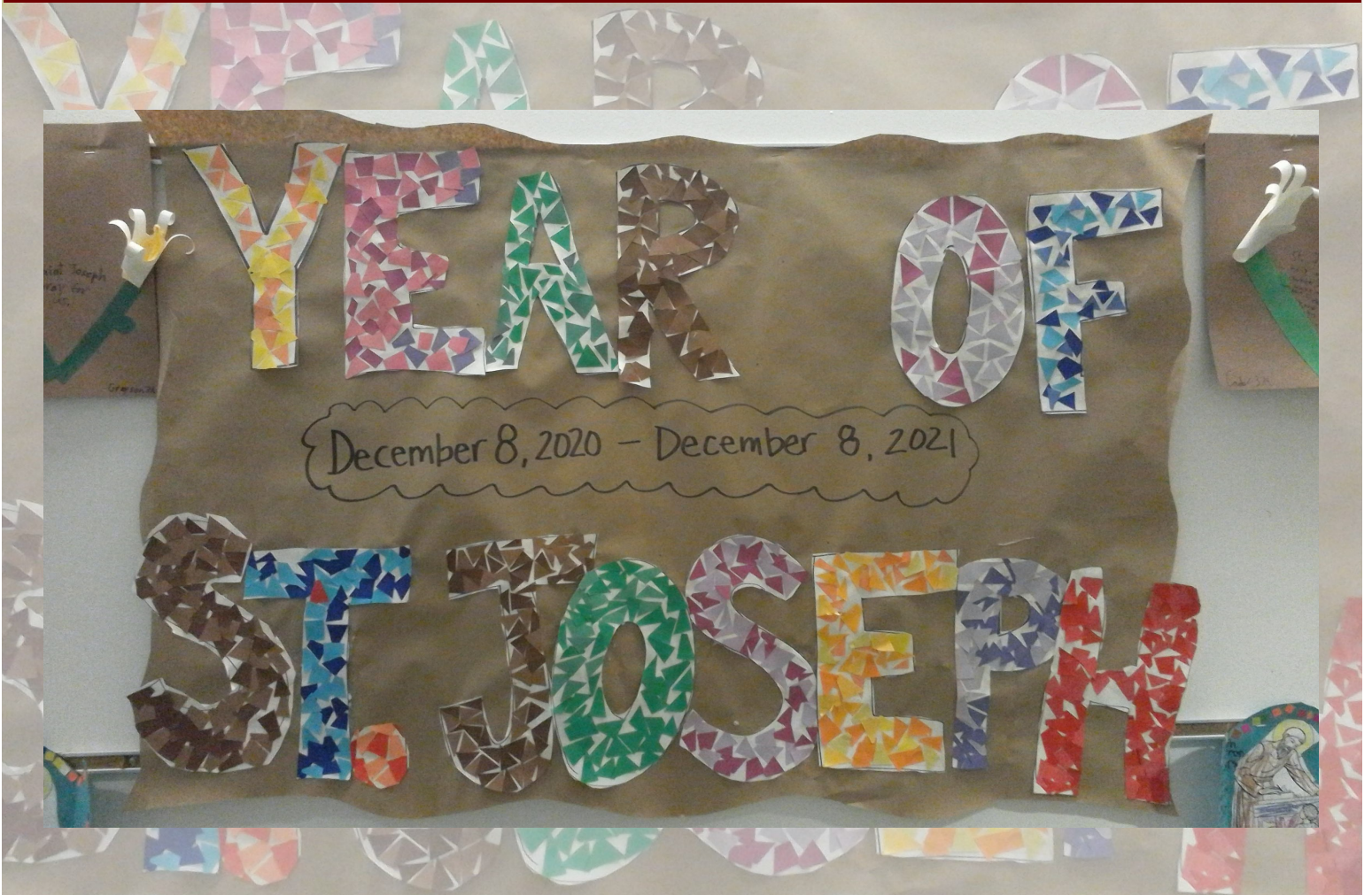


MARCH 2021 MONTHLY MESSENGER



Knightly News from the Principal!

'Small Returns': <https://stjosephknightsprincipalpage.home.blog/>

PRINCIPAL: MR. KEVIN NAUMANN

ASSISTANT PRINCIPAL: SR. MARY ANGELA, C.K.

NEWS

UPCOMING EVENTS

March 1, 2021—MONDAY

ITBS Testing
Lenten Food Drive

March 2, 2021—TUESDAY

ITBS Testing
Lenten Food Drive
2:55 PM Stations of the Cross

March 8, 2021—MONDAY

Student Confessions

March 10, 2021—WEDNESDAY

End of 3rd Quarter

March 11, 2021—THURSDAY

NO SCHOOL (Fac. Mtg./Teacher Workday)

March 12, 2021—FRIDAY

NO SCHOOL (Comp Day)

March 19, 2021—FRIDAY

ST. JOSEPH FEAST DAY
7:00 PM Confirmation

March 31, 2021—WEDNESDAY

2:30 PM Living Stations (4th Grade)

Daily Mass

As mentioned in the principal's blog, **beginning March 1, all grades will be able to attend Mass each day, with just first grade and Kindergarten rotating every other day.** By utilizing a format where grade levels can use each pew, with a pew between grades, plus the additional use of Resurrection Hall with the overflow camera, we are able to have all grade attend daily Mass except Kindergarten.

BIST Tip – Statements of Empathy

As adults, we need to let the child know his/her problems are a part of being human. Other children and adults experience similar problems. When talking with your child it's important that we acknowledge the child's feelings and how difficult it is to solve problems. Here are some statements you may use to show care and understanding for the child:

- "I know this is hard."
- "It's hard for me when I have to work through my problems."
- "I know this is tough, but I'm here to help you."

Enrollment News

We are excited to announce our enrollment for the 2021-2022 school year is now open! Last Thursday, your child(ren) brought home the PowerSchool Enrollment letters. These contain a snap code that will help you register your student for the 2021-22 school year. **Every family must register their child(ren) online if they are attending next year.** We would like to have everyone **enrolled by April 1st** in order to get out the tuition agreements in a timely manner. If you have questions contact Emily Klein, Emily-Klein@cdolinc.net.

Kindergarten Registration

Our virtual "Kindergarten Preview" is available! Our dedicated teachers are sharing the highlights from the Kindergarten classrooms, curriculum and tips to prepare for the fall. **If you have not received an email in regards to the preview please contact Emily Klein at emily-klein@cdolinc.net to indicate.** This year, more than ever, it will be essential to register early in order to determine staff placement and number of Kindergarten sections for next year, since we are committed to classes no larger than twenty-to-one ratio between students and teacher. We would like to have as many Kindergartners as possible **by Friday, March 12th.**

Preschool Registration

Preschool registration is open for the 2021-2022 school year! Contact Emily Klein at emily-klein@cdolinc.net to register your child in the 3-year old or Pre-K sections now. Inquire about our 2-day, 3-day, and 5-day options.





Note From SFA

The SFA has issued an end-of-year report outlining how funds from the 2020 Walk For Christ have been and are being used. Read the letter [HERE](#).

Parent Volunteers

We also have approval from the Lancaster County Health Department to allow limited access for parent volunteers in the school. In addition to the previous requirements of completing a background check and the diocesan safe environment training, parents would need to comply with the COVID-19 daily self-checklist and may volunteer in the school for a maximum of 2 hours at a time. For more information, please contact our volunteer coordinator, Gloria Jundt at gloria-jundt@cdolinc.net.

Totus Tuus

Totus Tuus is a Catholic youth program dedicated to sharing the Gospel and promoting the Catholic faith through teaching, evangelization, Christian witness, and Eucharistic worship. The goal of Totus Tuus is to help young people grow closer to Jesus Christ so He can lead them to the Father by the Power of the Holy Spirit. The program is facilitated by college students and seminarians from the Lincoln Diocese, with the hope of inspiring a true longing for holiness, a desire for conversion, and an openness to their vocation through devotion to Christ through Mary in prayer.

Youth in Grades 1-8 will meet beginning **Monday, June 14** during the day from 9:00 am to 3:00 pm. For more information and to sign up please see the attached [FLYER](#).

Summer Solutions

It's time to order your Summer Solutions books! They made it as easy as possible for schools to offer *Summer Solutions* books this year! Parents place orders online, and ALL books are now delivered directly to parent homes. For more information see the [attached](#) flyer.

Tentative 2021-2022 Calendar

At the bold link you will find our [tentative calendar](#) for the upcoming school year. Major dates from the Diocesan Education Office, such as start and end of school year, Christmas and Easter breaks, etc., are included. Other than the first half day of school, our early dismissal days will be at 1:00 pm so that lunch can be served to all students prior to dismissal. Dates for events like parent-teacher conferences, SFA and sacramental meetings, music concerts, etc. are still to be finalized. We hope this will be helpful for your future planning and we will let you know when further updates are added.

Food Drive

There will be a Lenten Food Drive for Catholic Social Services who aid the needy and homeless. **It will begin Monday, March 1 and continue through Tuesday, March 8.** There will be list of food items and bags sent home on Monday. Thank you and God bless you for your generosity to this worthy cause!



Girl Scout Cookies



The St. Joseph Girl Scout troops will be having an outdoor cookie booth after all Masses this coming weekend and next weekend. Cookies are \$4 per box, and checks can be made to "Girl Scouts" if you'd like to have "touchless" sales. You can

also order online and pay with credit card, and we will have your order ready to drive through and pick up after Mass, just click here <https://app.abcsmartcookies.com/#/virtual-booth-landing/406abaae-6737-eb11-9fb3-0003ff502ee1>. The link will be **LIVE 2/26-2/28**. You can request to pick up your cookies or have them delivered directly to you using this link. Thanks so much for your support of Girl Scouts!



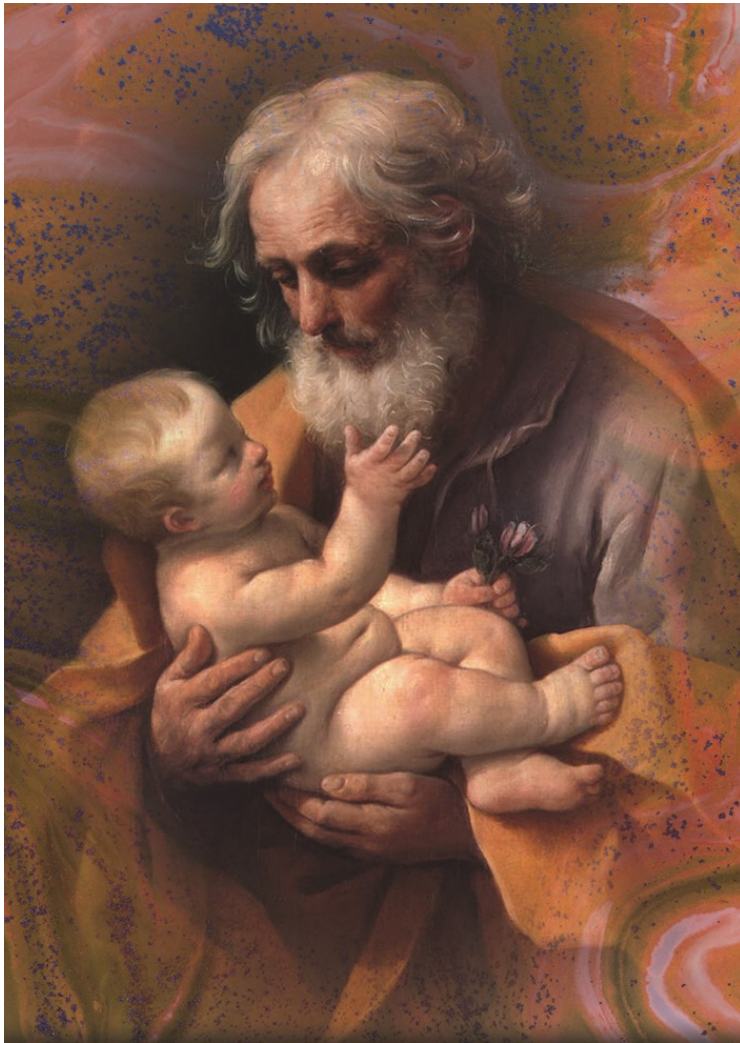
EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES

Junior High Social Studies Teacher

St. Joseph School, Lincoln, is seeking a faith-filled, dynamic teacher for a full-time Junior High Social Studies position. A passion for formation of young people through an understanding of history, coupled with strong leadership and team-building skills, are key qualities desired. The position involves furthering the mission of St. Joseph Catholic School by contributing to a positive learning environment. Start date is August 2021. Salary based on educational background and experience. Please send resume and references to kevin-naumann@cdolinc.net.

Junior High Language Arts Teacher

St. Joseph School, Lincoln, is seeking a faith-filled, dynamic teacher for a full-time Junior High Language Arts position. A passion for character formation of young people through quality literature is essential along with the ability to empower young people with excellent writing and grammar skills. Strong leadership and team-building skills are also key qualities desired. The position involves furthering the mission of St. Joseph Catholic School by contributing to a positive learning environment. Start date is August 2021. Salary based on educational background and experience. Please send resume and references to kevin-naumann@cdolinc.net.



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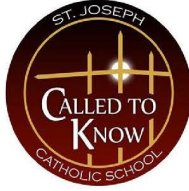
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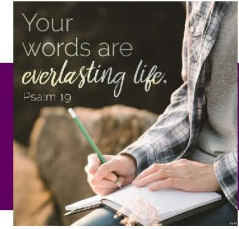
CHRIST BE WITH ME.
CHRIST WITHIN ME.
CHRIST BEHIND ME.
CHRIST BEFORE ME.
CHRIST IN... FRIEND
AND STRANGER.



NEWS



March 2021



March Calendar

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
	1 ITBS Testing Week Lenten Food Drive Day 2	2 ITBS Testing Week Lenten Food Drive Day 3	3 ITBS Testing Week Lenten Food Drive Day 4	4 ITBS Testing Week Lenten Food Drive Day 5	5 ITBS Testing Week Lenten Food Drive Stations of the Cross, 2:55 pm Day 1	6
7 	8 Student Confessions Day 2	9 Day 3	10 End of 3rd Quarter Day 4	11 NO SCHOOL (Fac. Mtg./Teacher Workday)	12 NO SCHOOL (Comp Day)	13
14	15 Day 5	16 Day 1	17 Confirmation Retreat Day Day 2	18 Report Cards Issued	19 St. Joseph Feast Day/ Father's Mass Confirmation 7:00 p.m. Day 4	20
21	22 Day 5	23 Day 1	24 Day 2	25 Day 3	26 Stations of the Cross, 2:55 pm Day 4	27
28 	29 Day 5	30 Day 1	31 Living Stations (grade 4) 2:30 p.m. Day 2			

March Lunches

LUNCH					MARCH 2021 St. Joseph Catholic School					All items are subject to change without notice.				
Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
1 Pulled Pork, WG Bun French Fries Diced Peaches Milk or OJ	2 Spaghetti w/Meat Sauce Garlic Bread, Green Beans Mandarin Oranges Milk or OJ	3 Chicken & Cheese Quesadilla w/ Salsa Corn, Applesauce Milk or OJ	4 Pepperoni Pizza Baby Carrots w/Ranch Pineapple Tidbits Milk or OJ	5 Breaded Mozzarella Sticks Marinara Sauce Strawberry Cup Milk or OJ	8 Chicken Crisпитos Green Beans Banana Milk or OJ	9 Sloppy Joe, WG Bun Baked Beans Diced Pears Milk or OJ	10 Chicken Nuggets Roll & Butter Mixed Veggies Applesauce Milk or OJ	11 NO SCHOOL (Teacher Workday)	12 NO SCHOOL (Faculty Meeting)	15 Hard Shell Beef Taco Mandarin Oranges Corn & Bean Salsa Milk or OJ	16 Fiestada Pizza Green Beans Apple Wedges Milk or OJ	17 Meal in a Bowl Popcorn Chicken Mashed Potatoes, Corn Gravy & Applesauce Milk or OJ	18 Hotdog, WG Bun French Fries Mandarin Oranges Milk or OJ	19 Cheese Pizza Corn Applesauce Milk or OJ
22 Teriyaki Chicken Brown Rice Stir Fry Veggies Banana Milk or OJ	23 Mini Corndogs Baked Beans Applesauce Milk or OJ	24 Breaded Chicken Patty, WG Bun, California Blend Vegetables Diced Peaches Milk or OJ	25 Hamburger Pizza Green Beans Mandarin Oranges Milk or OJ	26 Mac & Cheese Broccoli Florets Strawberry Cup Milk or OJ	29 Chicken Fajitas Flour Tortillas Green Peppers & Onions Pineapple Tidbits Milk or OJ	30 Cheeseburger, WG Bun French Fries Diced Pears Milk or OJ	31 Chicken Strips Roll & Butter Corn, Applesauce Milk or OJ							

Student Lunch \$3.25
Adult Lunch \$3.75
Milk or OJ \$0.40

Turkey Sandwich as a choice on Monday thru Thursday
PB Sandwich as a choice on Monday thru Friday

MY SCHOOL BUCKS PAY FOR MEALS ONLINE
MySchoolBucks.com