

April 6, 2009

Dear Parents,

We will not have a school Mass this week because of the day off for Good Friday. Sacred Heart-Guadalupe Parish will have a Good Friday Service at 7:00 p.m. We would like our students to attend a service for this very special day, either at Sacred Heart-Guadalupe or their home parish.

The third graders, with help from fourth and fifth, did a great job acting out the Passion of our Lord last Friday at Mass. We thank them for all their hard work in preparing for this very special Mass. This week, classes will take turns acting out the Stations of the Cross each day. The *Operation Rice Bowl* boxes are due on Thursday, April 9th. I have heard many of our students talk about doing extra chores or not participating in a jeans day so they can use the money for this fundraiser. **We have great kids who are very generous with everything they have!**

We sent home the envelopes for the yearbook last week. The cost of the yearbook is \$14.00. Students need to order and pay for the yearbooks by Wednesday, April 8th. The yearbooks will be delivered in late May. We will probably not have extras so make sure to place your order now.

Just a reminder, Holy Thursday (April 9th) will be a 12:00 dismissal. We will not have classes on Good Friday (April 10th). We will be on Easter Break from Monday, April 13th through Friday, April 17th. Classes will resume on Monday, April 20th at 7:50. I would be wonderful if we were all on time for school after the nice, long break!

FYI: May is pool safety month. Many water accidents can be avoided by following these tips: Always supervise children in and around the pool; Place a fence around any pool; Adults should be certified in CPR in case of an emergency; Children and adults who do not know how to swim should take lessons; and Use life vests when on a boat or dock. The Tony Aguirre Center offers swimming lessons. Call 816-784-1300 for more information. Let's all stay safe this summer!

You can visit our website at www.olgkc.org.

Sincerely,

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