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CALENDAR OF EVENTS:

Fri., Oct. 14th	Mid-trimester
Oct. 17th & 18th	3-5 Grade Conferences 3:00-6:00 p.m.
Wed., Oct. 19th	Mrs Eiyneck 1st gr Mass 9:00 am
Wed., Oct. 19th	HFS Service Project day
Oct., 20th-21st	No School - Fall Break

MESSAGE FROM THE PRINCIPAL

Last week was a highlight of the year for me so far. Friday saw all the students looking their best for school pictures and ending the day with a blessing over our animals. It was so fun to see such a variety of pets hanging out without any serious growling!

Saturday was another great day to see not only so many of our HFS families attend the Fall Festival, but also families from the greater Albany community who wanted to have a fun family night out before the weather turns cold. Thank you to everyone who attended and supported us that evening!!

Blessings,
Mrs. Sowada

NO NEWSLETTER NEXT WEEK

Due to the short week of school next week, there will be no newsletter sent out.

DROP-OFF TRAFFIC FLOW

Just a friendly reminder that morning vehicle traffic needs to flow from the **West to the East**. When entering the Seven Dolores/HFS campus in the morning, please turn right (west) then an immediate left (south) to drive around the back of the church. Even if you are parking, whether to drop off for Childcare, Preschool, or for another reason, please make sure to follow these traffic flow guidelines. Thank you!

CONFERENCES

Just a friendly reminder that conferences for the 3rd, 4th and 5th grade classes will be held next Monday and

Tuesday after school. Everyone who returned the sign-up slip should have been notified of the time slot to attend. If you are unable to make it, please call the office.

SCHOOL MASSES

Please join us this school year for our school Masses on Wednesdays at 9:00 a.m. The October 19th Mass will be prepared Mrs. Eiyneck's 1st grade class. All are welcome to join us.

SERVICE PROJECT SET FOR WEDNESDAY

The 3rd-5th grade classes will be decorating Teals grocery bags with our Holy Family School name on it and making decorations for the Mother of Mercy nursing home. The Preschool - 2nd grade classes will be decorating small pharmacy bags for the K & S Pharmacy in Avon and making decorations for the Pond View nursing home.

LUNCH/RECESS DUTY

Parents are asked to check in the office on their assigned days by 11:20 in order to help out in the lunchroom for the last few minutes with the first lunch group. Recess duty will be from 11:30 - 12:30. Please make sure to sign out when you are done. Thank you for helping us out! If you have made arrangements with a sub or another family to cover for you, please notify the office of any changes.

Volunteer Schedule:

Fri., 10/14	Adam & Molly Hoppe
Mon., 10/17	Colton Huseh, Hannah Huseh
Tues., 10/18	John & Stacy King
Wed., 10/19	Gary & Vicki Winkels
Thur., 10/20	NO SCHOOL
Fri., 10/21	NO SCHOOL
Mon., 10/24	John & Reba Leither
Tue., 10/25	Todd & Katie Lisson
Wed., 10/26	Paul & Jessica Lust
Thur., 10/27	Jon & Rachel Gaebel
Fri., 10/28	Ron & Ami Ohmann

YEARBOOK ORDERS

Yearbooks are on sale now for \$17.00. This offer expires November 1. Prices then increase to \$20. Our yearbooks include students from HFS, Albany Elementary and Avon Elementary. Order online today at [Josten's Yearbook](#). Ordering online is preferred but if you are unable to order online you may bring your money (with name and grade) to the office. Yearbooks are delivered in May - so keep your receipt in case of any mix-ups.

FALL FESTIVAL AND FALL OF FORTUNE RAFFLE

Thanks again to the committee chairs - Karla Zierden, Priya Felling, Betti Ramseyer and Tracy Schnieder for organizing this year's event. It was a huge success!! The final total will be in the next newsletter.

Congratulations to the Raffle Winners:

\$10,000	Ken Sauer & Tina
\$3,000	Dr. Robert and Inez Schwegler family
\$2,000	Kristin Sand
\$1,000	Wayne & Kim Maciejewski
\$1,000	Karen Fleischhacker
\$500	Myron Miller
\$500	Kari Koenig
\$500	Renee Bauer
\$500	Charla Bueckers
\$250	Florentine Scepaniak
\$250	Kim Gaebel
\$250	Kent Halvorson
\$250	Brenda Wenning

HOLY FAMILY 2022 VIRTUAL VENDOR FAIR

Holy Family School will once again be hosting a Virtual Vendor Fair. We are looking for consultants/vendors wanting to be included in the Holy Family Virtual Vendor Fair. We are planning the event to run from November 23rd through December 4th.

We are currently reaching out to our participants from last year to see if they would like to be involved this year and as well we are looking for additional vendors. If you or someone you know who would like to participate, please have them contact Karla Zierden at karmatt@albanytel.com or 320-420-9561 (cell), or call the HFS office at 845-2011. Thank you!!

We are also in need of a Co-coordinator to help Karla this year and take over the event next year. Please contact the school office if you are interested in helping coordinate the event. Thank you!!

SPOTLIGHT ON FAMILY

The Gully Family

Mike and Sue Gully have five children. Riley- 3rd grade, Kenzie- 2nd grade, Abigail- Kindergarten (who all attend HFS), Lilyana- age 3, and Hannah- 4 mos. The Gully's enjoy camping, swimming, fishing, and riding bicycles. They look forward to seeing their friends at HFS and making new friends this year.



INSTITUTIONAL ADVANCEMENT POSITION

Holy Family School is looking to hire a person for the Institutional Advancement position that we secured through this year's Schulze Foundation Challenge Grant. The hours/week would vary depending on the demand of our fundraisers and other marketing implementation projects. The main job description would be: ***To lead and develop marketing strategies to advertise for the school, increase enrollment, build relationships with families and businesses in the community, fundraising, admissions and web oversight.*** If you are interested in this position or learning more about it, please contact Mary Sowada for more information. Thank you!!

BOOK CLUB

We are excited to again offer a Book Club this school year. In order to have meaningful conversations and discussions about the book, students need to be committed to reading the provided books. 'Page Turners' will meet four times this year from 2:45-3:45 on the following dates.

December 6th
February 7th
April 4th

ART CLUB

We are excited to offer an after school Art Club this year! Art club is for students who are in grades 3-5 and LOVE to do art, drawing, painting, creating and designing. They will meet on the following dates:

November 1st
January 3rd March 7th
May 2nd

