

# St. Anne's School

**News Letter**  
**Feb. 23rd, 2017**

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Dear Families,

Last week my husband had hip replacement. It was his second hip having had the other one five years ago. It is such a reminder of how much one depends on your spouse for big and little things. I brought him home from the hospital on Saturday. He went in Thursday morning very early. I came home each night to an empty house and a sad, sad dog! Our dog is a little diva- an English springer spaniel who thinks she is human! She was moping around the house until I brought him home on Saturday.

I forgot about the walker and how to get him in the house. We made it but it wasn't pretty. Thankfully he didn't fall- he ran over my toe with the walker but that was the least of my worries! We got him in his easy chair with remote control in hand! Then I forgot about the fact that I needed to cook, clean up and do the laundry as well as making sure he had his medication at all hours. Why can't they dose medication at the same time....especially at night? We had a 11:30 pm; 1:30 am; 3:30 am. And then 7:30 am.....I did feel like we had a baby again!

And Monday I grocery shopped.....I hate grocery shopping and he loves it. Easy decision as to who will do it except the first string is on the bench! I had a list but....still wandered around lost. Made it home and then had to unload the car myself and put it all away!!! Come on! I sat down in the chair and then he said," Could you get me a Gatorade?" WOW!

My mother has come this week to stay with the patient. I decided I am NOT nurse material and God bless you all who do this work. My mother said to me last night, when I was complaining, "How would you like this to be permanent? You know I don't have your dad to do many, many things." Oh how guilty did I feel? But I tell you I will be celebrating every step of his new independence. When he gives up the walker for the cane. When he can drive again. And especially when he can go to the grocery store!

Blessings on your week!

Diane Lee



# School Mass

The school Mass is at **10:30** every Tuesday and will be held at the school until spring. **Wednesday, March 1st** Mass will be led by the Fifth Grade Class.

## February Reminders:

**Feb. 24<sup>th</sup>** NO SCRIP sales at school, please plan accordingly.

**No School Mass Feb. 28<sup>th</sup>**

## March Reminders:

**School Mass March 1<sup>st</sup>-Ash Wednesday**

**March 3<sup>rd</sup>-Kindergarten Round-up No school for Pre-K4 and Current Kindergarteners**

**March 10<sup>th</sup>-April 7<sup>th</sup>-Fridays ONLY Stations of the Cross held at Church @2:40pm**

**March 17<sup>th</sup>- Students may wear green**

**March 28<sup>th</sup>-State of the School report**

**March 31<sup>st</sup>- NO SCHOOL**

## Playground Supervision Schedule

**Feb. 27<sup>th</sup>-Mar.3<sup>rd</sup>**

### Volunteer

<b>Monday</b>	OPEN
<b>Tuesday</b>	Stacey Feser
<b>Wednesday</b>	Lynn Culbert
<b>Thursday</b>	Jessica Steinke
<b>Friday</b>	Kim Froelich

**\*\*\*Full Month Calendar can be found on our website!**

Please arrive at school at 11:20 and check in with the office. Recess ends at 11:55.



**Feb. 27<sup>th</sup>-Mar. 3<sup>rd</sup>**

**Monday: Toasty Dogs, Potato Soup, Baked Beans**

**Tuesday: Chicken Quesadilla, Corn, Mandarin Oranges**

**Wednesday: Shrimp Poppers, Mac & Cheese, Broccoli, Pears**

**Thursday: Turkey Wrap, Baby Carrots, Mixed Fruit**

**Friday: Cheese Pizza, Green Beans, Peaches**

**If you would like to join us for lunch, please let the school office know by 9:30am.**

**Playground duty dates:**

Each family needs to fulfill  
5 dates or a \$50 fee.

**February:**

27

**March:**

14,21,23,27,28,30

Please sign up with Mrs.  
Graham in the school office.

507-665-2489



# Giddy Up to Kindergarten Round Up!

Friday, March 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2017

9:30 – 11:00 AM or 1:00 – 2:30 PM

Future kindergarten students and their parents/guardians have an opportunity to explore the classroom and learn more about our program. Experience our nurturing environment, meet our teacher, and connect with other future kindergarteners and their families!

## All Faiths Welcome!

Please contact the school office to let us know which session you would like to attend. Registration information will be available for all New Families day of round-up.

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**Reminder to current families, registration opens for parishioners of St. Anne's Church on Feb. 13<sup>th</sup>.**

**Any questions on registration please contact our school office.**

We are looking for someone or a group of people to take on a couple of playground projects. Fair Share hour opportunity! We need a load of pea gravel in the spring and need to spread it around all areas that have playground equipment. The base should be 6 inches. Also, we would like the swing set moved that is on the northern corner of the playground which right now is off limits to our students. We would like them moved closer to the other equipment. We are also in need of a garbage receptacle and a couple of picnic tables for the playground.

Are you up for this challenge?

Contact Diane Lee,  
[dlee@stanneslesueur.org](mailto:dlee@stanneslesueur.org) or 507-665-2489 ext. 101

## faithful + beginnings

at St. Anne's School

**Monday, March 20<sup>th</sup>, 2017 6:00pm – 7:00pm**

Come join us for our Faithful Beginnings at St. Anne's School Open House! Bring your pre-kindertener to meet our teacher Casie Klockmann, see our classroom, and get familiar with our school.

### 4 & 5 Year old Pre-kindergarten Program

5 days a week from 12:00pm-3:00pm. Classes Sept.-June

5 days a week All Day 8:10am-3:10pm Classes Sept.-June

### 3 & 4 Year old Pre-kindergarten Program

3 days a week, Monday-Wednesday-Friday from 8:00am-11:00am. Classes Sept.-June

3 days a week, Tuesday-Thursday-Friday from 8:00am-11:00am. Classes Sept.-June

For questions please contact our school office  
@ 507-665-2489 or email Diane Lee [dlee@stanneslesueur.org](mailto:dlee@stanneslesueur.org)

## Lent & Holy Week

From the Pastor, Fr. Andrew: The following is some information for Lent and Holy Week.

Reconciliation / Confession: In addition to the two times on Saturdays, some additional times will be offered. They are: March 16<sup>th</sup> and March 30<sup>th</sup> (7:00pm to 7:30pm); April 4<sup>th</sup> (3:00pm to 4:00pm); April 15<sup>th</sup> (9:00am to 10:00am – not at 4:00pm)

Stations of the Cross (Parish): They will be held each Friday from March 3<sup>rd</sup> through April 7<sup>th</sup> (7:00pm)

Holy Week: Holy Thursday Mass (7:00pm); Good Friday Service (7:00pm); Easter Vigil Mass (7:00pm); Easter Sunday Masses (8:00am and 10:30am)

Living Stations: Good Friday (April 14<sup>th</sup>) at 12noon

Fasting / Abstinence: Ash Wednesday and Good Friday are obligatory days of fasting and abstinence for Catholics. In addition, Fridays during Lent are obligatory days of abstinence. Fasting is obligatory for those from age 18 to 59. When fasting, a person is permitted to eat one full meal. Two smaller meals may also be taken, but not to equal a full meal. Abstinence (consuming no meat) is obligatory for those ages 14 and older.

March 17<sup>th</sup>: In 2017, this falls on a Friday during Lent, and Archbishop Hebda has granted to those of the Archdiocese (and any visitors / travelers) a dispensation from abstinence. This means abstinence from consuming meat on this day is optional

**ATTENTION:** During Lent we will be performing Stations of the Cross on Friday's. Stations will take place over at church at 2:40pm. Dismissal will then be at the church, the bus will pick up the bus kids there. If you're student gets picked up they will need to be picked up at the church.

**For the Pre-K 4 students that ride the bus with an older sibling they will join their sibling at stations, parents who pick up Pre-k 4 students please pick up at school at normal dismissal time. Transit riders will also be picked up at normal time at school.**

**If you have any questions, please contact the school office.**

## **K-5 Conferences Monday & Tuesday February 27<sup>th</sup> & 28<sup>th</sup>**

**Please sign up for conferences through Sycamore.**

**Sign in by using you log-in that was sent home for registration:**

**Click on 'My School' on the left-hand side, then click on P/T Conferences.**

**Please sign up for a day & time for each student in K-5.**

**If you have any questions, please contact the school office.**

### **Reminder:**

**If you or a special guest plans to eat lunch with a student, please let the office or kitchen staff know before 9:30am that day.**

**Thanks**