

GOOD SHEPHERD CATHOLIC SCHOOL



Crusader Chronicles

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Good Shepherd Catholic School develops successful students with the support of the entire community. Our students reach their maximum academic and personal potential in a safe and nurturing environment, leading them to be people of faith, socialization, and character through study and service.

We Walk by Faith...in FEAR OF THE LORD

April brings our focus to the final Gift of the Holy Spirit – Fear of the Lord, also known as Wonder and Awe. Pope Francis teaches us that it is “the gift of the Holy Spirit through whom we are reminded of how small we are before God and of his love and that our good lies in humble, respectful and trusting self-abandonment into his hands.”

Fear of the Lord is a loving and profound reverence for God. It is the moments when we recognize the transcendence of God, His goodness in creation, and the greatness of His love. Fear of the Lord cultivates in us a pause to sense wonder and awe in the presence of God. If you ever stepped outside on a clear night, gazed at the moon and the stars, and thought how magnificent the moment, or travelled on vacation and were awestruck at the beauty of nature, or a thousand other opportunities when you have been overwhelmed by the unbelievable before you that enlivened your senses, then you have experienced Fear of the Lord.

This week, be conscious of this gift of the Holy Spirit – Fear of the Lord. Pause briefly each day to see, hear, smell, taste, or touch the love of God in our world. Relish the moment and then whisper a prayer of thanksgiving to God for the opportunity before you.

Let us pray ...

for Father Abrahams as he celebrates his birthday on Friday, April 4th.

For Father Jay as he celebrates his birthday on Saturday, April 5th.



From Mrs. Ingraham

Happy Wednesday!

Please be on the lookout for Wednesday Folders. Folders are due back Thursday. We thank you for checking them weekly as important information is sent home. Aftercare bills will be due on Tuesday.

Lenten Fish Fry! We are in need of student volunteers to help.

[Volunteer Sign up](#)

Please know that my door is always open and that no concern or idea is too small, we are all part of one team and family. I truly value our partnership and our whole staff values you and your children. We thank you for choosing a Catholic Education at Good Shepherd Catholic School!

Prayerfully,

Mrs. Ingraham
mingraham@goodshepherdschool.net

HIGHLIGHTS

- **School Store!** Did you know that you can support Good Shepherd when shopping online at your favorite stores? Click on the link below to shop. A percentage of sales goes directly to Good Shepherd when you shop online at these stores.

School Store Website!

- **Harford Day Center-** Throughout this season of Lent, we have been focusing on the theme of walking into new life as a school. We are supporting the Harford Day Center, which is a program that provides activities for adults with developmental disabilities. They are in desperate need of Clorox wipes and baby wipes. I'd kindly ask that each child bring in either a pack of baby wipes or Clorox wipes before we leave for Easter Break.
- **Fish Fry!** Don't forget to stop by the Lenten Fish Fry on Friday's during Lent!
- **Shoes!** Thank you to all who have donated gently used or new shoes. We are still accepting donations of gently used or new shoes until the end of April.
- **CPR Certification!** Please email Mrs. Ingraham if you would be interested in having your child be certified in CPR and AED. The cost would be \$45 per child.
- **Joe Corbi Fundraiser!** Proceeds from this not only benefit Good Shepherd but an additional portion also benefits the Diocesan Tuition Assistance Program.
- **Enrichment Activities Survey**

Please support the



Good Shepherd Catholic School

Fundraiser!

Our Fundraiser starts: **TODAY!**

Sale END Date: Monday, Apr 14th

Delivery Date: Tuesday, May 13th

Your promptness is appreciated, as we cannot be responsible for products picked up after this date.

ATTENTION! Here are 4 EASY Steps to Help!

1. REGISTER to create a Pop-Up Shop to participate.

SCAN or CLICK the QR code to Register –

Or visit Joecorbi.com and click
"PARTICIPANT REGISTRATION" and
use our Org ID # 2880



2. SHARE your fundraiser with Friends & Family

EMAIL & TEXT your Pop-Up shop link to **30** or more family, friends, co-workers & supporters.

3. ORDER for Yourself!

4. RETURN your Summary Sheet and Total Money Due for your brochure orders only by the Sale END Date listed above. Keep your Order Form showing your Supporters. We accept CASH, M/O's and checks payable to: **Good Shepherd School**

QUESTIONS? Email: CustomerService@joecorbi.com

EARN GREAT PRIZES! Check out these great incentives!

CHECKOUT OUR LEADERBOARD with REAL-TIME ONLINE ORDERS TO SEE YOUR POSITION

Just login to your Dashboard to keep track!



Everyone who sells 10 items or more will earn one 90 minute Jump pass to Sky Zone (Newark, DE) AND will be entered into our Bonus Drawing for a chance to win a 2 Hour Bowling Party from Mid County Lanes in Middletown, DE, which includes Bowling and shoe rental for up to 6 guests, one large pizza and a pitcher of soda.

Refer to the **GLOW GET 'EM** award program & video here www.joecorbi.com/prizes

Thank you for Your Support!

Important Dates

Monday, April 14th - Reconciliation Monday

Wednesday, April 16th- Half-Day with No After Care and buses.

Wednesday, April 16th- Living Stations of the Cross

Monday, April 28th- Professional Development Day for Teachers

Saturday, May 10th -Quarter Auction

Saturday, May 10th- My School Goes to Mass at 4:00 (Good Shepherd)

Saturday, May 17th- Bohemia Manor Wine Tasting Fundraiser

Friday, May 23rd- Field Day

SHOESDAY



DONATE
YOUR GENTLY
WORN, USED OR
NEW SHOES TODAY!

All types and sizes of shoes are accepted!
Be sure to ask, friends, family, neighbors
and co-workers to donate too!

Collected shoes not only help support us, but they
will be reused and given a second life by those in
need in developing countries!



**Good Shepherd
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Donations collected
each Tuesday
or
SHOESDAY!