Important for the Weeks of October 10th and 17th, 2022

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

<u>Spelling Announcement from our Middle School Vice-Principal Mrs.</u> <u>Ashley Liberda</u>

Holy Family's annual Spelling Bee will take place this Friday, October 14th in the grade school's auditorium. Our students will compete against other grade levels to determine who will spell the most words correctly. All parents and guests are welcome to attend this exciting event! Please see the schedule below.

8:30 a.m. - 9:15 a.m. - Kinder and 1st Grade Spelling Bee 9:15 a.m. - 10:10 a.m. - 2nd and 3rd Grade Spelling Bee 10:45 a.m. - 11:45 a.m. - 4th and 5th Grade Spelling Bee 12:30 p.m. - 1:30 p.m. - 6th, 7th, and 8th Grade Spelling Bee

We hope to see you there!

<u>Algebra 1 News Update from Mr. John Roxas, Middle School Math</u> <u>Coordinator</u>

The advanced Algebra I course is an additional math class offered to 8th grade students that are eligible. The goal of this course is to prepare our students for the next step in their academic journey: high school. Everyday at 7:00AM to 7:40AM, students are introduced to and study high school level mathematics. So far, students have already learned how to isolate variables, convert units, how to use significant figures, make proportions, and interpret real world situations with equations and inequalities. By the end of the year, our students will have honed their mathematical skill to the point where they are potentially able to advance into Sophomore level mathematics in their Freshman year.

Sports Update from our Athletic Director Mrs. Teresa Nelson

The HFGS Girls' Varsity Volleyball team is having an impressive start to their season. With two wins and one loss, the team consisting of fourteen eighth and seventh graders, is showing great skill and tenacity of a Bulldog this season. They will be looking for the win this Tuesday, October 11th against the St. Dominic Eagles. Let's Go Bulldogs!

Our Girls' "B" Volleyball team is hard at work preparing for their first game on October 17th where they will face the Holy Trinity Huskies. The HFGS "B" Team contains twenty-four 4th, 5th, and 6th graders who are excited to learn the game, build friendships and show their Bulldog spirit.

<u>Our school is open tomorrow, Monday, October 10th.</u>

Please click on page 2 of Fr. Anthony's Message in this weekend's Parish Bulletin. His

historical perspective and experience of what used to be Columbus Day will be a great resource to understanding why October 10th is not a public legal holiday in some states. The United States supports the United Nations Declaration on the Rights of the indigenous peoples.

Parish Country Fair - PCF 2022 Update

Calling on sponsorships and donations for Handbid auction and thanks to those families who have donated, pledged in their support, continue to volunteer for the success of our event. Various categories of items to donate for the auction: Kitchen equipment for home, garden tools, family movie night ideas, amusement fun centers admission passes for families, men and women's purses & apparels, timeless jewelry, hotel nights and vacation packages, sport's memorabilia, tech devices, Gift Certificates, and more.

The **Saturday** Movie Night Italian Dinner and Sunday Breakfast and BBQ <u>order</u> <u>forms</u> will be sent through the family envelopes this Wednesday. Please support and be part of an amazing weekend parish country fair program. TK/Kindergarten, entertainment from Ann Daniels' educational companies, an Art exhibit, concession food stands, Italian Dinner, and a Movie will be experienced on Saturday. from <u>5:00</u> <u>p.m. through 9:00 p.m</u>. A 6:30 a.m. **Sunday** Mass for volunteers, breakfast at <u>9:15</u> <u>a.m</u>. ,BBQ lunch at 11:00 a.m., contests, Band, 2nd, 4th, and 8th Grade performances, raffle drawing, and much more are scheduled for Sunday until <u>2:00 p.m.</u> Come and have fun two weekends from now.

Lord Jesus, give me a heart that loves what is good and in accord with your will and fill me with your wisdom that I may understand your ways. Give me the grace and the courage to reject whatever is evil and contrary to your will.

Psalm 98:1-4

1 O sing to the LORD a new song, for he has done marvelous things! His right hand and his holy arm have gotten him victory.

2 The LORD has made known his victory, he has revealed his vindication in the sight of the nations.

3 He has remembered his steadfast love and faithfulness to the house of Israel. All the ends of the earth have seen the victory of our God.

4 Make a joyful noise to the LORD, all the earth; break forth into joyous song and sing praises!

Giving thanks to our Lord Jesus and to all of you,

Dr. Suelto

<u>References:</u>

<u>Fr. Anthony's Message</u> <u>School Calendar</u> <u>Sisters of Charity of the Blessed Virgin Mary</u>