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**April 25, 2018**

04/27/18—Middle School Dance 7:00pm  
04/28/18—First Holy Communion 10:00am or  
2:00pm  
04/29/18—First Holy Communion 11:30am  
05/01/18—PTO Meeting 6:30pm Café  
05/02/18—Mass at 8:30am  
05/03/18—Family FAITH Night—**AT SCHOOL!**  
05/04/18—Catholic School Field Day—Birmingham  
05/04/18—First Friday Adoration

*Upcoming  
Events*

† **Mass Schedule** †

Saturday Morning 8:30 AM & Evening 5:30 PM  
Sunday 7:00 AM, 8:30 AM, 11:30 AM & 5:30 PM

**Weekdays**

Monday 8:30 AM

Tuesday 6:15 AM & 8:30 AM

Wednesday 8:30 AM & 6:30 PM

Thursday 8:30 AM & 6:30 PM

Friday 8:30 AM

**Holy Days** 6:00 AM, 8:30 AM & 6:30 PM

**Sacrament of Reconciliation**

Wednesday & Thursday 5:30 PM – 6:20 PM

Saturday 3:30 PM - 5:00 PM (Other times by request)

**Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament**

Monday—Thursday 9:00 AM—6:00 PM Friday 9:00 AM—Noon

First Friday 9:00 AM-9:00 PM

First Saturday 9:00 AM—10:00 AM

**Library News:** Thank you to all the parent volunteers, students and families who visited and purchased from our Spring Book Fair! Because of your generosity, many students walked out with new books, teachers were gifted with new books for their classroom and the library received new books as well. The success of the Book Fair could not have happened without your help. Thank you for all you do.

**SPRING PORTRAITS ARE GOING HOME TODAY**

If you ordered a Spring Portrait and did not receive one, please contact Lifetouch directly with questions or concerning's.

Local Huntsville office 256-534-1001

**SCHOOL SUPPLY KITS ARE AVAILABLE FOR PURCHASE FOR SCHOOL YEAR 2018-19**

(This is offered for rising K5 thru 5th grades only.)

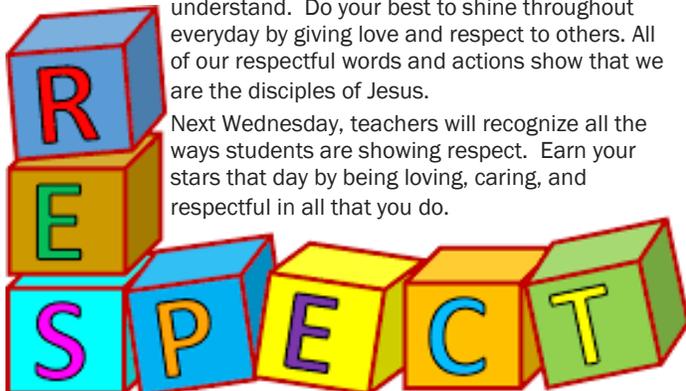
Two ways to purchase: on-line or order form

See attached documents for details.

This week we are focusing on the many different ways we show respect and love for our friends, family, and all of God's children. Let's build the body of Christ together!

God created all people. He created them differently for reasons and purposes we may not understand. Do your best to shine throughout everyday by giving love and respect to others. All of our respectful words and actions show that we are the disciples of Jesus.

Next Wednesday, teachers will recognize all the ways students are showing respect. Earn your stars that day by being loving, caring, and respectful in all that you do.



**SAVE THE DATE!**

**Family FAITH Night**

**Thursday, May 3, 2018 at  
6:00pm**

Please make plans to celebrate this Family FAITH Night at school. We have a speaker for parents while students participate in faith filled activities in the classroom. More information soon!



The St. John's indoor soccer season has begun. K4 thru 3rd graders have indoor soccer games at St. John's on Friday evenings and Saturday mornings. Dates and times can be found at <http://www.stjohnb.com/ccsite/events-calendar.html>.  
The St. John's track and field season has also begun. Please see the calendar at <http://www.stjohnb.com/ccsite/events-calendar.html> for future track meet dates.



Upcoming Falcon Catholic Middle School Boys tryouts begin this week. (for next year's 7th and 8th graders)

Boys Basketball: April 26,30, May 1-3, 7:30-9:00pm, JPII Gym

Volleyball: May 4,7-10, 5:30-7:30pm, JPII Gym

Football: May 8-11, 14-18, 5:00-6:30pm, JPII Practice Pad

Girls Basketball: May 11,14,15, 5:30-7:15pm, JPII Gym

Wrestling: June 11-15, 5:30-7:30pm, JPII Multipurpose Room

Cross Country: August TBD

Swim/Dive: August TBD

Indoor Track: November TBD

Physicals at JPII: May 23, 3:00pm, \$10

Please visit the Falcon Catholic Middle School page at <http://www.jp2falcons.org/athletics/fcms.cfm> for links to the full sports calendar and additional information.

**SCRIP NEWS:** We are in the last few days of our classroom contest. Current standings are 6th grade (34%), 7th grade (33%), K4 (26%), and 3rd grade (23%). It's not too late to help your child's class win a pizza party at the end of the year!

**CURRENT BONUS REBATES:** **Bath and Body Works** 18%; **Bed Bath & Beyond** 8%; buy buy baby 8%; LL. Bean 17%

**UPCOMING BONUS REBATES:** **Belk** 10%; Express 12%; JCPenney 7%; TopGolf 10%

Retailers listed in **bold** are carried OnDemand in the school office and during Friday morning lower carline .

Please contact your SCRIP coordinator if you have any questions at [sjscrip@gmail.com](mailto:sjscrip@gmail.com). Thank you for supporting our school!

**Cafeteria Reminder:** If your child is going to be late in the morning and is going to be purchasing a lunch, please contact the cafeteria at email [cafeteria@stjohnb.com](mailto:cafeteria@stjohnb.com) before 8:30am. Lunches are made for the quantity ordered. We appreciate your cooperation with this matter. Thank you.

### Class Portraits are available for purchase.

If you are interested in purchasing a class portrait, the office has few copies of each grade. Please email [pkbryan@stjohnb.com](mailto:pkbryan@stjohnb.com) and advise which class. The cost is \$13.00.

### ***ITBS Standardized Testing for grades 3rd thru 8th grades is***

***April 23rd thru April 27th with a start time of 8:00am to Noon.***

***Please do not schedule appointments during testing.***

### **STANDARDIZED TESTING (IOWA AND COGAT) APRIL 23-26 FOR GRADES 3RD THRU 8TH**

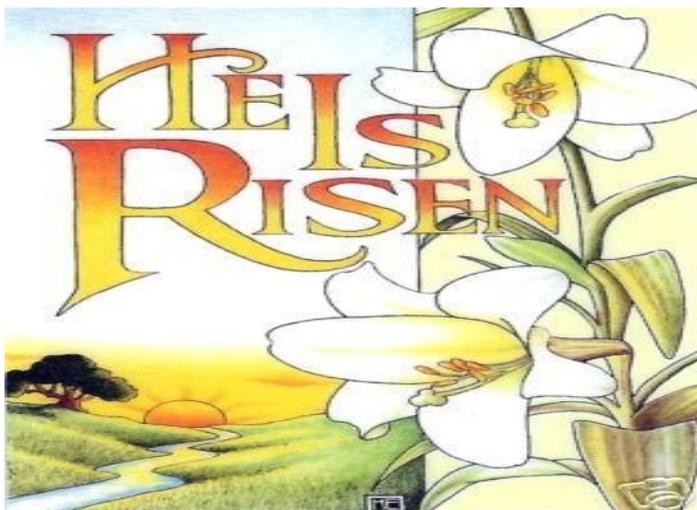
We will begin testing on Monday, April 23rd and it will continue throughout the week. Testing will begin each morning at 8:00am and will finish by noon each day. Here are things you can do to help your student prepare:

Arrive at school on time or early. Being at school on time during testing helps students have a calm start to their testing day and ensures that they are prepared. Students that arrive **AFTER** testing has started that morning will not be permitted to enter the classroom until the first scheduled break.

Eat a healthy breakfast. Eating a nutritious breakfast will help students to be focused on the task of doing their best on the test instead of worrying about when they can eat.

Please Do not schedule appointments during testing. When students are out for a portion of testing, they are required to make it up later in the week.

Present testing in a positive light. Remind your students that testing is an opportunity to see what they have learned, and what they still need to learn. Testing is about helping students to make the most of the gifts God has given them.



# SPRING FLING

## Middle School Dance

*Sponsored by*

*National Junior Honor Society*

SJS Gym

6-8 Graders

Friday, April 27, 2018

7:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.

6<sup>th</sup> Grade Girls - Snacks

6<sup>th</sup> Grade Boys - 2 Liter Soda

\$5.00 or \$3.00 with Canned Good for SVDP

Girls: Dresses/Skirts of Appropriate Length

No Thin Straps - Shoulders Should Be Covered

Guys: Casual Long Dress Pants, Polo or Dress Shirts/Ties