

#### **Important Dates**

\*Wednesday November 20th \*

Dads & Donuts

1st Reconciliation- Grade 2

\*Friday November 22nd \*

Non-Uniform Day \* November 27th-29th \*

No School-Thanksgiving Break

\*Thursday December 12th \* Christmas Concert Rehearsal Pre K Cookie Donations due

\*Saturday December 14th \*

Vendor Fair 9a-3p

\*Sunday December 15th \*

Christmas Concert 2pm Defiance Community Auditorium

#### Christmas Concert Rehearsal

We will be having our Christmas Concert at the Defiance Auditorium this year! We are excited to offer everyone a more spacious experience! We will need to travel to the Auditorium on Thursday December 12th to rehearse. Please get your permission slips turned in ASAP. Thanks!



Please follow the QR code under "Enclosures" for a creative way to show our staff your appreciation!

#### A message from Mrs. Reinhart



Mass on Wednesday November 20th will be planned by Grade 5.

(Mass begins at 9:30am)

# **G**OodDeeds

\* Camila Flores\*

#### CEO Award (Chief Example for Others)

- \* Melia Sampson \*
- \* Reggan Garcia \*
- \* Kirsten Wanyonyi \*
  - \* Eli Lantz \*
  - \* Kaia Gowan \*
  - \* Quinn Gowan \*
  - \* Greg Roehrig \*
  - \* Calleigh Bird \*

#### **Emergency Evacuation** Drill

HCCS will have a full scale evacuation exercise this school year in partnership with local first responders, as required by the ODE. Please make sure that we have a current working cell phone number on file in option C.



#### Santa Shop

Santa Shop is coming to HCCS! December 16th-20th

#### Second Grade Sacraments

1st Reconciliation is Wednesday November 20th. Students must complete Reconciliation prior to 1st Communion. Please contact your church Parish or Mrs. Reinhart for more information.

#### Dads & Donuts

Reminder: Dads & Donuts is Wednesday November 20th!! If you have not already registered please do so ASAP!

#### Uniform Policy

HCCS Uniform Policy has been updated to be more specific about jackets and sweatshirts. All jackets and sweatshirts must be a solid uniform color, navy blue, hunter green, or white. We have also added grey to the list as that is the color of our Knight jackets. Hooded sweatshirts and jackets of any color are not allowed, unless they say Holy Cross. If you are in need of help purchasing a sweater or jacket in the appropriate color, please contact the office. Thanks!

#### Cell Phones

Students that need to have their cell phones for before or after school purposes must leave them off and in their bookbags until they leave school property. They are not allowed to be out at any time during the school day or at Before or After School Care. Thanks!

Enclosures: **Tuition Invoices Ed Choice Information** Student Council Raffle Flyer **PMO News** Thankful QR Code







Monday, November 18 to Tuesday, November 26



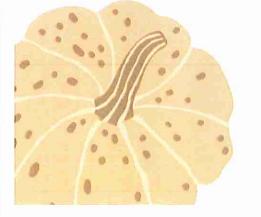
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# HCCS PMO NE

November 2024

# Grateful, Thankful and Blessed

As we embrace the season of gratitude, we want to extend our heartfelt thanks to each of you for being such an integral part of our school community. Whether you're attending meetings and making your voice heard, volunteering at events, participating in fundraisers or donating your time or talents-- none of it goes unnoticed and we wouldn't be half as successful in any thing that we do without you. We thank you for your continued support of the Parent Ministry Organization and most importantly- the students of HCCS!

We encourage every family to get involved, and one of the best ways to do that is by attending a PMO Meeting. At our meetings, we discuss school needs, plan fun activities, and share updates about what's happening in and around the school. As a veteran HCCS parent (since 2013), I realize I sometimes take for granted how much I've learned about the school's "inner workings." For newer HCCS parents, it can be easy to feel out of the loop. Getting involved with the PMO really helped me understand more about what's happening at our school and made me feel more part of the community. I strongly encourage you to come to our meetings, where you'll have the chance to connect with other parents and staff in an open forum and get answers to any questions you may have about the PMO or the school in general, If you can't make it but still want to reach out, please feel free to email me at PMO@DefianceHolyCross.org—I'm here to help in any way I can!

## Save the Date for the **Holy Shopping Extravaganza**

Join us on Saturday, December 14th from 9am-3pm at our annual Craft and Vendor Show. We are looking forward to a full slate of vendors with all sorts of items that can help you check off all of the people on your Christmas list, a visit from Santa, a Cookie sale benefitting our Pre-K program, and a concession stand being ran by our students for their class trip fundraiser. Be on the look out for more information regarding all of the excitement in the coming weeks.

We are still looking for vendors so if you are interested. or know someone who might be-- be sure to reach out to Kristen Killion, Sam Donaldson or email hccsvendorevent@gmail.com



Vendors and Crafts Include: Kristen's Simply Chic Creations Tastefully Simple Jamie's Shadowed Creations Roy's Toys Bless Me Candly Scentsy Great Black Swamp Woodworking **Baked Nutrition** SensiPal Jody's Jam n Jelly One Hope Wine with Purpose **Buerer Cuddly Creations** Shadowboxes Crocheted Items Hand appliqued towels and sweatshirts **Tumblers Buckeyes and Bracelets** Fragrance Art and so much more!

### FOLLOW US ON FACEBOOK!



Scan the QR code or search "Parent Ministry Organization" on Facebook and click to join! For security purposes there are some questions in order to access the page.

We encourage you to follow the page for news, updates, events, and photos.

## Coming soon in 2025!

Can you believe we're almost at the end of another year? Time sure is flying by! Looking ahead-we have a lot of fun planned for the upcoming year. We're working out some plans for some Bowling Days at South 66 Lanes, some Dinner Fundraiser nights at local restaurants, and our annual Mother-Son Date and Father-Daughter Dance!

If you are interested in helping out with any of these events, please contact us or plan to attend the January 12th Meeting. It is in the new Meeting Room just inside the main doors of Holy Cross at 3pm. Children are welcome to come and play in the gym while the meeting takes place.

#### 2024-2025 MEETINGS

1/12 3/9 5/2\*

MEETINGS HELD AT THE SCHOOL AT 3PM. \*5/2 MEETING WILL BE AT 6PM CHILDREN WELCOME TO PLAY IN GYM DURING MEETINGS

Do you have an idea for an event or a fundraiser? Is there something that you think Holy Cross is missing? Are you wondering about the PMO, HCCS or just want more information? We value your input!! Feel free to contact the office or email us at our **NEW** email pmo@defianceholycross.org, or reach out directly to a member of the PMO. Better yet-join us at the meeting on January 12th!