



Tiger Weekly



St. Joseph Catholic School May 6, 2016

Dear St. Joseph Families and Friends,

This is the week that the school, and the country, sets aside to celebrate our wonderful teachers. Their love, care, dedication, and sacrifice to the school in order to serve our children is truly awe-inspiring. They come to school early, stay at school late, work weekends, and spend their own hard-earned money to give our children the best possible educational experience.

In the gospels, we repeatedly see the disciples refer to Jesus as "teacher." Throughout His life, Jesus made it His mission to help others reach heaven through his teachings and his example. We can only hope to follow his example as best as we can to lead our students on a path to college and heaven. Thank your teacher for all they do for our school and our community. I know I will.

Blessings...
Mrs. Budd

* Reminders *

- 1.) Thursday, May 12th
VPK Graduation @ 9:00am
- 2.) Thursday, May 19th
8th Grade Graduation @6:30pm
- 3.) Tuesday, May 24-27th
BOGO Scholastic Book Fair in the cafeteria
- 4.) Wednesday, May 25th
Kindergarten Graduation Mass @ 9:00am

Attendance and Tardies for the week of April 25-29th

Monday: Attendance- 94%
Punctual- 86%

Tuesday: Attendance- 96%
Punctual- 91%

Wednesday: Attendance-94%
Punctual-90%

Thursday: Attendance-93%
Punctual-86%

Friday: Attendance-86%
Punctual:90%



Google Calendar:

<http://www.stjosephstampa.org/school-life/calendar-2>

May -June Menu:

http://www.stjosephstampa.org/images/May_June_Menu2016.pdf

Sunday Reflections:

<http://www.loyolapress.com/sunday-connection.htm>

Volunteer Spot:

<http://vols.pt/UyEHBA>

Box Tops & Labels for Education:

<http://www.stjosephstampa.org/box-tops-and-labels-for->

Summer Reading Camp
June 20-24th & June 27-July 1st
8:30-11:30am
 Extended day 11:30-3:00pm
 Check your child's folder for the sign-up sheet

Family Connection for Sunday, May 8, 2016

"On the seventh Sunday of Easter, we always read from the 17th chapter of John's Gospel. This chapter of John's Gospel comes at the conclusion of Jesus' Farewell Discourse delivered to the disciples at the Last Supper. The whole of this chapter is a prayer of Jesus, commending himself to the Father and expressing his care and concern for his disciples. At the end of this prayer, Jesus and his disciples depart for the garden, and Jesus is arrested.

Several important themes appear in this prayer of Jesus. First, Jesus' prayer reaffirms the complete union between Jesus and the Father. Throughout John's Gospel, Jesus has been presented as the one who pre-existed with the Father and as the one sent by the Father to do his work on earth. In today's reading, we hear Jesus ask that the unity he experiences with the Father be extended to all who believe in him. He prays that we be one with each other, with him, and with the Father. We are reminded that Christ is the source of Christian unity. Through Christ, we are united with one another and with God our Father.

Belief is a major theme in the Gospel of John. It begins in the prologue and continues in the response to Jesus' signs. Belief is the reason Jesus performs signs (2:11, 4:53, 6:69, 9:38) and the reason signs have been recorded in the Gospel (20:30-31). Here Jesus prays not only for those who believe in him but for all who will come to believe in him. And he prays that the love of the Father in him may also be in all who believe so that Jesus might be in them as well."



This Week in Pictures...



IN 2016, WE THE PEOPLE OF ST. JOSEPH CATHOLIC SCHOOL RESOLVE TO...



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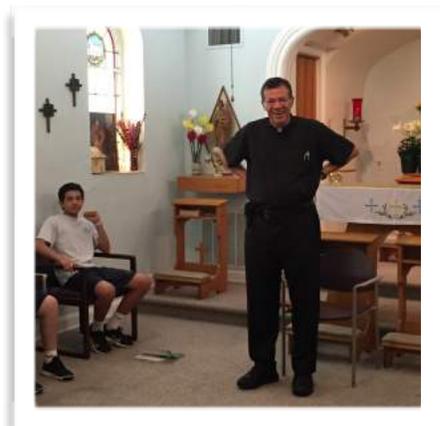
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*Congratulations to Father David Engbarth on his 40th Anniversary
and to Father Carlos Jose Rojas on his 10th Anniversary into the priesthood!*

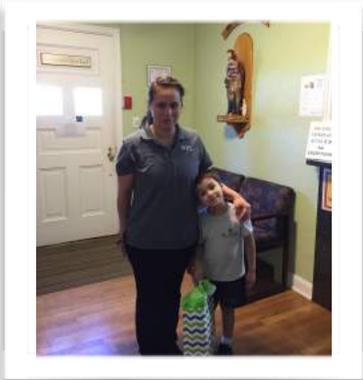
Thank you for all your dedication to our church and our school!

We love you!





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