



St. Clare Catholic School

## Newsletter

March 26, 2018

### From Mrs. Gruber:

*On Saturday, new members of the Catholic family will be baptized during the Easter Vigil. Take time today to read about the [Sacrament of Baptism](#).*

*"After being baptized, we acknowledge or receive a white garment to signify that we have risen with Christ. We receive a lighted candle, which symbolizes that we are a new creation, enlightened by Christ. We are now called to carry that light into the dark world to extend the light to others" (CCC, no. 1243).*

*Is there a baptized child in your life (your own son or daughter, sibling, niece or nephew, children of friends) you can [pray in thanksgiving for today](#)?*

*Today we read this [Mother's Reflection on Liturgy](#), which reflects on the Rite of Baptism through the eyes of one mother. USCCB*

As we begin Holy Week, let us take time to reflect on our Lenten journey. How have we prayed, fasted, reflected and given to others?

Please join us Wednesday for the Shadow Stations. Some eighth grade students will present the shadow stations @ 1:30 and 6:00 p.m. in the Wrightstown church.

Thank you in advance for teacher appreciation week! I know the teachers and staff appreciate your kindness and generosity! Thank you to the Home & School Committee for organizing this week of treats. We especially thank Kim Hruska and Lisa Kolman for their work in organizing. Please remember we are in need of people to step forward and work with our Home & School committee next year.

If you are able, please return your registration materials this week. The deadline for the tuition discount is Saturday, March 31, however the school and Parish offices will be closed March 30 & 31.

Congratulations go out to Mrs. Linwood in receiving the Kohl award! The 100 Herb Kohl Fellowship recipients and the 100 schools of those teachers will each receive a \$6,000 grant and will be recognized at a spring banquet.

Mrs. Sorenson has decided to leave us and take another job. Her last day will be Wednesday. We wish Mrs. Sorensen the best! Fr. Brian and I are working to make plans for music class and band lessons. I will give those details as soon as they are available. Thank you for your patience.

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**CHANGE: SAVE THE DATE: May 3** will be the May Crowning with second grade First Communicants. This will be @2:00 p.m.

First Communicants will lead Mass May 3 @ 8:05 and Fr. Brian will bless items from their First Eucharist for them. Family members of First Communicants are invited to a social after Mass. This change is due to the fact that May crowning is in May and the second graders have Mass planning that day. We apologize for any inconvenience.

**Important information from the Wrightstown school district concerning summer school:**  
**March 29 - Class information & online registration will be available ~ look for the summer school icon on our website [www.wrightstown.k12.wi.us](http://www.wrightstown.k12.wi.us)**  
**April 13 - Registration Deadline is 5:00 p.m.**

On April 9th there is a VIRTUS training at the Greenleaf site. If you have not attended this training and would like to be involved as a volunteer at school (field trips, dances, other school/parish functions) please consider signing up. Contact the parish office for details. (920-863-2550) or [office@stclareagw.org](mailto:office@stclareagw.org)

**Dates to remember:**

**March 28 Shadow Stations 1:30 & 6:00 p.m.**

**March 30- April 3 No School for Easter break- School resumes on Wed. April 4th.**

**March 31 is the deadline for the early registration discount on tuition (the last school day before the deadline is March 29)**

**April 4 report cards will go home in the family folders**

**April 4 School Committee meeting @ 6:00**

**April 13 @12:45 8th grade presentation rescheduled-parents welcome**

Mystic Monk coffee is ordered monthly and order forms are available on the website ([stclarek-8.org](http://stclarek-8.org)).

When using Amazon, use amazonsmile and choose St. Clare as your nonprofit of choice. This is an easy way to earn money for our Parish/school.

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