

St. Gerard PSR News

January 22, 2012

Do we fight for our faith? We battle for our children, for fair wages, for the closest parking spot, for "me time", but do we fight for our faith? Are we directing our energy in the right place? When was the last time we fought for prayer time, or to sit closer to the Blessed Sacrament, or to attend an extra mass during the week? Fight for your faith and God will take care of the rest!

Ohio Alert Correction

I am sending a slight correction to the Ohio Alert system for PSR. Some people were having trouble with the sign in.

To sign up, please go to www.ohioalerts.org, select **Allen County, St. Gerard Catholic School, Subscribe to alerts, and enter your personal information**. Then under "**select the lists you would like to subscribe to**" you will find **St. Gerard PSR**. Choose this and you will be sent a text/email if there is a cancellation of PSR on any particular Sunday.

Please call or stop in if you have any questions. I apologize for any confusion the previous information may have caused.

Server Schedules

The server schedules for January are in the back of church by the baptismal font and outside of the PSR office. The Servers for next weekend, January 29 at the **8:30** Mass is **Sydney Parker** and at the **11:00** Mass is **Kienna Brown**.

Coffee and Donuts

Where was coffee and donuts last week? Unfortunately I scheduled donuts on the same day as the Scout Pancake Breakfast. As this is a major fundraiser for the scouts, we rescheduled coffee and donuts for next week, January 29th.

First Communion attire

Serendipity by Sarah is here today from 8:00 to 1:00 to showcase **custom made first communion dresses, veils, boys first communion vests and confirmation ties and vests**. If you forgot or would like to talk to them at another time, please stop in and pick up a flyer.

PSR evaluation forms

Your child will be bringing home his/her report card today. Please be sure to go over it with him/her. If you have any questions or concerns, please call the PSR office at (419) 224-3083 x228 or contact your child's teacher.

PSR class Mass

The next class mass will be on February 5 at the 11:00 mass. The 4th and 2nd graders will be in charge of planning that mass. Please mark your calendar and plan to attend!

First Communion Parent Meeting

If you did not attend the meeting last week for your child, please make sure that you stop by the PSR office or call me at 419-224-3080 x228 to get important information that you need.

Attendance

Please be sure to monitor your child's attendance closely. We are halfway through the school year and I grow concerned about children who are nearing the 5 absence cutoff. If your child is nearing the 5 absence limit and you **have not** spoken with your child's teacher, or myself, please do so as soon as possible.