

ECHOES OF ANGELS

Rooted in the Gospel of Jesus Christ...

Play It Again

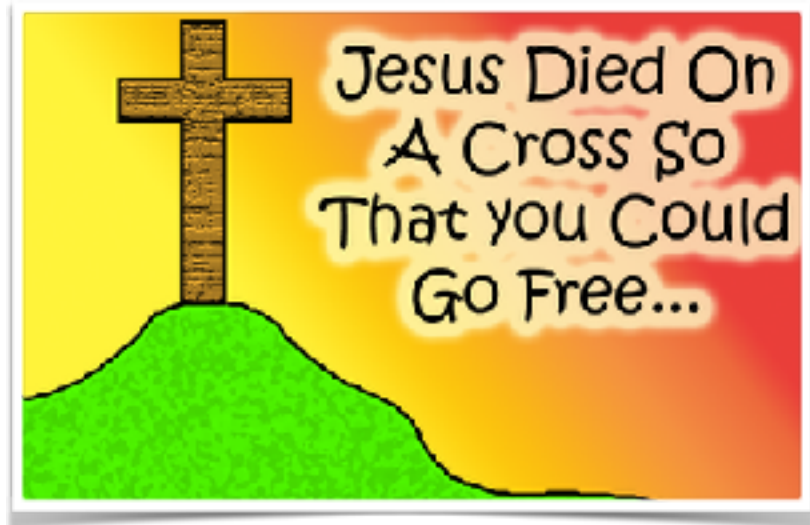
Don't miss out on the opportunity to save \$25! Return your re-registration forms before April 13 to get in on the savings. You will also be entered in a raffle to win back your registration fee by turning them in early. We really need this information to help plan our staffing needs for next year.

PIP Deadline

PIP Hour forms are due into the office by April 9. If you are choosing the buy-out option, please send in your check with your form. PIP requirements will change next year. The buy-out option will increase to \$35. Parents will be required to work at least one event as part of their 10 service hours.

Yearbook Orders

There is still time to order a yearbook if you have not already done so. Yearbooks can be ordered until May 1. Extra order forms are in the office.



Seraphim Ball Wrap Up

Preliminary numbers show that Seraphim Ball was a great success! With your incredible support, we were able to raise almost \$85,000! Of that, \$22,650 was earned in the reverse auction to support our technology needs. The rest will be used to balance our budget. Thank you to everyone who supported this major fundraiser.

Hitting the Books

March is National Reading Month and we're celebrating with a book drive. Our KIDS Club will be sponsoring a book drive to benefit our littlest of learners - our preschoolers. This drive will





Thank You!

Thank you to everyone for donating to the *Baby Bottle Ministry*. If you have not turned in your baby bottle (filled or empty), you may still do so after Easter Break at school or you may return your bottles to church on the weekend after Easter.

Continued blessings,
Rose Gatzke (Parish Center)

Restaurant Night

Mark your calendar for our next restaurant fundraising and this one lasts the whole **month!**

The entire month of April at local Chili's locations in west Aurora, St Charles, Oswego, and Batavia 15% of your purchase will go back to school. Please bring the flyer with you.

Purse Auction

St. Anne's will be hosting their Purse Auction on Friday, April 13 in Connor Hall starting at 6:00.

Tickets are \$10 and available from any St. Anne's member.

Football Survey

As a reminder to incoming 5th & 6th grade boys, please complete the survey that was sent this week through Schoolspeak. Thanks.

run until April 20. Students can bring new or gently used books appropriate for emerging readers to school for Mrs. Timm. Consider looking through your books at home during *spring cleaning week* (aka/Easter Break) and sending them in for another child to love and enjoy.

In One Year and Out the Other

It hardly seems possible but we have already begun planning for next year. School is tentatively set to begin on August 23.

With Easter being so late next year (April 21), the Education Commission proposed moving it to the last week in March. Father approved this proposal, so our break will coincide with our bus service from West Aurora next year.

In a League of Their Own

All girls in grades K-8 (for Fall 2018) are invited to join the Aurora Area Girls Softball League. Practices start the first week in May with games played from June 1 - July 15. There is a walk-in sign up at the Prisco Center on April 7 from 10 AM - 2 PM. You can also register online at auroragirlssoftball.website.siplay.com. Cost to play is \$70.

Let's Play

One of the best parts of the day for our students is recess. But this time of free play needs adults to safely monitor it. We are in desperate need of a recess monitor for Wednesday and another one for Thursday. Recess times are 11:30-12:10. This is a tuition assistance program. Please contact Jessa Leslie if you can help with recess. (jandjleslie@hotmail.com).

You + Dirt = Happy

Our students may be happy playing in the dirt but washing those clothes isn't quite so much fun. So after Easter Break, our extended daycare students will be found playing in the grassy area next to the pantry to avoid any mud in the rear of the school. Please plan to pick your child up there.

Bingo!

Spring Bingo is just around the corner! It will be held on Friday,

April 27. We are currently collecting gently used toys, games, and books as prizes. There are collection boxes in the lobby. For any questions, please contact Denise Villalpando at dmggriffin4@aol.com.

Next Week at a Glance

No School March 30-April 8

Monday (4/9) - PIP Hours due

Tuesday -

Wednesday -

Thursday -

Friday - Drop Off Night 5:30

Bringing Home the Faith

Prayers for Lent During Holy Week

Holy Thursday: Jesus, in these last few days leading up to Easter, as I recall your passion and death, let me remember that, above all, I am called to feed your sheep. You have given me a model of how to live; may I strive to be all that you created me for, spreading the love of God and the truth of our Catholic faith wherever I am able. You are the way, the truth, and the life. Amen.

Good Friday: Jesus, no one knows change better than you. You died on the cross, and three days later you rose from the dead. Forty days later you ascended into heaven and left the world transformed for the rest of time. Help me to transform my soul, to die to sin and death and be reborn in your love and eternal life. Amen.

Holy Saturday: Jesus, you are courage incarnate. As you hung on the cross for my sins and the sins of the world, you showed me that all things are possible. You knew that life did not end on the cross. It was only the beginning of a new and glorious eternal life. Amen.

Easter: Almighty Father, I thank you for the gift of your son, Jesus Christ, who rose from the dead and redeemed humankind. Fill us with the fire of the Holy Spirit, that we may be faithful disciples and enthusiastic witnesses of our Catholic faith. Alleluia, Christ is risen! He is risen, indeed. Amen.

*Mass Times: Saturdays 4:30
Sundays 6:45, 8:00 (Extraordinary Form, Latin, 1st & 3rd Sundays), 9:30, 11:00*

*Confession Times: Sunday after 9:30 Mass
Tuesday after 8:00 Mass
Wednesday 6:30 PM - 7:00 PM*

Friday after 6:30 AM Mass

Saturday after 8:15 Mass and 3:15 PM - 4:00 PM

Mission Statement

Rooted in the Gospel of Jesus Christ, Holy Angels School is committed to spiritual formation, which nurtures the Catholic faith and inspires its practice. It is committed to academic excellence, which fosters the growth of each individual. Holy Angels School strives to meet the intellectual, social, and ethical challenges of living in a technological, global, and culturally diverse society.

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