

August 24, 2009

Dear Parents,

We are off to another great school year. It was so exciting to see everyone coming in with new school supplies, new uniforms, and everyone was dressed so nicely. It's amazing how much they grow over the summer! I was happy to see that everyone looked ready to learn a great deal this year! If you ever have any questions as we go through the year, please don't hesitate to ask. That's what we are here for!

We will attend Mass at Our Lady of Guadalupe Shrine (next door to the school) every Friday at 8:30. You are always welcome to join us. Our teachers will do the readings for the Mass this week.

We will have a \$0.50 jeans day most Wednesdays during the school year. The students may bring their money on **Wednesday** (they don't need to bring it on Tuesday) if they would like to wear jeans (or shorts during August and September). Please make certain that your child is dressed appropriately for school on Wednesdays (no short shorts, no cutoff or sleeveless shirts, no flip flops or sandals). If you have any questions about what the students can wear, please call the school office. We will let you know in the Monday newsletter if a Wednesday is not a jeans day (if we have special guests in the building, if we are going on a field trip, special feast days like Ash Wednesday...).

Scholarship information: I am sending a scholarship reapplication form with this newsletter. I am not certain whether or not there will be more funds available, however there's no harm in completing the form. I will let you know if you received additional scholarship funds as soon as I receive notice from the Central City School Fund.

Please mark your calendars. We will have a noon dismissal on Friday, September 4th for teacher staff development. Our Back to School Night and Picture Day are Tuesday, September 8th. We will send more information with next week's newsletter.

This is to notify you of the availability of the Asbestos Management Plan for Our Lady of Guadalupe School. The Asbestos Management Plan is available in our school's office. If you are interested in reviewing the plan, please contact the office for an appointment. The plan will be made available for your inspection. This act is being taken in compliance with the AHERA Management Plan Notification. Copies of this letter have been submitted to the Asbestos Program Manager's Office at the Diocese of Kansas City-St. Joseph.

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

Sincerely,

Connie Bowman