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## *“I am a Promise”*

October 17, 2018

Dear Saint Kateri Families,

On Sunday, October 21<sup>st</sup> the world will celebrate the canonization of St. Kateri Tekakwitha. St. Kateri is the patron saint of our school and the first Native American woman to become a saint. At Saint Kateri School we will honor her with a prayer service on Monday, October 22<sup>nd</sup>. Please join us at 8:30am in the church.

Next week we will be celebrating Red Ribbon Week. Throughout this week our students will be participating in fun daily events that will also serve to raise their awareness on making healthy choices. Please refer to the list of events included in today's Wednesday envelope to be sure your children are prepared each day.

We are making changes to the process of signing in/signing out children into the school. The blue “A Note For School” will now look a little differently and be copied on goldenrod. It will be your child's “Golden Ticket” to the classroom, should they arrive late to school. Since school absences are legally documented, the new design will provide the office and the classroom teachers the information they need to properly document students arriving tardy or who will be out of school due to a planned absence (ie. Drs. Appointment, etc.) Thank you for your patience as we make this transition.

Ms. Kremer has been working hard over the past few weeks, working with Saint Kateri students to prepare for the Talent Show. Please join us on Thursday, October 25<sup>th</sup> at 7:00pm in the Gym to see for yourself the talents of our students. There promises to be some surprises!

I am excited to be able to inform students and families that this year all students at Saint Kateri School will be able to dress up in Halloween costumes on Wednesday, October 31<sup>st</sup>. If you would like your child to dress up, please read and sign the enclosed form and return to school before October 31<sup>st</sup>. There will be Halloween Costume Parade for all grades beginning at 9:00am outside of the school, whether permitting. If the weather does not cooperate, we will move the parade into the gym. At 9:30am the students will go back into school for a school-wide Halloween Bingo game in their classroom. Classroom teachers will send out individually information about any parties being scheduled.

Tomorrow is the last day to place an order for a Chicken BBQ through Saint Kateri Parish. Please consider participating and supporting our parish family as they have been such a support to our school. Pick up will be on Sunday, October 21<sup>st</sup> at St. Margaret Mary Church between 12:00-3:00pm.

Plan on attending Mass on Sunday, October 28<sup>th</sup> at 10:00am at Christ the King! Saint Kateri School students and children who attend Saint Kateri Faith Formation will lead a Camp Style Mass. Our school children have been learning and practicing the responses during Monday Prayer Services and they are excited to participate. I hope to see you there!

Please note there has been a change in time for the Veteran's Day Prayer Service on November 9<sup>th</sup>, 2018. The Prayer Service will be held in Christ the King Church at 1:30pm. Please invite any veterans you may know for the Prayer Service and there will be a short reception to follow. Look for more information in this week's Friday Folder.

Thank you for all you do each day to support your children and the Faculty and Staff of Saint Kateri School!

Blessings,

Terri Morgan  
Principal

### *A Reminder:*

When there is a  
Half-Day Dismissal  
the will be  
Before-Care but  
there will be no  
After-Care for  
students in  
Preschool-5<sup>th</sup> grade

*Thank you*

### *Mark Your Calendars:*

Parish Chicken BBQ orders due	10/17
Picture Days:	
• Fitzgerald, Moore, Wasnock, D'Aprix, Hanss, Michaels, Eveland	10/17
• Gašić, Moore, Fisher, Wilson	10/18
Parish Chicken BBQ pick-up (@SMM, 12-3pm)	10/21
Red Ribbon Week	10/21–10/27
Talent Show (7pm)	10/25
Camp Style Mass (CTK @10:00am)	10/28
• Please note: Change of format and location from the previous calendar	
All Saints Day Mass @ 9:30am (3 <sup>rd</sup> grade)	11/1
Parent's Association @ 6:00pm	11/5
Election Day Bake Sale (7:00am-6:00pm)	11/6
Spirit Day	11/7
Veteran's Day Prayer Service and Reception (1:30pm)	11/9
<b>Veteran's Day observed</b>	<b>11/12</b>
• <b>No School</b>	
Book Fair	11/13-11/20
Blessings & Breakfast @ 7:30am	11/16
Half-Day Dismissal @ 11:30am (K-5 Parent-Teacher Conference)	11/19
*Preschool will have a regular Full Day	
Half Day Dismissal @ 11:30am (K-5 Parent-Teacher Conference)	11/20
*Preschool will have a regular Full Day	
<b>Thanksgiving Recess</b>	<b>11/21-11/23</b>
• <b>No School</b>	