

## Important for this Week of April 15th, 2019

Dear **HFGS Families, Faculty, Staff, Students, and Friends,**

As we remain steady and relentless with the desire for God and His grace, let us take this opportunity to observe and celebrate Holy Week. It is a likelihood to walk with the church, throughout time and throughout the world. It is indeed a chance to focus our minds on and seek to strengthen our affections for the most important time of our faith tradition. Please consider how you might make the most of this week. Beginning with today's Palm Sunday to the final sacrifice of Good Friday and the conquest of Easter Sunday, it is with our deep prayer and hope to maintain our love of and devotion to Christ. Visit our church website for activities that will provide the activities of each day.

<https://hfglendale.org>

We do have a short week. You are invited to come and see our 7th and 8th grade classes perform and stage our **Passion Play** at Church on Wednesday at 10:00 a.m. TK and Kindergarten will enjoy an Easter Egg Hunt in our Holy Courtyard of Charity on Thursday. 1st, 2nd, and 3rd grade classes will be in the GS small yard and their Easter Egg Hunt will be sponsored by our Student Council. Our dismissal on Thursday will be noon time. Child Care will start at 12:00 noon and end at 6:00 p.m.

<http://localendar.com/public/HFGS-Bulldogs>

### **The Finnish Educational System**

Last Wednesday, I sent you a powerpoint presentation and with an invitation for you to fill out the survey. The set of instructions is found at the end of the slides. I hope that you have participated or will plan to **participate in completing the one-minute survey.**

Here is for our reading on Finland: ***Why are Finland's schools successful?***

<https://www.smithsonianmag.com/innovation/why-are-finlands-schools-successful-49859555/>

<https://www.infofinland.fi/en/living-in-finland/education/the-finnish-education-system>

Thank you and let's celebrate this Holy Week!

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