

January 21, 2020



Dear Saint Clare Families,

Welcome to Second Semester! The first half of the year flew by! How amazing to observe the children's physical, academic, and spiritual growth. As I visit the classrooms, I am impressed with their individual focus and their ability to work successfully in groups. When I have the opportunity to teach religion classes, I am awed by their pride in being Catholic and their love of our Lord. I truly feel blessed every day!

Parent-Teacher Conferences are coming up on Tuesday, February 11th. Teachers will put "request" slips in the report card envelope if they would like you to make an appointment with them. If you don't receive a slip, but you would like to meet with your child's teacher, you are also welcome to schedule an appointment. Lea will send out the Sign-Up Genius on Monday.

We are finalizing all of the fun for Celebrate Catholic Schools Week: Scholastic Book Fair, Open House, BINGO, Mini-Unit Afternoon, Family Mass, bowling, and more! We hope you'll be able to be a part of at least one of the events throughout the week, but please know that we understand parents can't always take off work to attend school functions. We sincerely appreciate how committed you are to your child's education and faith development. St. Clare School has THE best parents! I hope you're able to join the Home & School Committee and school staff at Lucky's at 7pm on Friday for a social.

Registration for the 2020-21 school year will begin on Sunday, January 26 at the Open House. Registration packets with updated tuition will be available that day.

St. Clare Catholic School is *considering* offering a full-time option for 3K during the 2020-21 school year. (We will also continue with a part-time option.) The informational meeting is tomorrow, January 22nd at 6pm. Feel free to share with your family, friends, and neighbors who have 2-3 year-olds.

The Wisconsin School Choice information for the 2020-21 school year has just been released. We will be holding a meeting on February 17th for any parents who have questions and would like to start their applications. You are also welcome to set up an individual appointment with me. I can be available most evenings after you have supper with your family.

May you know God's Peace in 2020,
Julie

PS

I almost forgot the great news! The results of Breakfast with St. Nick are in... you helped raise \$5,314.63 for the Home & School Committee to use to benefit St. Clare School.

Dear Families,

Thanks to all who were involved in Breakfast with St. Nick benefiting St. Clare School in December by donating, attending, volunteering, baking, or shopping.

The 11th annual event raised \$5314.63 this year. Last year's event raised \$6241.79. Our proceeds were down \$927.16 vs last year. Next year we can hope there is an away Packer game!

We are blessed to continue a relationship with Catholic Financial Life of Greenleaf #189 and Wrightstown #97 who continue to support the school with donations for this event.

God Bless,

Kim Hruska, Event Chair
St. Clare Home and School

