

Our Lady Queen of Peace Catholic School

Parent Letter

April 12, 2023

HAPPY EASTER

Jesus has risen, Alleluia!

April 12: Chess Club

April 14: Mid-Terms

PSA Family Fun Night

April 19: 1st Grade Field Trip

April 22: Mother-Son Night

April 27: Kindergarten Field Trip

April 28: 4th Grade Field Trip

April 30: Spring Gathering

May 2: Sports Banquet

May 4: 8th Grade Cardinal Game

May 5: Talent Show

5th-8th Grade Cinco De Mayo Party

May 8: 2nd & 3rd Grade Field Trip

May 9: 8th Grade Train Trip to Springfield

Enrollment For 2023-2024 School Year

We sent out another email reminder today for those who have not responded and filled out enrollment packets for the 2023-2024 school year. If you have any questions please contact the school office (cwoodiel@olqpbethalto.org).

Sports Banquet

Invites and reservation forms for this year's banquet went home before break. Reservations are due Friday, 4/21. We are honoring students who played sports from 2020 until spring of 2023. If you need a new reservation form sent home contact the school office.

Service Hours

Service hour logs are due by 4/30/22 in the school office. Service hours are required for families whose children attend Our Lady Queen of Peace Catholic School. Your dedication in achieving these service hours helps to ensure that the tuition at Our Lady Queen of Peace remains affordable. We still have several opportunities left in April to get service hours done. Families with incomplete hours will be charged \$25 per hour not completed. Below you will find available service hour opportunities. If you need a service hour log, please contact the office.

- **Mother/Son Night**
<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/70a0944a5ac2ea5f49-motherson#/>
- **Spring Gathering**
<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/70A0944A5AC2EA5F49-spring1>

Mother-Son Night

There is still time to send in your reservations this week. The event will be held on Saturday, 4/22 from 5-7:30pm in the school gym. This year's theme for the night is pirates. The night will consist of a fun mystery treasure hunt that goes throughout the school, Mother/Son games, a craft for your Mom, and a photo souvenir. Dinner will be provided by Moonlight. Send in your ticket reservation form and money to the school office by Friday, 4/14.

We are still needing volunteers the evening of to make this a successful event. Service hour opportunities are available the morning of and during the night of the event. We would appreciate any help you can spare if you are a mom without sons or dads even to make this a successful event. Please use the link below to sign up.

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/70a0944a5ac2ea5f49-motherson#/>

PSA News

- The PSA has the position of secretary that is opening up for the 2023-2024 school year. If you are interested in applying for the position please email Karmin Hall (Karminhall@gmail.com).
- Our last family fun evening of the year will be **Friday, 4/14**. We will have snacks, carnival games, a face painter, and a clown/magician act. RSVP to the school office (cwoodiel@olqpbethalto.org) if your family will be attending.
- **Field Day shirt order forms** were sent home a couple weeks ago. Students will be able to wear this during Field Day on May 22, 2023. To offset the price for parents the PSA is paying for half the cost for each student. The price to parents is \$6.00 each. Order forms are **due by Friday, 4/21**.

Spring Gathering

Our first annual Spring Gathering is a little over two weeks from today. This day promises to provide some good fellowship with the Our Lady Queen of Peace community. Food, games, music, and raffle will be part of our celebration. Our gathering will begin at 12pm and end at 6pm. Please see the sign up below if you are able to volunteer some time to work at this event. We would like school families to volunteer at the games. Please use the link below to fill up a 45 minute slot. Students are also able to help/volunteer with parent supervision if they are young. Older kids are able to help by themselves.

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/70A0944A5AC2EA5F49-spring1>

“Give A Little” Envelope Fundraiser

Our “Give A Little” fundraiser has sold over 90 envelopes so far. Our goal is to sell a total of 250 envelopes for a total of \$31,2375. This fundraiser goes along with the Spring Gathering and proceeds go directly to the school. Pick an envelope from 1-250. Simply pay the amount of money that corresponds to the envelope number (ex: envelope 110 pays \$110). For every \$10 donated you will receive 1 raffle ticket to win a prize(ex: envelope 110 would get 11 raffle tickets).

Prizes Are As Follows:

1st place: \$3,000 OR up to \$4500 towards OLQP Tuition

2nd Place: \$1500 OR up to \$2250 towards OLQP Tuition

3rd Place: \$750 OR up to \$1125 towards OLQP Tuition

Call or email the school office (cwoodiel@olqpbethalto.org) to reserve your envelope number from what is left. Send in the corresponding money and then we will send your raffle tickets home with your child. Envelope numbers can also be purchased after Mass as well.

Hot Lunch

Lunch orders for the week of 4/17-4/21 are due by **Thursday, 4/13** when we return from break. You can buy weekly or for the entire month. The menu for April can be found on the school website. May lunch calendars will be coming home this week.

Caring Hands Opening

We are looking for someone to take over the position as the Before and After School care person for next school year (2023-2024). If you are interested or know of someone who would be interested, please contact the school office.

Marquette Musical

The Marquette Musical of Peter Pan will be this Thursday, Friday, and Saturday. The show begins at 7:00 pm each day. Children under the age of 7 or any children that dress up like a character from Peter Pan will be allowed free admittance.

Lent Project

A big thank you goes out to everyone that donated to our Lenten School Project this year. Our school raised \$155.71 worth of change for the Missionary Childhood Association.

Psalm 118

This is the day the Lord has made; let us rejoice and be glad.