



## Prayer Intentions:

Continued prayers for Noah

## Prayer:

Heavenly Father, Lord of All, come and fill this world with your peace. May there be an end to hatred and division among your people. Cease all the fighting and war in this world. Heal the bitterness and hurt in my own heart. In this season of Advent, prepare my heart for the coming of Jesus, our Wonderful Counselor, Mighty God, Everlasting Father, Prince of Peace. Fill my heart with your peace. Amen.

## Calendar:

### 12/12

- Gr. 4-8 Christmas Program  
1:45 pm & 7:00 pm

### 12/15

- January Lunch order due

### 12/16

- AAF dress down: Elf or Grinch
- **CANDY CANE GRAM orders due**

### 12/18

- Jr. High Exams
- Special Tee Ink orders delivered
- **PA Meeting in extended day  
7:00 pm (CORRECTED DATE)**

### 12/19

- Jr. High Extreme Service 9:00 am-12:30 pm
- Mass 2:10 pm (Gr. 6)

### 12/20

- Jr. High BGSU Ice Arena  
8:30-11:30 am
- Christmas Parties
- Dress Down: Christmas colors

### 12/21-1/3

- Christmas Break

### 1/6

- Classes Resume

## From the Principal:

I am so proud of all of our students and the effort they put into our Christmas programs! I am also very grateful for all the faculty and staff who work so hard to make these performances happen! Mrs. Wilt and Ms. Diehl help our students share their musical gifts, our teachers offer flexibility and support in so many ways, the office staff manages most of the logistics and Mr. Kleman goes above and beyond with set up and clean up of the stage and chairs. We are also blessed to have a school mom, April Gladieux, who provides us with the beautiful backdrops that transform the gym! It's a busy time of year, but it's all worth it to see our students shine on stage!

*God's Blessings,  
Andrea Puhl*

## From the Office:

- **Candy Cane Grams** will be sold through Monday 12/16 to support our Adopt-A-Family project. Return the attached order form with payment to school by Monday, 12/16.
- **A fundraiser is being held for the Milligan family tomorrow, Friday December 13th.** See the attached flier for more details. #NoahNation
- **Teacher & staff wish lists** are available on our website under the Parent tab ~ [Parent Association](#), and attached to this schoolgram. As always, gifts are not expected, but parents have requested ideas.
- **School Mass** can be viewed online. Click the link at **2:10 pm, Thursday, 12/19/24:** <https://venue.streamspot.com/event/NTI0MzQ2Mg>

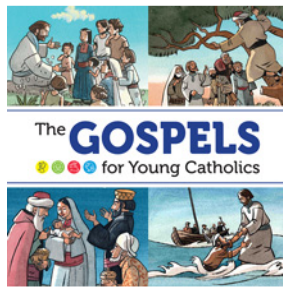
## From the Parish:

*This was sent by email earlier today. Tickets were going fast, but just in case any are still available:*

### **BGSU Basketball Faith and Family Night**

We have 100 free tickets to give away for the BGSU basketball game against Akron on Friday, January 3rd. This could be a great chance for a free, family night out the last weekend of Christmas break! Tickets are first come, first serve and can be requested using this link:

[https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSefaaD8TvChwFGgk\\_KDbij5sJjRe7nOA98D5PmfUIF9UHeFnQ/viewform?usp=sharing](https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSefaaD8TvChwFGgk_KDbij5sJjRe7nOA98D5PmfUIF9UHeFnQ/viewform?usp=sharing)



## The Gospels For Young Catholics

The perfect companion to the Weeklies, *The Gospels for Young Catholics* provides the complete text of all four Gospels in an easy-to-use, instructional format that will accompany children in their faith journey and strengthen their knowledge of the Gospels.

Features include:

- Includes 52 "featured story" pages.
- Resource pages include background for each Gospel, a reading plan, and more.
- Four pages of pull-out bookmarks help readers to locate favorite parables, family and friends of Jesus, the women of the Gospels, and more.
- *Good News* translation in accessible language for young readers ages 7-13.
- Sturdy flex cover will last for many years.

St. Al's School and Parish Families,

I have ordered 35 of *The Gospels for Young Catholics* at a price break of \$10 per book. If you've ever wanted to make the Bible more accessible and develop a habit of reading Scripture with your children, this book just may be the key. Help your children know Jesus' love and how to be the light in the world to others and they will seek more. I hope to have the books available this coming Sunday at the Pancake with Santa breakfast, if they come in, on a first come first serve basis. (book sample: <https://cart.pflaum.com/preview/5602/>) Peace and blessings to you, Denise Brennan



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NIGHT

**PICTURES & PANCAKES with SANTA CLAUS!!**

**Sunday, December 15**  
**After all the Sunday Masses, Hartmann Hall**

Free pancake & sausage breakfast courtesy of the Knights of Columbus and a photo-station with Santa and Mrs. Claus! Everyone is warmly invited to this parish-wide celebration of Gaudete (*Rejoice*) Sunday!

