



August 31, 2018

# Falcon Flyer

## WELCOME BACK

Welcome to the 2018-2019 school year at Our Lady of the Lake School. What a wonderful first full week of school! Thank you for all your help and support, from attending meetings, to turning in your completed paperwork, to your patience during morning drop-off and afternoon pick-up! We are looking forward to an exciting and rewarding year as we guide our children on their academic journey, while answering “the call” to our ministries and talents. We are confident that by working together as a community, we will grow in our love for Christ and for one another.

Our goals for this school year are to:

1. Improve student comprehension in all subject areas.
2. Understand and apply knowledge and attitudes about the Catholic Social Justice principle of Solidarity.

These goals are aligned with our School Improvement Plan.

Now that we have finished our first full week of school we are asking our parents not to walk the students into school. Please drop them off through the rider line on East 201st. This is a safety concern, for we need to know who is in the building. Parents of preschool students will be the only parents allowed in the building during drop-off. Thank you for your help with this!

Don't forget that we need all paperwork turned into the office. This includes any updated custody agreements and medical forms.

**Our Lady of the Lake School**  
**175 East 200th Street**  
**Euclid, Ohio 44119**  
**216-481-6824**



09/03/18 Monday  
 No School-Labor Day

9/6/18 Mass Grades 6-8

9/6/18 Thursday  
 Cub Scout Visit Grades K-5

9/6/18 Thursday 7:00 p.m.  
 New Band Parent Meeting

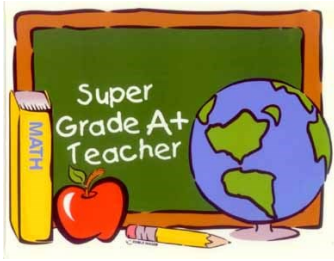
9/10/18 Monday  
 MAP Testing Begins

9/10/18 Monday  
 EPD Presentation on Active Shooter Threats

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## OUR LADY OF THE LAKE SCHOOL FACULTY AND STAFF

Preschool-Miss Meghan McGarry  
Kindergarten-Mrs. Lori Seidel  
Kindergarten-Miss Amy Melvin  
Grade 1-Mrs. Kristy Howald  
Grade 1-Mrs. Hannah Strozyk

Grade 2-Miss Lauren Zbiegien  
Grade 2-Mrs. Ashley Babb  
Grade 3-Mrs. Cathy Gentile  
Grade 3-Miss Emily Crumling  
Grade 4-Mrs. Laurie Koeth  
Grade 4-Mrs. Lori Zgela  
Grade 5-Mrs. Melissa Kish  
Grade 5-Mrs. Elizabeth Somody  
Grade 6-Mrs. Korie Rossman  
Grade 6-Miss Britt Sullivan  
Grade 7-Mr. Pete Dautovic  
Grade 7-Mr. Blake Strozyk  
Grade 8-Mrs. Michele Perella  
Grade 8-Mrs. Sandy Zigman  
Physical Education-Mr. Ayden Opfer  
Art-Mrs. Katy Butauski  
Music-Miss Maria Steffas  
Library-Mrs. Debbie Barberio  
Teacher Aides-Mrs. Aleasha Ward and Mrs. Alana Rice  
Principal-Mrs. Jenny Millett  
Secretary-Mrs. Laurie Nosse  
Administrative Assistant-Mrs. Lisa Buford  
After Care Director-Mrs. Debbie Barberio  
After Care Teachers-Mrs. Hannah Strozyk  
Mr. Blake Strozyk  
Mrs. Sue Pado  
Mrs. Renee Wilford  
Before Care-Mrs. Renee Wilford  
Recess Monitors-Mrs. Natalie Jarosz  
Mrs. Sue Pado  
Mrs. Alana Rice  
Mr. Dennis Flynn  
Mrs. Margaret Watrel  
Mrs. Gayle Adams  
Mrs. Renee Wilford  
Maintenance - Mr. Doug Kaprosy  
Mr. Kevin Beuck  
Health Aide - Mrs. Margaret Karboski  
School Lunch-Mrs. Kim Kish  
Modular Unit:  
Intervention Specialist-Miss Jacky Kovac and Mrs. Peggy O'Brien  
Title I Tutor-Miss Marcella Smith  
School Counselor-Mrs. Sarah Barone  
STEM Teacher-Mrs. Nancy Lynch



### **DIGITAL ACADEMY**

As we begin this new year, please make sure that you are registered on Digital Academy. It is required that all parents have an active account. Digital Academy is our main form of communication to the parents. School closings, event reminders, and other important information will be sent home via Digital Academy.

### **PARISH FEAST DAY**

Our Parish Feast Day is Wednesday, September 12. Please join us at Arcadia Beach at 5:30 for a hot dog cookout. After the cookout we will process back to the church. There will be a short prayer service followed by an ice cream social. Students in attendance will receive a dress down pass. We hope to see everyone there!

DEAR FAMILIES:

BEGINNING NEXT WEEK, STUDENTS SHOULD BE IN THEIR PROPER UNIFORM. THIS INCLUDES GIRLS IN GRADES 4-8. DON'T FORGET YOU NEED TO WEAR AN OLL SWEATSHIRT, SWEATER, OR VEST WITH YOUR PLAID UNIFORM SKIRT.

PLEASE LOOK OVER PAGES 53-59 IN YOUR FAMILY HANDBOOK. THE HANDBOOK IS POSTED ON OUR SCHOOL WEBSITE. IF YOU NEED A HARD COPY, AND DO NOT HAVE COMPUTER ACCESS, PLEASE REQUEST ONE FROM THE OFFICE.

PICTURE DAY!!!

FRIDAY

OCTOBER 26, 2018



## INVENTION CONVENTION

Over the summer, three of our current seventh graders, Larry Banks, Caroline Brown, and Joseph Mascaro, participated in the Ohio State Fair Invention Convention. Joseph's invention, The Magna Bumper,



went on to win the Kids Choice Award, which was selected by last year's winner. We are so proud of their accomplishments!

## MORNING DROP-OFF AND AFTERNOON PICK-UP

Thank you so much for your help this week with drop-off and pick-up. Special thanks to Mr. Opfer who has been directing traffic in the parking lot. We need everyone to turn left out of the parking lot and head toward Edgecliff where you can turn down East 199th, 197th, or 196th Streets. Turning right out of the parking lot creates so many problems and holds up the car line.

Reminders:

- All walkers and seventh and eighth grade car rides are dismissed through the front doors on East 200th Street. Please be very careful. Do not try to turn around in driveways to go back the other way.
- Kindergarten through Grade 6 car riders dismiss from the back parking lot. As a reminder, car riders are picked up by the youngest person in each family. Therefore, older students, such as seventh and eighth graders should be in the parking lot to be picked up with the younger siblings.

## VISITORS

We are always happy to welcome our parents into our building. Please be sure to stop at the office when you enter, especially first thing in the morning. Things can get quite hectic and we need to know who is in our building. Please do not go directly to a teacher's classroom. The teachers are responsible for all of their students and their well being. If you need immediate assistance, someone in the office can help. You can also leave your name and number and your child's teacher will get back to you.

Another great way to communicate is through email. Email addresses can be found in your family handbook located on the school's website <http://ourladyofthelakeschooleuclid.org/>.



## BUDDY CLASSES

Buddy Classes are different than Faith Families. Buddies are an older class meeting up with a younger class for a variety of activities throughout the year, including mass.

Kindergarten/Miss Melvin and Grade 5/Mrs. Kish  
Kindergarten/Mrs. Seidel and Grade 5/ Mrs. Somody  
Grade 1/Mrs. Howald and Grade 8/Mrs. Perella  
Grade 1/Mrs. Strozyk and Grade 8/Mrs. Zigman  
Grade 2/Miss Zbiegien and Grade 6/Mrs. Rossman  
Grade 2/Mrs. Babb and Grade 6/Miss Sullivan  
Grade 3/Mrs. Gentile and Grade 7/Mr. Strozyk  
Grade 3/Miss Crumling and Grade 7/Mr. Dautovic  
Grade 4/Mrs. Koeth/Mrs. Zgela and PreK/Miss McGarry



## SAFETY and SECURITY

Our first priority is the safety of our students. Prior to school starting the teachers were engaged in a presentation from the Euclid Police Department on active shooter threats. This presentation was very informative and valuable to our school safety plan.

On Monday, September 10, the Euclid Police Department will be returning to speak with the students about these threats and how to be prepared. These presentations will be age-appropriate. Officer Panagiotou and Officer Bonchak will be giving the presentation at 9:00 to grades K-4 and 10:00 to grades 5-8.

Throughout the year we will practice many drills including fire, tornado, active shooter, and rapid dismissal.

In addition, the new security doors have been ordered for our church hall and should be installed soon.



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OF THE LAKE SCHOOL

# SEPTEMBER

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
2	3 No School Labor Day	4	5	6 9:00 a.m. Mass Grades 6-8  Cub Scout Visit Grades K-5  New Parent Band Meeting 7:00 p.m. Church Hall	7	8
9	10 Euclid Police Department Presentation K-8  MAP Testing Begins	11	12 Parish Feast Celebration 5:30 Arcadia Beach	13 9:00 a.m. Mass Grades 3-5  Magazine Drive Begins  PTO Meeting 7:00 Church Hall	14	15
16 Catechetical Sunday 10:00 a.m. Mass	17	18	19	20 9:00 a.m. Mass Grades K-2  Parents and Pastries Students A-M	21 No School Teacher In-service	22
23	24	25	26	27 9:00 a.m. Mass All School	28 MAP Testing Ends	29
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