

Dear God,

Thank You that You are loving and forgiving.

Help us to love people in the same way as You have loved us.

Help us do generous things for others because we love You.

Amen.

KOC St. Patrick's All You Can Eat Breakfast
 Sunday, 3/15
 8-11AM
 Dammann Hall
 (school gym)
 Adult's \$8.00
 Kids under 12 \$4.00
 Kids 5 and under FREE!

We will be raffling off a few beautiful Irish Wreaths, made and donated to us by Felice Magnetto. Thank you Felice! The breakfast and raffle will benefit our school so please join us!

March 2020

St. Jude the Apostle School

Luck of the Irish
 You could win \$100.00 a day and or the \$1,000.00 on St. Patrick's Day! Tickets are still available!

Wherever you go and whatever you do,
 May the luck of the Irish be there with you.

May there always be work for your hands to do.
 May your purse always hold a coin or two.

May the sun always shine on your windowpane.
 May a rainbow be certain to follow each rain.

May the hand of a friend always be near you.
 May God fill your heart with gladness to cheer you.

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
1	2 Mass PCA Meeting 5:30PM	3 Kindergarten Open House 7:30-9:30 AM	4	5 Kindergarten Open House 7:30-9:30AM	6	7
8	9 Mass	10	11	12 Academic Fair 6-7:30PM	13	14
15 Knights of Columbus All You Can Eat Breakfast 8-11AM	16 Mass Lenten Penance Service grades 2-6	17 Happy St. Patrick's Day! Dress Down-Wear Festive Green!	18	19 Enchanted Daddy/Daughter & Mother/Son Dance 6-8PM	20 Professional Day No School/No CASE	21
22	23 Mass	24	25	26	27	28
29	30 Mass	31 CMOST "Measurement" Grade 3	3/25, 26 & 27 NYS ELA Assessments (gr. 3 & 5)	On 3/27 grades 2/3 & 4 field trip to Journey Through the Body		



Dr. Seuss's birthday (3/2) is recognized as Read Across America Day, where children all over the country celebrate their love of reading and learning. Enjoy a book or two written by Dr. Seuss with your children!

April Reminders

- 4/6 PCA Meeting 5:30PM
- 4/9 Holy Thursday & 4/10 Good Friday No School/No CASE
- 4/13-17 Easter Recess No School/No CASE
- 4/21-23 NYS Math Assessments (gr. 3 & 5)
- 4/30 Spring Concert (K-6) 6:30PM

10 Activities for Catholic Families During Lent and Holy Week

Attend Mass on Ash Wednesday

Wear your ashes out into the world as a witness of our faith

Attend Some of the Holy Week Masses and Activities at Your Parish

Make at least one of your meatless Friday meals together as a family.

This can be a great testimonial for younger children as you remember, together, one of the unique features of our Faith.

Commit to reading the Bible (even if it's a Children's version) every day together as a family.

On Holy Thursday, do a foot washing with your family members.

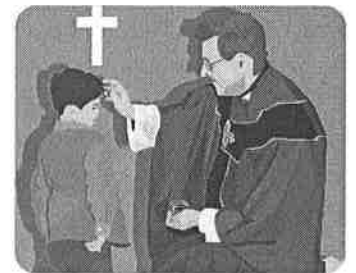
Have a pancake dinner the night before Ash Wednesday or Make a King Cake

This day is known as Mardi Gras as well as Shrove Tuesday. Pancakes were a traditional dish for this day to use up things that weren't allowed during Lent. Here is a recipe for a King cake:

<http://bit.ly/XWq78G>

Use this printable Lenten calendar to track the season:

[catholicicing.com/
printable-lenten-
calendar-for-children/](http://catholicicing.com/printable-lenten-calendar-for-children/)



Attend Stations of the Cross (especially one for children, if you have small children)

Make cards of encouragement to those in your parish's RCIA program - After a lot of study and prayer, most of them will be received into the Church at the end of Lent.

Choose a Lenten Sacrifice to Do As a Family.

Is there something your family can sacrifice that might help another family in need? Consider donating what you might spend on a meal out to a food pantry instead.