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SPJ News

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A Message from Mrs. Montgomery

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=-7alf1YnbbU>



This past weekend I had the opportunity to attend one graduation and two baptisms. At both affairs, the “pre-event” among my relatives was finding our family name in a program. As tradition has it, in my family the first to locate the “celebrity's” name in print gets to nudge and point to the others in the group to “declare” the win!! (ok, we are a competitive group) Why is

seeing a name in print so fascinating? Often an unspoken feeling of pride is felt and experienced. The name is perhaps the most important “property” that can be given to someone. Some might say it is the most important word in the world to that person. Our names are an incredibly important part of our identity. They carry deep personal, cultural, familial, and historical connections. A person's name is the greatest connection to their own identity and individuality. Soon you will find your name on a very important paper. Your “name in print” will identify you and your family as members of the SS Philip and James School community. A place where you belong. The 2021-2022 tuition statement will connect your family name to SS Philip and James for another year!! Seeing your name should bring a sense of safety, comfort, connection, and pride. Names give us a sense of who we are, the communities in which we belong, and our place in the world. Next week your invitation to be a part of this special family called SPJ will be placed in the mail! Look for your name...

More from Mrs. Wolfe

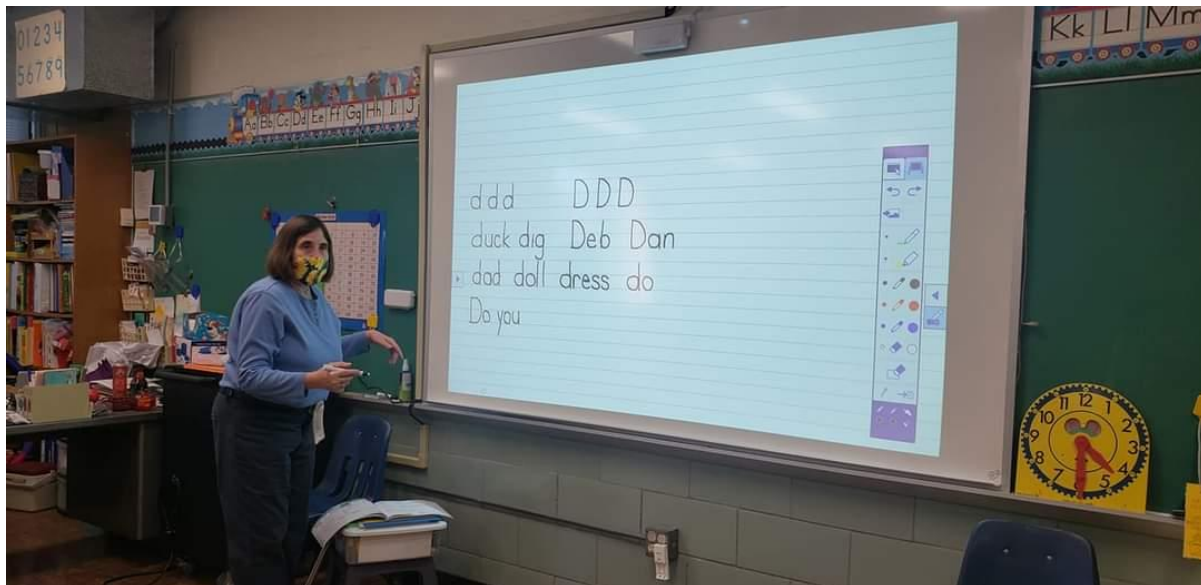


Title 1 News

Parent Survey sheets were sent home in the Thursday folders last week. Please take a few minutes to fill out the survey and return it to school with your child. Thank you to those who have already returned the survey.

Summer Tutoring is Back!!

Tutoring sessions will be offered this summer by Mrs. Wolfe at St. John Lutheran Church in Canal Fulton. The one-on-one sessions are a great way to keep your child's learning skills active. Please call the school office if you are interested and Mrs. Wolfe will contact you. 330-854-2823 (Mrs. Wolfe tutored both of my own children who are now college graduates!! Thank you, Mrs. Wolfe for supporting the foundation for Steven & Katie in their educational endeavors.)



Changes to Mass Gatherings & Times for the Month of May

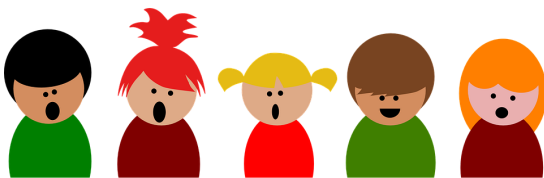
Parents, Grandparents, & Friends; the SPJ students will once again be attending Mass together as a school community. Much thought and planning has gone into this change. Students will be seated with their family members or remain with their classmates to allow for a larger gathering within the church. (3-6 feet distance will remain and masks will be worn.) **Due to reaching maximum capacity in the church on these days, no additional parents, grandparents, or friends will be permitted.** All services can be viewed safely from home through the links provided in the newsletter. I thank you in advance for your understanding and help with this small move “back to normal”. Mass Days-May 20,28. Times remain 9:15.

School Mass Times and Links

Join us virtually for the Mass Celebrations!

Sun https://youtu.be/Ds_j30f3KqA 8:30 am

Sun Holy Spirit Praise & Worship 6:30 pm



You Are Invited to
**SPJ HOLY SPIRIT Praise and Worship
Gathering**

Sunday, May 23- Pentecost Sunday
6:30-8:00pm

Join in an evening of Contemporary Music, Scripture, and Prayer!

Bring a Friend!

SPJ Tuition Raffle

Extended Deadline- May 28

\$5000 Tuition Credit!! 200 tickets, \$50 a piece will be sold. Winners will receive up to \$5000 to use for SPJ tuition, Catholic High School tuition, or even college. Look at the flyer attached to this email for more information. Contact the school office to purchase your winning number. There are still many tickets left!!

Yearbook Date Extended- May 31

Thank you to the families that have turned in the yearbook order forms. If you would like to purchase a “memory book” for the school year 2020-2021, there is a yearbook order form included in the attachments to this week’s newsletter or contact the school office for an order form.

SchoolStore.com is Open

SchoolStore.com is an easy fundraiser! Parents help purchase the essential tools our students and teachers need to succeed. Continue to encourage the use of this fundraiser when shopping. Thank you for your support!!





May the Month of Mary

Thank you to Mrs. Bonnot for hosting the SS Philip and James May Crowning! The reverse and respect for this devotion to Mary was outstanding. A job well done!! It was beautiful!! You may watch the ceremony at home using this link.

<https://youtu.be/naaX2v-8mq0>



MARKET DAY IS BACK AT SPJ!

For those of you who were missing Market Day, IT IS BACK! For those of you who have not purchased from Market Day, it is a site where you can order food and it ships directly to your door! YAY! The best part....when you order from Market Day SPJ receives 10% from your order! There are new specials every month and they are adding new products every day! Make sure you use our organization [SS PHILIP & JAMES - CANAL FULTON - OH](#) when you purchase. Email me or contact me with questions. (Ashley Piper 330-715-3773 or ampiper10@gmail.com)

AMAZON SMILE

Keep buying and helping raise money for our school. Just click on the choose new charity and click SS Philip & James Canal Fulton. It does not cost anything and you are donating to your school! Thank you!

<https://smile.amazon.com/ch/34-0861033>



Box Tops

SS Philip and James' Home & School is still collecting Box Tops. You can help by joining the app "to snap" a photo of your receipts.



Reminder: This Friday (tomorrow) there is no school for students.

Next Friday, May 28 is half day of school. Early dismissal will begin at 11:45am.

Upcoming Dates

Tomorrow No School for Students

May 20- End of Fourth Quarter

May 20- Last Day for Preschool Students

May 21- No School- Teacher Work Day May 23- Pentecost Sunday (Wear Red)

May 27- Graduation (8th grade Families Only)

May 28- Last Day for Students (This is a Half Day)

May 28- Kindergarten Mass (School Students Only)

May 28- Awards Ceremony (Students Only)

May 28- Report Cards Go Home



*Once upon a time, in Kinderland there lived Queen Dolecki
and her most loyal ladies and gentlemen in waiting.....
And they lived happily ever after.*