

St. Gregory Parish School strives to create and foster a safe learning environment where a child may grow spiritually, academically, emotionally, and socially through a quality education, a living relationship with God and a respect for themselves and others. We strive to recognize that each person is sacred and unique, and we encourage each student to explore and meet their full potential, so that they may successfully respond to the challenges of life and the call to become leaders for Christ, America and the world.

FOOTBALL LOTTERY

Ticket stubs and money are now due. Please turn in your tickets NOW!!! Payouts will begin within the next week 2 weeks. Thank you for helping to make this fundraiser successful!

OPEN HOUSE AND FAMILY TUREEN DINNER

What: The annual get-to-know new families and teachers Tureen Potluck Dinner and Open House
When: Wednesday, September 20th @ 6:00 p.m.
Where: St. Gregory School Gym
We encourage as many families as possible to attend and help welcome our new School Families. A short opportunity to meet (but Not Conference) with the teachers will follow dinner. Hope to see you all there.
Table settings, Meatballs, Sauce and drinks will be provided.
Please bring a dish to share corresponding to the first letter of your last name below:

- A-J Covered Dish or Casserole**
- K-Q Vegetable or Salad**
- R-Z Dessert**

QUICKSCHOOLS Student Management System

St Gregory School uses QuickSchools (<https://stgregs.quickschools.com>), an online school management software that keeps track of your child's progress and attendance.
As parents, you too can get updates on your child's records and progress via your account, which is now ready for use. Your login details are being emailed to you. If you do not receive an email with your login information by Wednesday of next week, please contact Leslie in the school office at gregory1@stgregs.net or by calling 725-4571.

SCRIP

Don't forget to get your SCRIP cards for your weekly grocery and gas purchases. Some cash & carry cards are available for purchase at the school during the week and in the vestibule of the church after the weekend masses. All other cards may be ordered on Mondays by 3 and are filled on Fridays after 2.

Terra Nova Testing

Students in Grades 2-8 will be participating in the Terra Nova Testing starting on Tuesday, October 2nd through October 6th. Please make sure your student gets plenty of rest and eats a good breakfast especially during this testing week. Also, please try not to schedule appointments or early dismissals for students in these grades this week.



BLESSING OF PETS

ALL CREATURES GREAT AND SMALL will be welcome at St. Gregory School on **Friday, October 6th at 2:30 p.m.** for the Blessing of Animals on the front east lawn. Families may bring pets or pictures of pets for the blessing. This service commemorates the feast day of St. Francis of Assisi, a 13th century Italian well-known for his hospitality to all non-human as well as human creatures. St. Francis believed that all are from God and should be treated with dignity and respect.

Paint the Town Pink

Students at Saint Gregory School have been making pink ribbons to help "Paint the Town Pink" to increase awareness on the topic of breast cancer. These ribbons will be displayed in the North East businesses storefronts. Students will do a "Pink Walk" through town to view their ribbons on **Friday, October 20**. This is also a **Jeans Day**. Any student who wishes to wear jeans on this day may do so by bringing in a donation of \$1.00 or more with all proceeds benefitting breast cancer research.



Wonder Workers Annual Card Party and Chinese Auction

Monday, October 9th in the St. Gregory School Gym. Doors open at 5:30 p.m. and numbers will be called starting at 7:00 p.m. Admission is \$6.00 and the auction tickets are 25 for \$3.00. This event has always been a fun event where your friends and families can get together and enjoy each other's company and win some wonderful prizes.

Smile! Picture day is in October



School pictures will be taken on Thursday, October 27, 2017 Picture order forms will be sent in mid-October. All children will be photographed for school records but only those who prepay the day of pictures will receive picture packages. It is very important that each student come to school suitably dressed and groomed, and on time. This is a dress-up day for the students; uniforms are not required, but no jeans or inappropriate clothing will be permitted.

"Honk" Musical Tryouts

Tryouts for "Honk" the Musical will be on Monday, October 2nd during school hours. All students in Preschool through 8th grade are invited and encouraged to participate.

Crusade for Kids Auction

An auction packet will be sent home with your child in the next few weeks. Enclosed in the packet will be a family committee signup sheet. Please keep in mind that every family is required to volunteer in some capacity for the auction. This is our major fundraiser for the year and we need many helping hands. There are several committees to volunteer for – please pick one that suits your time and talents.

We welcome all families who are new to our school. Someone from the Auction committee will be contacting you to provide you with additional auction information

UPCOMING EVENTS – MARK ON YOUR CALENDAR

- Thursday, September 21st – L4 Retreat @ Mercyhurst NE
- Tuesday & Wednesday, September 26th -27th – L3 Trip to Asbury Woods and Browns Farms
- Friday, September 29th – K-L4 Field Trip to Lakeview Landfill
- Wednesday, October 4th – 1:00 Crusader Lecture Series L3/4
- Friday, October 11th 11:00 a.m. L4 – Prep/Villa to visit school
- Saturday, October 21st – St. Gregory Parish Spaghetti Dinner
- Saturday, October 28th - Family Fall Fest sponsored by PIP
- Monday, October 31st – Halloween Parade & Classroom Parties
- Wednesday, November 15th at 6:00 – Thanksgiving Tureen
- Monday, December 4th – Picture Retake Day and Group Pictures for yearbook
- Tuesday, December 5th – 9:00 Crusader Lecture Series L3/4



Hot Lunch Order – OCTOBER 2016 – DUE 9/29/17

Name: _____ Grade: _____

10/06/17	Pasta, Vegetable & Fruit	_____	x \$3.00 \$_____
10/13/17	Taco Salad	_____	x \$3.00 \$_____
10/20/17	Chicken, Potato & Veggie	_____	x \$3.00 \$_____
10/27/17	Homemade Soup/Assorted Sandwiches/Fruit	_____	x \$3.00 \$_____

Total Lunches Ordered _____ x \$3.00=\$_____ Enclosed

Pizza Order – OCTOBER 2017 – DUE 9/29/17

Name: _____ Grade: _____

10/03/17	#slices _____	c or p x \$2.00 \$_____
10/10/17	#slices _____	c or p x \$2.00 \$_____
10/17/17	#slices _____	c or p x \$2.00 \$_____
10/24/17	#slices _____	c or p x \$2.00 \$_____
10/31/17	#slices _____	c or p x \$2.00 \$_____

Total Slices Ordered _____ x \$2.00=\$_____ Enclosed

