 and your family will get to enjoy a free dress day on Monday, February 26th with the students who participated in the fundraiser.

Counting our Days Together Saint Wendel Catholic School Fundraiser

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Survival Skills Workshop



Spice It Up Walk!





February 2024

Saint Wendel School Lunch Menu

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
Jan. 29	Jan. 30	Jan. 31 Chicken Nuggets with breadstick Potato Wedges Carrots Side Salad or Vegetable Mix Fruit Milk ALT: Chef Salad-Crispy Chicken w/ Dinner Roll ALT: Sun-Butter Uncrustable	Papa John's Pepperoni Pizza Green beans Veggies/side salad Fruit variety (at least 2) Milk ALT: Chef Salad-Crispy Chicken w/ Dinner Roll ALT: Sun-Butter Uncrustable	2 Cheeseburger/hamburger Baked beans Wedges Veggies/side salad Fruit variety (at least 2) Milk ALT: Chef Salad-Crispy Chicken w/ Dinner Roll ALT: Sun-Butter Uncrustable
5 Country fried steak with Roll Mashed potatoes/gravy Broccoli Veggies/side salad Fruit variety Milk ALT: Chef Salad-Grilled Chicken w/ Dinner Roll ALT: Turkey & Cheese Sandwich	6 French toast stick/ Eggstravaganza Potato smiles Veggies/side salad Fruit variety Milk ALT: Chef Salad-Grilled Chicken w/ Dinner Roll ALT: Turkey & Cheese Sandwich	Pasta/meat sauce/ garlic breadstick Green beans Carrots Veggies/side salad Fruit variety Milk ALT: Chef Salad-Grilled Chicken w/ Dinner Roll ALT: Turkey & Cheese Sandwich	B Hot dog/chili dog w/shredded cheese fries baked beans veggies/side salad fruit variety milk ALT: Chef Salad-Grilled Chicken w/ Dinner Roll ALT: Turkey & Cheese Sandwich	9 Manager's Choice Corn Side Salad or Vegetable Mix Fruit Milk ALT: Chef Salad-Grilled Chicken w/ Dinner Roll ALT: Turkey & Cheese Sandwich
12 BBQ chicken strips/corn bread Cheesy potatoes Peas Veggies/side salad Fruit variety Milk ALT: Chef Salad-Ham w/ Dinner Roll ALT: Ham & Cheese Sandwich	13 Loaded nachos (taco meat/ Queso cheese) Corn Refried beans Side Salad or Vegetable Mix Fruit Milk ALT: Chef Salad-Ham w/ Dinner Roll ALT: Ham & Cheese Sandwich	14 Mini Cheese calzone or Buffalo cheese bites Seasoned fries Broccoli Side Salad or Vegetable Mix Fruit Milk ALT:Chef Salad-Ham w/ Dinner Roll ALT: Ham & Cheese Sandwich	Papa John's Cheese pizza Green Beans Side Salad or Vegetable Mix Fruit Milk ALT: Chef Salad-Ham w/ Dinner Roll ALT: Ham & Cheese Sandwich	No School Winter Break
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26 Chicken smackers with Roll Mashed potatoes/gravy Peas Side Salad or Vegetable Mix Fruit Milk ALT: Chef Salad-Grilled Chicken w/ Dinner Roll ALT: Grilled Cheese Sandwich	27 Chicken on the beach/Tostito Scoops Broccoli Fiesta beans Side Salad or Vegetable Mix Fruit Milk ALT: Chef Salad-Grilled Chicken w/ Dinner Roll ALT: Grilled Cheese Sandwich	BRQ rib/bun Green beans Sweet potato fries Side Salad or Vegetable Mix Fruit Milk ALT: Chef Salad-Grilled Chicken w/ Dinner Roll ALT: Grilled Cheese Sandwich	29 Papa John's Pepperoni pizza Corn Side Salad or Vegetable Mix Fruit Milk ALT: Chef Salad-Grilled Chicken w/ Dinner Roll ALT: Grilled Cheese Sandwich	Mar. 1 Cheesy Garlic Bread Peas Side Salad or Vegetable Mix Fruit Milk ALT: Chef Salad-Grilled Chicken w/ Dinner Roll ALT: Grilled Cheese Sandwich

February lunch menu.pdf

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St. Wendel Athletic Club 2024 Baseball Signups are Open

Teams are available for ages 7 through 15

Visit us at https://www.leaguelineup.com/welcome.asp?url=stwendelyouthbaseball to sign up today.

Uniform sizes will be collected from your coaches once teams are set up.

Questions?

Contact Tim Knapp 812-454-9109 or Bryce Martin 812-499-1524

Saint Wendel Catholic Church Information



Middle School Ice Skating

Westside parishes invite students in grades 6-8 for ice skating at the Swonder Ice Arena on Sat., Feb. 24 from 4-6pm. \$10 includes admission to private rented rink, skate rental, and bottled water. Concessions available for an extra cost. RSVP by Wednesday, Feb. 21 to Sherie Cooley at (765) 427-8199 or scooley@evdio.org. Waiver and medical forms required - download at

https://faithformation-sfx-sw.weebly.com/youth-ministry.html

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Making Payment Online

Again, this year you will be able to make tuition payments, lunch payments, and aftercare payments online through Online Giving. You will be able to set up automatic transfers weekly, monthly, etc. Please use this website to "Create New Account." There is also an



app that you can download. Payments usually take about 24 hours to process through the bank and are reflected on the online giving website. You can also find a direct link on our website under School Info and then School/Parish Payments.

https://osvhub.com/saint-wendel-parish/giving/funds

Mater Dei Information



Other Information



Week of February 11, 2024



Whole 40: Making a Spiritual Plan for Lent Sit down with Dr. Ben Akers and Dr. Elizabeth Klein to discuss the purpose of the season of Lent, how to prepare for it, and why it is such a fruitful season in



The Story of Death | Eternal Rest | Episode 1 Where did death come from? What does death mean for the human person? Is it simply just part of life, or it something else? In this first session, we discuss the story of death and God's response to it. defeating



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