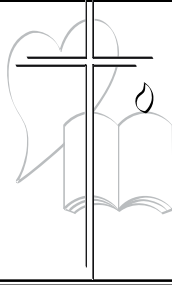


# ST. GREGORY THE GREAT SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

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‘HOME OF THE JAGUARS’

**NEWS FROM GRADE FIVE:** Grade 5 is “**GRATEFUL**”! Recently the students in grade five have been blessed above and beyond their usual bounty with the help and support of some wonderful St. Greg’s parents. Mrs. Liebenauer, Mrs. Mullins, and the students want to especially acknowledge Mr. & Mrs. Lawless, Mrs. Roulan and everyone at LG America who made our beautiful camp t-shirts possible. The bright green “**I Love 5<sup>th</sup> Grade**” shirts were a hit for our recent music performance and will definitely come in handy on May 7, 2009 when the fifth grade has an outdoor education experience at Camp Christopher.

In addition, the parents came through with “**flying flapjacks**”! Great fun was had on Tuesday, February 24<sup>th</sup> when we had a wonderful pancake party. Thanks to the time and generosity of many parents the fifth grade’s Mardi Gras celebration was a success. Thank you Mrs. Andorka, Mrs. Berlin, Mr. Comella, Mrs. Ferrante, Mrs. Forniti, Mrs. Hanicak, Mrs. Laffey, Mr. & Mrs. Levand, Mr. Loduca, Mr. Loya, Mrs. Nagy, Mr. Reddick, and Mrs. Rochester for all you all did to help make the activity a success. A special thank you also goes to Mr. & Mrs. Teriaca. (the fruit was delicious!)

**STUDENT COUNCIL NEWS:** Student Council will be sponsoring a “**Pot O’Pennies Penny Drive**” beginning Monday, March 9<sup>th</sup> through Friday, March 13<sup>th</sup>. All proceeds will be distributed among several area charities. Please send in all of your pennies for this great cause. This is a wonderful example of almsgiving as we celebrate the Lenten season. We greatly appreciate your support and generosity!

**CERTIFICATE PROGRAM NEWS:** Our Malley’s Candy Sale begins today and runs through Monday, March 16<sup>th</sup>. Please take advantage of this opportunity to earn huge savings off your family’s tuition (you earn 25% of your total sales)! If you take a minute to review the brochure in the Monday mail-pack, you will see that Malley’s has an abundant supply of Easter treats for everyone. In addition, if you order online, Malley’s will provide free shipping to ONE household for all orders over \$95.00 and a FREE Cedar Point ticket for all orders over \$150.00. Hop to it and order now! Order pick-up will be Monday, March 23<sup>rd</sup> in the PFC.

**ATTENTION: All Parents of Incoming Kindergarten Students for the 2009-2010 School Year.**

Please be sure to mark **WEDNESDAY, April 1<sup>st</sup>** on your calendar. The meeting for incoming kindergarten parents will be held at 7:00PM in the school cafeteria. The kindergarten assessment process will be explained. This parent meeting is required for those parents who never had a child attend our kindergarten program and for those who have not been in our program within the last three years. If for some reason you cannot attend this important meeting, you must pick up your packet at the school office by Wednesday, April 8<sup>th</sup>.



For those not required to attend, your packet of information will be sent home with an older sibling. For those without siblings, please pick up your packets in the school office no later than Wednesday, April 8<sup>th</sup>.

Early Prevention of School Failure Screening (EPSF) will be held Monday and Tuesday, April 20<sup>th</sup> and 21<sup>st</sup>. You will be given your child’s assigned day, date and time for his/her assessment at the meeting.

**CLINIC NEWS:** Friday, March 13<sup>th</sup> is Scoliosis testing day here at St. Gregory’s for our fifth, sixth, and seventh graders. If you have any questions, please call Mrs. Rosanne Bonacci at (216) 381-0363 ext. 41. Thanks!

**OUR LENTEN JOURNEY** ~ Destination – Easter (heaven)  
Route – Celebrating Service



Week 1 ~ March 2/Service at home  
Week 2 ~ March 9/Service to mom and dad  
Week 3 ~ March 16/Service to brothers, sisters, and friends  
Week 4 ~ March 23/Service in the school cafeteria and at recess  
Week 5 ~ March 30/Service in classroom  
Week 6 ~ HOLY WEEK/Random acts of kindness at home and school  
**ENDING THE JOURNEY WITH JESUS!**

**CAFETERIA CORNER:** Any family that may qualify for free or reduced-lunch (\$0.40) please see Mrs. Stanziano in the cafeteria. **NOTE:** If your financial status changes at any time through out the school year, new applications are always available.

**IMPORTANT:** Please remind students that these items are not to be brought to school: electronic devices, cameras, tape recorders, portable music players, and video games. Cell phones are permitted but must be turned off and put away during school hours in back packs in the lockers. Cell phone may also be turned in to the office during school hours.

**CONGRATUALTIONS** to our seventh grade girls' basketball team who won the Eastside Regional championship game on Saturday, February 28th. The girls are coached by **Mr. Michael Krebs, Mr. Brian Becker and Mr. Gary Novinc.**

**Samantha Bauman**  
**Caroline Becker**  
**Graceann Filippo**  
**Michelle Krebs**  
**Mia Mastroianni**  
**Julie Novario**  
**Rachel Novinc**  
**Terese Vavro**



**LAST CHANCE SOUTH EUCLID GIRLS SOFTBALL**  
**REGISTRATION SATURDAY, MARCH 7TH**  
**10-11:00 AM @ SOUTH EUCLID CITY HALL**  
Any questions check out our web-site and download  
a registration form at [www.segsl.org](http://www.segsl.org) or call our softball line  
(216) 297-0636.