



Tiger Weekly



ST. JOSEPH CATHOLIC SCHOOL SEPTEMBER 1, 2015 ISSUE

Dear St. Joseph Families and Friends,

Drop Off/Pick Up

Thank you for using the back parking lot for drop-off and pick-up. The process is getting smoother each day. Remember to make a right off of Walnut into the parking lot. Also, please make a right onto Walnut when leaving the parking lot. It eases congestion and makes the process quicker. If you choose to park and walk, you may walk through the front gate, but please use the back gate for any and all drop-offs. The back gate is open from 7:15 to 8:00 for drop-off and from 3:00 until 3:30 for pick-up.

Rediker - PlusPortals

You should have received a link the morning of Tuesday, August 25, with your information to log onto PlusPortals. You can view grades and attendance information among other things. There will be an information session at the September parent meeting. If you did not receive the link please contact, tcrafa@sjstampa.org

Google Parent Calendar

Follow this link for a Google calendar with school events, dates, and times. <http://www.stjosephstampa.org/school-life/calendar-2>

Facebook

Like our Facebook page for updates on school events. <https://www.facebook.com/pages/St-Joseph-Catholic-School-a-Notre-Dame-ACE-Academy-Tampa-FL/208181769314227>

MyON

This is an online library of audiobooks. Each child has their own subscription. Ask teachers for their username and password. Click the link myON, enter "St. Joseph Catholic School" into the school name, complete an interest survey if it is the first time you have logged on, and read!

Blessings,
Mrs. Budd

Google Calendar:

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

September Menu:

http://www.stjosephstampa.org/images/September_Lunch_Menu2015.pdf

Sunday Reflections:

<http://www.loyolapress.com/sunday-connection.htm?sid=121162>

Sunday, September 6, 2015

"FAMILY SUNDAY CONNECTION"

"Today's Gospel invites us to consider how we witness the healing presence of Christ in our care for and ministry to those who are sick. We notice that the deaf man is brought to Jesus for healing by his friends. These people beg Jesus to lay his hands on this deaf man so that he might be healed. Jesus' healing power is shown in his opening of the man's ears and the restoring of his speech. When family members care for one another when they are sick, they bring Christ's healing presence. When we pray for those who are ill, we ask God to show his healing power. When health is restored, we share that good news with others."

"As you gather as a family, recall a time when a family member was ill. What steps were taken to help restore this family member to health? Talk about what it feels like to care for a person who is ill, and about how it feels to be the sick person being cared for. In today's Gospel, we hear about a time when Jesus healed a man who was deaf. Read today's Gospel, Mark 7:31-37. Notice how the man who was cured and his friends could not honor Jesus' request to keep quiet about Jesus' power to heal. We continue to celebrate Jesus' healing presence in our lives by giving thanks to God for the gift of healing and health. Conclude in prayer, thanking Jesus for the gifts of health and healing. Pray together for those who are sick. After each person is named, pray, "Jesus, heal us."

