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HOLY FAMILY CATHOLIC SCHOOL WEDNESDAY WORD

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FROM THE DESK OF *Principal Galati*

2022 has concluded, and a bright, shining, new year is upon us! A new year brings not only excitement for the future, but provides moments to reflect on the past. This year, Holy Family has given me so many things to be thankful for.

Two of my favorite things about this year were Community and Magic.

Two simple things, however the way that they manifested shaped this year as one to remember.

Community: We gathered together to celebrate two fundraisers this year; one formal auction, one casino night.

The common thread of these two events? Community. We gathered together in one place to help support our student's education and growth. 2022 was a year of gathering together to share the love for our school through community.

Magic: For the first time in years, our Holy Family Community was able to gather together for our annual Advent Program.

The sounds of our student's voices filled the church, and their smiles are etched into my mind, something I haven't gotten to experience before. 2022 was a year of magic memories.

HAPPY NEW YEAR 2023



I am excited to walk along the path of 2023 with you all, as we celebrate a new year with new challenges, opportunities, and joy.

May God Bless You,

joe



FRIDAY, JANUARY 6TH

with Principal Joe

Don't miss the first Cup of Joe of 2023!

Join Principal Joe Galati for a cup of coffee and an informal chat about school happenings from 8:15-8:45am on Friday morning, January 6th in Celebration Hall.

Bring your questions and comments!



Campus Cuisine web portal is active and awaiting your hot lunch order!!

We will have Laughing Planet on Tuesdays, and Pizzicato on Thursdays.

Follow the link: <https://www.campuscuisine.net/> to create an account and to order



Volunteering/Help Needed
PTO is still looking for one more volunteer to Co-Chair our **BottleDrop** Fundraising program! We need a volunteer to help collect cans on **BottleDrop** Wednesdays, and tag bags. Email pto@holysfamilypdx.net if you're interested!



The PTO snack table is back at CYO basketball games and we need your help to staff it. Games are on Saturdays and each shift runs about 90 minutes. The only volunteer requirement is COVID vaccination. This is a fun easy way to earn fair share hours and watch some basketball too!

Volunteer here: <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/5080D4CAFA62BA13-ptosnack13>



Grandparents' is Tea- **Thursday, February 2nd**



The Big Swim- **ALL SCHOOL Swim Party** at North Clackamas Aquatic Center on **Friday, March 10TH** from 5:30-8:30pm.



Basketball games resume this weekend.



Track & Field registration will be coming soon...

GO CARDINALS!

Please reach out with any questions:
cyoholyfamily@gmail.com

JANUARY 2023

MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI
	3 Happy New Year 2023 SCHOOL RESUMES	4 9:05AM Late Start 9:15AM Staff Leads Mass BottleDrop BAG DROP	5	6 CUP OF JOE 8:15AM CUP OF JOE with Joe
9	10	11 9:05AM Late Start 9:15AM 7th Grade Leads Student Mass 3:15-4:15PM 3rd-5th Grade OBOB Meeting	12 3:15-4:15PM 6th-8th Grade OBOB Meeting	13
16 NO SCHOOL MLK DAY MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR.	17 7PM PTO Meeting	18 9:05AM Late Start 9:15AM 1st Grade Leads Student Mass 3:15-4:15PM 3rd-5th Grade OBOB Meeting	19	20
23	24	25 9:05AM Late Start 9:15AM 6th Grade Leads Student Mass	26	27 2:30PM PBIS ASSEMBLY FREE DRESS DAYS Midterm 2 ND Trimester

Our Mission Statement: Holy Family Catholic School is a community of learners: Students, staff, parents and parish engaged in the life long process of learning. Our commitment, rooted in the Gospel values is to pursue together creativity and excellence in all areas of spiritual, academic, and personal growth.

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Send newsletter submissions to wedsword@holysfamilypdx.net Submissions due by NOON ON MONDAY prior to publication

A pennant on the left side of the poster. It features a stylized illustration of a tent and trees at the top, with the words "SUMMER CAMP" in a bold, sans-serif font below it. A small flame icon is at the bottom.

**REGISTRATION
NOW OPEN FOR**

CAMP HOWARD

2023 OPEN HOUSES

May 6th
2 PM to 5 PM

June 25th
2 PM to 5 PM

11010 SE Camp Howard Road
Corbett, OR 97019

A pennant on the right side of the poster. It has a brown top section with "Go Hike" in a cursive font and stars. Below is a yellow section with "Camp" in a cursive font and a black arrow pointing down.

**For registration & further information
cyocamphoward.org**

PARISH NEWS

BACKPACKS FOR KIDS

Your generosity has been tremendous, and very much appreciated! We are thrilled to work alongside Moreland Presbyterian, Blessings in a Backpack, and the local Rotary Club to serve lower income families in the area again this year. Thank you for your continued support!



Click on the
QR Code



**Blessings and thank your for
continued generosity!**



“On the twelfth day of Christmas...” January 6, we celebrate the feast of the Epiphany! This special day celebrates the coming of the Magi – the three wise men (or kings), from the East who followed a star and came and adore Jesus. In the United States, Epiphany is celebrated on the Sunday closest to January 6th



Holy Family Parish and the Knights of Columbus are partnering for an amazing pair of events on

January 6th



Parish Clucks & Fries

4:30-7:30 pm in Celebration Hall

\$12 per meal

3 piece chicken, fries, drink & cookie

\$5 Beer and Wine

*** Free Throw contestants get ½ off ***

Scan Here
to order
and pay



Or go to*

<https://parish.holyfamilyportland.org/koc-clucks-fries>

Knights Free Throw Contest

4:00 pm in the School Gym
Open to all kids ages 9-14

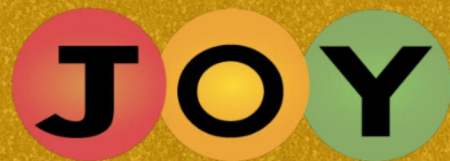
Scan here
to pre-
register



*All proceeds from Clucks & Fries goes to the parish - we are so grateful to the Knights for their generosity!



We will be collecting Peanut Butter and Jelly/Jam donations for **St. Vincent de Paul** at BOTH events



JUST | OLDER | YOUTH

SENIORS (AGES 50+):

**MARK YOUR CALENDARS FOR
GAME DAY
JANUARY 14TH, 2-4PM IN
CELEBRATION HALL**

**Bring a board game to play and share
Masks are optional**

Bring your own snacks & refreshments

Questions? email Vic & Terri Cozzoli at

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or call 503-788-2073