



## Prayer Intentions:

For the Schroeder family whose great grandfather passed away.

For those in areas of the world in conflict, especially the people of Ukraine and Eastern Europe.

For those sick with Covid and for those who care for them.

*Please let us know if your family has an intention you would like us to include in our schoolgram.*

## We Pray:

We pray to you for the people of the Ukraine who are experiencing conflicts and deaths. Bless our world leaders with wisdom, vision and perseverance needed to build together a world of justice and solidarity, and to break down walls of hostility and division. To you we entrust all families and pray that they may never yield to discouragement and despair, but become heralds of new hope to one another in this challenging time. May you continue to inspire all of us to oneness of heart and mind, to work generously for the common good, to respect the dignity of every person and the fundamental rights which have their origin in the image and likeness of God impressed upon every human being. Grant eternal rest to the dead and quick recovery to the wounded, we pray through Christ our Lord, Amen!

## Calendar:

2/24

- School Mass (Gr. 6) 2:10 pm

2/25

- Spirit Day dress down: Bright Colors. Jeans & athletic pants OK

2/26

- Rockathon 5:30 pm

3/2

- Ash Wednesday Mass (Gr. 5) 9:00 am
- Prayer service PS-Gr. 1 10:00 am

3/3

- PA Kick Off meeting & Digital Empowerment 6:00 pm

3/4

- K of C Fish Fry

## From the Principal:

It's hard to believe that we are about to enter into March and that Lent begins on Wednesday. February has been an interesting month and I'm praying that as we enter into this new liturgical season, that we will change our hearts AND begin to see a change in our weather. I am ready for spring and the promise of new life it brings!

Next Thursday, we will also welcome Captain (Ret) Scott Frank to present to parents about online safety for our children. This is an ever changing topic and I encourage all parents to attend. If you have older kids, you want to know what new concerns to watch. If you have younger children it's easier to set policies as they begin using technology instead of having to address concerns later. I also look forward to getting Light refreshments and sign ups for Parent Association begin at 6 with the presentation starting at 6:30. I hope to see you there!

*God's Blessings,  
Andrea Puhl*

## From the Office:

- **EdChoice Traditional RENEWALS:** Please include a utility bill with the application. It must have a MATCHING mailing and service address.
- **EdChoice Expansion:** Send in with your child the application and a utility bill with MATCHING mailing and service address. Upload the income verification form and proof of income (ie: W2) to the OH/ID website. Instructions were included in the registration packet. Please reach out to Mrs. Rath if you need to set up a time to come to the office to get assistance.
- **March Extended Day Sign Up (Due 2/28):**  
<https://forms.gle/Ctd9KD961SvxsRbJ7>
- **22-23 KR-8 REGISTRATION & fees:** Due Friday, 3/11/22.
- **HELP NEEDED FOR OPEN HOUSE:** 3/6/22 11:15am-1:30pm. Let Mrs. Rath know if you are interested in helping out.
- **School Mass** can be viewed online. The link for mass at **9:00am on Ash Wednesday** is <https://venue.streamspot.com/event/MzA3OTI5OA>



We had one part time staff member with a positive case this past week and we still have one student who is "mask to stay" because of a known exposure at home. The following resources from the health department may be helpful if someone in your family is exposed or tests positive.

[Interactive COVID Decision Trees](#) – provides click-through guidance  
[Mask to Stay, Test to Play](#) policy from ODH

*We continue to encourage mask wearing at school. Thank you for your diligence*

*in keeping sick students home.*

## **From the Parish:**



### **CYO Track Grades 4-8**

Register today! [www.finalforms.com](http://www.finalforms.com)

\$55 registration fee can be sent into the school and parish offices marked CYO or conveniently paid online at

<https://stalbg.weshareonline.org/ws/opportunities/CYOFees>

See the attached flyer for more details.

### **Rock-a-thon**

The Rock-a-thon is this Saturday, 2/26, for students in grades five through eight and their invited guests. Please sign up as soon as possible and send in the baby photo before Saturday. If you are donating snack items, you are welcome to drop them off Friday.

### **Lent**

As your family prepares for Lent, you are invited to join other parish families in reading the children's book *Lent Trouble*, by Paul McCusker. Families with children in grades one through five will find it enjoyable to read together. Our religious education families and school families will partner in a Lenten giving cause once again, and details will be coming home next week.

## **Alumni Honors:**



### **St. Francis DeSales Second Quarter Honors**

Edwardo Flores IV Grade 12 Second Honors