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# Wednesday Weekly

\*Birthday shout-outs to **Ms. Molly** on April 2 and to **Ms. Brown** on April 5!

\*A big thank you to Coach P for organizing our **Pep Rally** last Friday. Thank you as well to Coach Ms. Jackson, Coach Rogers, and Coach Funches, who were on hand to introduce the teams. (Coach Harris and Coach Stackhouse were not able to be with us.) The Cheer Team, under the direction of Coach Burns and Coach Jackson, gave amazing performances. It was an all-around wonderful way to spend the afternoon.

\*Thank you to everyone who completed the **5Essentials Survey** for the Archdiocese. You helped push us way over the 20% threshold, and we are grateful for your input.

\*All families are asked to complete the **financial aid application** on Facts by April 15. The Archdiocese will begin awarding assistance soon after that date.

\***Spring Break** begins tomorrow, Holy Thursday. We return to school on Monday, April 8.

\*A nearly-total **solar eclipse** is taking place on the day we return to school. Students will head to the playground at 1:45pm to view this incredible event. Thanks to the generosity of some special parishioners, we already have safety glasses purchased for the children.

\***Learning Edge and Fenwick tutoring** start back when the students do.

\*Speaking of Fenwick tutoring...**Ms. Magrady** is the Fenwick instructor who runs the tutoring program for our school. This year she received the Award of Meritorious Service from the Illinois State Board of Education.

\*The **7th Grade** continues their Law class on Friday, April 12, thanks to Big Shoulders.

\*Our **Co-Ed Volleyball team** starts their games on Saturday, April 12, here in our gym.

\***National Junior Honor Society** applicants will be advised by email on their acceptance. The Induction Ceremony is scheduled for April 19 at 1pm in the church.

\*Looking ahead, there will be **no school** on April 26, as teachers participate in training sessions.

\*Registration payment for the **Summer Program** is due in the school office by the end of the month. If you still need to register your child, please contact Mrs. Cooper. We will send you the link via email.

\*Horizons for Youth, one of our scholarship partners, is moving offices and welcomes families to come pick up **free supplies** (notebooks, pencils, pens, paper, office supplies, flashcards, clothes, books (K-8<sup>th</sup>), toys, games, sports equipment, household supplies, holiday/home decor, etc.). Pick-up from their office at 703 W. Monroe at one of the following times: Sat. April 13th 10am-2pm; Thurs. April 18th 4-7pm. Bring bags or boxes to carry your goodies.

\***Tuition payments** are due on the 15th of every month. You will be receiving a call from the school office if you are behind in any payments. Severe/continued delinquencies will result in students being excluded from school.

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## Dates to Remember

3/28 - Holy Thursday/Spring break begins

3/29 - Good Friday

3/31 - Easter Sunday

4/8 - Return to school/Solar Eclipse/Learning Edge tutoring

4/9 - Fenwick tutoring

4/10 - Fenwick tutoring/Volleyball games

4/11 - Fenwick tutoring

4/12 - 7th Gr Law Class

4/13 - Co-ed volleyball league starts

4/15 - Volleyball game

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## Catholic Corner

*Lord, as we get closer to Easter morning, we invite you once more into our lives. May the hope of the Resurrection light up our lives. May the love you revealed to us guide our actions for the betterment of all. Amen.*