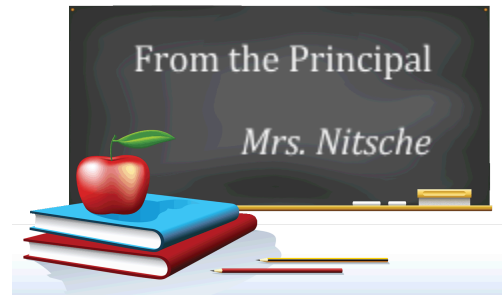


# SAINT CAJETAN SCHOOL

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Dear St. Cajetan Families,

As I tried to narrow down what to touch on in this newsletter, one topic kept coming to the forefront of my mind- the canonization of Mother Teresa of Kolkata. In alignment with our theme this year, "We are the Light of the World," I can't help but reflect on the light of love, hope and peace that Mother Teresa infused in all those she touched.

Mother Teresa was the icon of God's tender mercy, radiating the light of God's love into so many in need. It is by her example of selfless missionary work that I challenge all of you to go and serve in some fashion within the next month. Whether it is bringing a meal to a loved one, driving an elderly neighbor to the store, or volunteering in a homeless shelter, go and serve the Lord as Mother Teresa so willingly did. May we continue to deepen our awareness of the need for mercy and extend that mercy consistently into our families and community.

God Bless,  
Mrs. Nitsche

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**ASPIRE SCORES-** On Friday, September 9th, Aspire test results were sent home for students in grades 4th-8th. If you have any questions or concerns, please don't hesitate to contact your child's teacher or myself.

**ASSESSMENTS (PRIMARY)-** Our primary students will be taking part in the Dibels assessment. Dibels is currently being set up on the teacher's iPads so please be patient with us. Our goal is to begin this assessment by the last week of September.



**CALLING ALL LAW ENFORCEMENT-** On Wednesday, September 21st, our school will celebrate our first all-school mass honoring all law enforcement agencies. We are asking that our special guests wear their dress "blues"/ uniforms. Our guests will be part of the procession into mass and also part of an all-school photo following mass. [Please click here for attached flyer.](#)

**CONFIRMATION, RECONCILIATION, AND COMMUNION DATES** - Please mark your calendars for the following dates;

Confirmation- March 3rd

Reconciliation- February 25th

Communion - April 29th

**FUN LUNCH-** Fun Lunch order forms will be going out today (look for yellow paper in backpacks). If you can't find the form in your child's bag, no worries. You can [Click Here](#) to be directed to the Fun Lunch page on our St. Cajetan Website under PARENTS and download it.

**HIGH SCHOOL INFORMATION-** We had the privilege of hosting many of our high schools this week who took the time to speak with our 7th and 8th grade students. We want to be able to share some of the information they brought forth so we have created a new tab on our website, under PARENTS, that reads "High School Info." Please look there for updates on the various Open Houses, Shadow Days, activities, etc. This information should be available by Friday of this week.

## ICAL

Did you know you can link the St. Cajetan School Calendar to your personal electronic calendar? For example, all important dates added to the St. Cajetan calendar will automatically appear in your personal device calendar, like your smartphone or desktop Outlook Calendar. If you don't remember which day Christmas break starts, just pull up your iPhone calendar to find it. One initial setup is all that is required, [click here](#) for instructions. If you have any questions, please make sure to email [webmaster@cajetan.org](mailto:webmaster@cajetan.org) for all technical questions.

**MOVIES NEEDED-** The After Care program is in need of movies (DVDs please). If your children have outgrown any, please consider donating them to the school.

**NEW FAMILIES-** Please come out to O'Rourke's Office (11064 S. Western) on Thursday, September 29th at 7:00 pm for a complimentary drink and a fun night out. It's a great opportunity to meet other St. Cajetan families. Hopefully we will be able to answer any questions that might have come up since the beginning of the school year.

## Picture Day

**PICTURE DAY-** Class pictures on the front steps of school was scheduled for September 22nd (students in uniforms). We are actually trying to get that date changed due to some children having gym on that date. We will update you as soon as we hear back from the photographer. Individual school pictures (dress up) is confirmed for September 28th.



**SPIRIT WEAR-** All orders for Spirit Wear are due by Thursday, September 15th. The Catalogue and Ordering forms are always posted on our website under About Us- Organizations- FSA. [Click here](#) to open Spirit Wear website.

## THANK YOU TO.....

- **Matt Winkler** for his help in providing the cable (power/ethernet/VGA and HDMI) to wire 10 classrooms for wireless projectors.
- **Jim Dunleavy** for installing all of that cable on hot/humid days of the past two weeks.
- The our **staff** for their flexibility in moving rooms for the day to allow all of this work to take place.
- **PJ Schickel and his football staff** for running a successful football fundraiser last Saturday. A special thanks to **McNally's** for generously hosting the event, **Fat Tommy's** for providing the food, and some donors who will remain anonymous.

