



# CRUSADER CONNECTION



## UPCOMING AT ST. JOE

- October 7: Living Rosary in the Church
- October 10: Spirit Day
- October 16: 6th-8th WSU Future Maker Lab
- October 17: No School - Teacher Work Day



3<sup>rd</sup> Grade Field Trip to P&M Pumpkin Patch

# ANNOUNCEMENTS

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**Service Hours Due:** The first quarter of the school year is almost over, meaning service hours will be due next week. Service hours should be turned into your homeroom teacher for credit.

**Religion Bowl:** Tryouts for the 5th-6th grade Religion Bowl team will be held on **October 7** after school. If you have a student interested in competing on the team, tryouts will last until 4:15pm.

**Trunk or Treat:** Trunk or Treat is scheduled for **Saturday, Oct. 25th** from 5:00pm-7:00pm. We would LOVE to have our gravel parking lot full of trunks so if you are interested in providing a trunk to hand out candy please contact Alice Gorges. Her email is: [aliceegorges@gmail.com](mailto:aliceegorges@gmail.com) Thank you!!!

**Fall Parties:** Fall parties will be held on **Thursday, Oct. 30th** at 2:15. (Preschool will hold their class parties on **Oct. 29th** and **30th** during their normal class times.) We are looking for volunteers to sign up to be a classroom coordinator (one per class) for the fall parties. What's expected of the classroom coordinator? Typically, the coordinator decides on one or two activities, crafts, or games for the students to partake in during the party. Then, he/she reaches out to the other parents in the class, via email or creates a Sign Up Genius, requesting materials for the activity, plus one sweet snack, one non-sweet snack, plates, and napkins. We do request that, if at all possible, the classroom coordinator, or another classroom volunteer, be at the party to run the activities/games/crafts and assist with distributing the snacks, especially for the younger grades. Please click the link below to sign up as the Fall Party Classroom Coordinator. Your time is greatly appreciated! Thank you!

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10COA4DA4A82BABFAC34-59100611-fall>

Ms. Kohman will be sending out a separate sign up genius for the Preschool fall parties.

**Prudence is our Q2 Virtue:** While we'll continue to incorporate the Q1 virtue of Justice into our day, our second quarter virtue is Prudence. Initiating conversations at home about Prudence will help us to more solidly instill this virtue in our youth. Thanks for partnering with us!

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**Amazon Prime Days:** **October 7-8** will be Amazon Prime days! Keep an eye out for awesome deals for our school auction or check out our list. Bonus! You can ship items straight to the office! If you have any questions contact Liz Helten at 316-214-4507. Link: <https://amzn.to/3RQFWRa>

**Chilly Mornings:** While we're all enjoying these lovely warm fall afternoons, the mornings can be brisk and cool! Just a reminder that a few of our classes have a morning recess, so please send them to school with quarter zips, sweaters, or jackets. Please be sure to mark the inside of your apparel with a name on it, so we know who it belongs to should it end up in the lost and found.

**Volleyball Tournament Help:** We are hosting the 6th grade Sacred Heart division volleyball tournament next week. There will be games on Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday evenings. We will have an admission table each night and concessions will be open. We are looking for volunteers to help run these areas if you or your family members are interested/available. If you have a high school student needing CYM points, or service hours for Bishop Carroll, this would be a great opportunity to acquire those! Middle school students are welcome to help for service hours, however, at least one adult must also be present with them.

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/20F094FAEAD29AAFF2-58995753-stjoe>

**Youth Basketball:** Attention 2nd-6th grade parents! There is the opportunity for your student to play youth basketball in Garden Plain this winter. To register, and for more information, use the following link:  
<https://forms.gle/oXsJZg7nvgtFe7u39>

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## Q2 VIRTUE: PRUDENCE

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**Prudence is the cardinal virtue of "right reason in action," enabling a person to discern their true good in any situation and choose the appropriate means to achieve it**



# ACTIVITIES

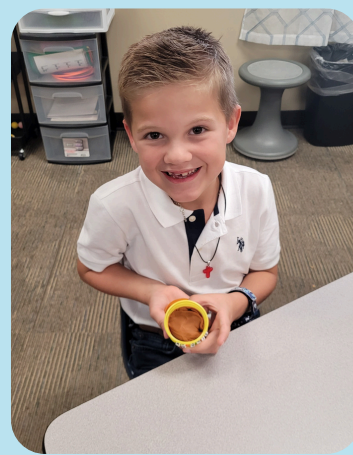
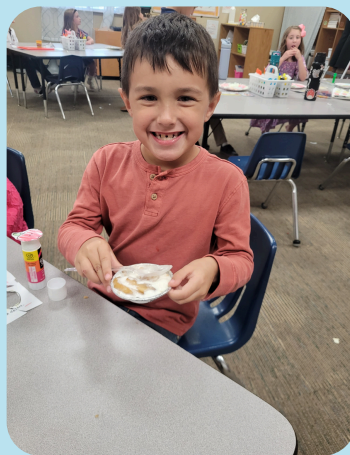
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## 1<sup>st</sup> Grade Spotlight!



1st Grade made wreaths to celebrate Johnny Appleseed Day



Used our baking skills to make apple pie!