

Little Flower Catholic Elementary School -- Memo for Friday, January 12, 2018

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Mission: Little Flower Catholic Elementary School, a partnership of parents and parish, nurtures a Sacramental life rooted in Jesus Christ and Catholic teaching, pursues academic excellence, and promotes a life of faith, integrity and service.

Little Flower School RULES: Respect God, Respect Self & Others, Respect the Environment



**Carnival to Kick Off
Catholic Schools Week**

Catholic Schools Week begins Sunday, January 28 with the Little Flower Catholic School **CARNIVAL** sponsored by the Little Flower School PTO. The Carnival is from 12:00 – 3:00 PM at the Rugby Armory. Concessions will be served! There will be new games as well as old favorites. Come for an afternoon of fun, food, and games for all ages.

←Bishop Folda enjoyed jail time with LFS students at last year’s Carnival.

+++++ **Additional Information for you to know** +++++

SKILL OF THE WEEK: Accepting ‘No’ for an Answer: 1. Look at the person. 2. Say ‘Okay.’ 3. Stay calm. 4. If you disagree, ask later. Accepting ‘no’ for an answer is hard for everyone. Make sure you give the person eye contact so they know you are paying attention. Say okay or nod to show that you understand right away without pouting or whining. It’s important to stay calm. If you react negatively, you can make the situation worse. Lastly, if you disagree with ‘no’ wait until there is a better time to talk about it. Plan out what you will say and then if the answer is still no, accept it and thank the person for listening. Hearing ‘no’ isn’t always easy but it’s a part of life. Using these steps will help to handle the ‘no’s’ appropriately.

- +++ **NO SCHOOL on Monday, January 15 for students.** It is a Professional Development day for LFS Staff.
- +++ **RAFFLE TICKETS** Please remember to get your 2 Books SOLD and turned in to the school office ASAP!! If you are able to help sell additional books, Rita has more in the office. THANK YOU for your help in making this a successful fundraiser! We are looking to meet for a couple of selling nights around town. Please watch the Facebook Parent and Teacher Closed Group for meeting times/days. Raffle Ticket Committee
- +++ **BOX TOPS FOR EDUCATION** sent a check to LFS in the amount of \$481.70 for the box tops that were submitted for the period of March 2, 2017-November 1, 2017. THANK YOU to all who contributed to this cause.
- +++ **All third grade parents :** There will be a retreat for Confirmation students on Saturday, January 20th. We will begin with Mass at 8am, ending with a Pot Luck meal at 12:30. Also, our First Communion parent meeting, will be held on Sunday January 28th at 9:30 in the Msgr Cloos Dining Room.
- +++ **All second grade parents:** The first parent meeting for children preparing to receive the sacrament of Reconciliation, will be held on Sunday January 21 at 9:30 in the Msgr Cloos Dining Room.

+++ These are the **PRAYER INTENTIONS** for the weeks ending January 13 that LFS students and staff offered as part of the **“What a Difference a Day Makes”** program: 1/1: Pray for Sr. Jean Louise on the 35th Anniversary of her Profession of Vows; 1/2: Pray for a deeper faith for the Rose Selensky family; 1/3: Pray for the health of Rev. Wenceslous Katanga; ¼: Pray for Maria Blessum on her birthday; 1/5: Pray for Wenceslous Katanga. That God will grant him the graces he needs to deal with his illness; 1/6: Pray for Maria Sears on her birthday; 1/7: Pray for Christ and Judy Heintz on their 56th wedding anniversary; 1/8: Pray for the health of the Rose Selensky Family; 1/9: Pray that God will heal Rev. Wenceslous Katanga; 1/10: Pray in memory of Adam C. and Rose Haman. That they may enjoy the richness of heaven; 1/11: Pray for Adison Dosch on her 11th birthday; 1/12: Pray for Rev. Wenceslous Katanga. That he feels close to God amidst his struggles; 1/13: Pray for Gabe Scheet.