

February 25, 2020



Dear St. Clare Families,

Mr. VanGrinsven is planning an adventure-filled field trip to **Extreme Air** on March 31st for the 2nd through 8th graders. We will eat lunch at school at 11am, board the bus at 11:30am, play from noon - 2pm, and return to school about 2:30pm. Please see the enclosed permission slip. We don't want the cost to deter anyone from going, so don't hesitate to contact me if you need the fee waived.

The School Choice "window" is open for over a month yet, so don't worry if you haven't had a chance to check out the website yet. More families are eligible for this amazing opportunity than you would ever guess. Please spend a few minutes at dpi.wi.gov/sms/choice-programs to see if your family would qualify. We will be holding a School Choice meeting on **Monday, March 23 at 6pm** in the school basement.

There will be a special collection at the Ash Wednesday Mass at 2pm in Wrightstown for our **new security doors** at school. Please consider sending a donation with your children to put in the basket.

Thank you to everyone who came to Van Abel's for our February Feasting for Funds. I enjoyed visiting with parents, getting hugs from the kids ... and having seconds on the mashed potatoes! How fun to interact with the other St. Clare Families!

We are sending home two fundraising options. **Please don't feel any pressure to buy something or to ask your relatives / friends to purchase anything.** We know that some families really enjoy doing the coffee order. I liked the Spring brochure because I order bulbs each Spring anyway, and I thought some of you might also. We spend nothing on brochures or photocopies, so we do **not** lose money if families choose not to participate.

A huge THANK YOU to everyone who has already been active on Social Media in some way to support St. Clare School. Many of you have been commenting and sharing Facebook posts to spread our good news. If you have time this week, please consider doing a review of our school on the St. Clare Catholic School Facebook page.

Mrs. Theresa Reynders is wondering if any of your 4th - 8th grade sons / daughters are able to occasionally serve at weekend Masses. What a special way for our kids to participate in Mass! If your daughter / son is willing, please send her an email at treynders@stclareagw.org.

May you know God's Peace in 2020,
Julie

