



Immaculate Conception School

October 12, 2017 Newsletter



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IMPORTANT DATES/UPCOMING EVENTS

- October 17 School Mass at 9:15 am
- October 18 Fall Book Fair
- October 20 Picture Retake Day

FROM THE DESK OF MR. KAPPERMAN

Dear Parents,

Today is the last day that students may wear shorts until the spring. Please be sure to have your children follow the fall/winter dress code starting on Monday, October 16, 2017.

The sign-up was sent out via email to all families for the upcoming parent/teacher conferences. We are using Sign-Up Genius for the conference sign ups this year. If you encounter any trouble while signing up please contact the school office.

This year, as we celebrate our school theme and model active discipleship for our children, I encourage Immaculate Conception School families to take a couple hours to attend the evening parent/student workshops that the Parish hosts. Next week the eighth grade workshop is scheduled for Tuesday, October 17 from 7:00 pm until 8:30 pm and will be repeated on Thursday, October 19 from 7:00 pm until 8:30 pm. These workshops allow you to explore our Catholic faith and allow for a comfortable setting to discuss our faith with your children. These workshops are very well received. Call Sister Judy for more information.

10/15 28th Week in Ordinary Time

Justice Challenge: The Sunday Gospel describes the wedding banquet to which the groom's father invited his family and friends. But the invited guests chose not to come. In frustration, the father welcomed people beyond his immediate circle, even reaching out to people on the fringes of society. And they came! Jesus' message is clear: through him, God has given us a new understanding of who the Chosen People are. They are not only people born into the Jewish community. The chosen people include anyone who says yes to God's call. Your challenge this week is to look at someone who is not Catholic, a person you don't know very well. It might be someone you pass on the street or in the grocery store, perhaps a person whom you consider different or wrong, scary or mean. Can you view the person through God's eyes, seeing them as part of God's chosen people? Can you name one way in which the person has said yes to God? In the coming week, commit yourself to a change of attitude or heart about this person.

Sincerely,

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