

# OUR LADY OF VICTORY SCHOOL

## LEARNING LADDER PRESCHOOL

426 W CAVOUR AVE.....FERGUS FALLS, MN 56537

218-736-6661.....www.ffolvschool.org.....contact@ffolvschool.org



January 18, 2018

### WHAT'S HAPPENING:

Jan 22	NO School
Jan 23	Parent Lunch
Jan 28-Feb 3	Catholic Schools Wk
Feb 14	Ash Wednesday Valentine's Day
Feb 19	NO School

**School Text Updates** - To receive school wide text messages, send a text to **81010** and in the text msg box type in: **@olvs**

#### Great Works Board

Each week student work will be displayed on the Great Works Board and student names/grade will be posted right here!

1<sup>st</sup> – Maggie K  
3<sup>rd</sup> – Taelynn B  
4<sup>th</sup> – Trey S  
6<sup>th</sup> – Aisling C

#### SCRIP Cards

Applebee's - \$25  
Don Pablos - \$20  
Fleet Farm - \$25 & \$50  
Mabel Murphy's - \$25  
Service Food - \$25, \$50 & \$100  
Sunmart - \$25 & \$50



**NO SCHOOL Monday, January 22<sup>nd</sup> - Teacher Workshop Day**

**Parent Lunch** – Our next parent lunch is Tuesday, January 23<sup>rd</sup>!

**Yearbooks** – Look for yearbook ordering info in the coming weeks!

Postponed due to weather, the **Lake Alice Winter Carnival** will be held this Sunday, January 21<sup>st</sup> from 2-4 pm.

**Safe Environment** – All Catholic schools in the St. Cloud Diocese are required to show a safe environment video to grades K-6<sup>th</sup>. Students will be viewing the video in their classrooms within the next couple of weeks. If you would like to preview the video, please contact Mrs. Zierden.

**Catholic Schools Week Kick-off Mass** will be Sunday, January 28<sup>th</sup> at 10:30. All families are encouraged to attend this mass and students are asked to wear their blue school shirts. A sign up for students in grades 3-6 to sing in the choir that day is their envelopes.

**Permission slips, Andes payments, and Andes Rental Slips** are due next Wednesday, January 24<sup>th</sup>. These were in your family envelope last week.

**SkyZone on-line waiver** needs to be completed by Wednesday, January 24<sup>th</sup> as well. Please do not bring in a copy of the waiver, as SkyZone keeps track of those that have signed and will contact us if anyone has not completed the waiver.

---

Fr. Alan and Mayme Hofland will be out of the Parish Office beginning next week, as they are traveling to Peru. Please note that any checks for tuition, lunch, or kids club made after 8:00 am tomorrow (1/19/18) will be reflected on your statements but will not be deposited until the first full week of February, so please plan accordingly....thank you!

---

**MAP Testing dates** will be January 11<sup>th</sup>-26<sup>th</sup>. Kindergarten – 2<sup>nd</sup> grade students take 2 tests (Reading and Math) and work each day for a maximum of 30 minutes until they finish. Students in 3<sup>rd</sup>-6<sup>th</sup> grades take 3 tests (Reading, Math, and Language Arts) and can work up to 45 minutes per day until they complete them. **Please make sure your K-2 student has working headphones at school to use during testing. This is very important!**

**Tidbits from Ms. Terri /Title One**

As we start 2018, a theme I love is- Keep Calm and Love Life! I love the opportunity to be at O.L.V. each day!

As you look for a conversation starter at mealtime, try “What did you love about today?” Children love to share their day, and love to hear about the adults in their lives too!

In reading. I recently shared the silly story of “Yes Day”, a simple book. It is fun to expand on. Maybe your child can tell you what they would ask for - if there *really* was a YES DAY, and you, could share your idea also.

Incorporating Reading into every day, even a short story, reminds children the importance of READING.

In Math, *Dice are Nice* and are a simple way to play math games. Shaking two Dice...to recognize, count on, add, subtract or multiply; all are great skills to practice. Keep some Dice in your purse, backpack or car for the moments that could turn *boring* into *Learning* time!

Enjoy the Journey with your precious Children, thanks for sharing them with me!

Ms. Terri  
(Terri Aho taho@fergusotters.org)



**What's For Breakfast?**

- Monday** Muffins, Yogurt Parfaits
- Tuesday** Egg McMuffin, Bananas
- Wednesday** Breakfast Granola Bar, Fruit Cup
- Thursday** Breakfast Quesadilla
- Friday** Cinnamon Rolls, Smoothies

**What's For Lunch?**

(Jan 22 – Jan 26)

- Monday** NO SCHOOL
- Tuesday** Parent Lunch – Meatballs Subs, Veggies, Dessert
- Wednesday** Chicken & Rice Soup, Breadsticks
- Thursday** Roast Turkey, Mashed Potatoes w/gravy
- Friday** Beef Quesadillas, Corn

\*Salad Bar served daily

**Mission Statement**

Our Lady of Victory, a Pre-K through Grade 6 Catholic School, fosters spiritual development, academic excellence, responsibility to self, and service to others. We empower students to be lifelong learners, dedicated to living out Catholic values.

**OLV School Staff**

- Principal.....Tonya Zierden
- Admin Asst.....Becky Pyle
- AM Pre/5<sup>th</sup> Gr.....Trevor Larson
- Preschool.....Tiffany Hendrickx
- Pre/K.....Samantha Langlie
- Kind.....Rachael Heidorn (Larson)
- First Gr.....Sue Heidorn
- Second Gr.....Barb Case
- Third Gr.....Kim Jenc
- Fourth Gr.....Sarah Pawlowski
- Fifth Gr/Music.....Alyssa Fearing
- Sixth Gr.....Jacob Rath
- Phy Ed.....Jesse Schneeberger
- Library.....Lori Bredenberg
- Spanish.....Karla Ehlers
- Cook.....Wendy Montgomery
- Nurse.....Rachel Venberg
- Title 1.....Terri Aho
- Custodian.....Bob Budke
- Custodial Asst.....Keith Widiger

**OLV Board of Education**

- Rachel Tuel - Chair
- Chris Carlson – Vice Chair
- Lori Mittelstadt – Secretary
- Rachel Cox
- John Fischer
- Kate Hajicek
- Jessica Mohagen
- Kristi Thoma

**Home & School Association**

- Heather Dirkman –CO President
- Brent Holland – CO President
- Danielle Jensen – CO Vice Pres
- Stephanie Wolden – CO Vice Pres
- Kristina Miley – Secretary
- Christine Markovetz - Treasurer