



Little Flower Catholic School

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Dear LFS Parents:

We are excited to begin our Catholic Schools Week of 2019! We have much to celebrate at Little Flower as we thank God for continuing to bless us with our wonderful student body and supportive parents and grandparents.

The Catholic school advantage in the United States involves academic excellence, Faith-filled communities, and service to others. At Little Flower our mission is to fulfill those three objectives. We want our students academically well prepared for high school, morally and ethically prepared for the social challenges they will face, and committed to follow the path of Jesus strengthened by prayer and the sacraments. As a person who has seen many, many students graduate from grade school, high school and college over the last thirty years, I can attest to the importance of a safe, stable Catholic grade school education as the springboard to achieving a rewarding and prosperous life.

We have many wonderful activities that will constitute our Catholic Schools Week Celebration (please see attached updated flyer). We encourage parents/grandparents to be involved in many of our activities especially our Children's Mass this Sunday at 10:00 a.m. On Monday stop in for a treat as you drop off your children! On Tuesday be sure to check out our Talent Show at 1:30 p.m. Come to our All-School Mass on Wednesday at 8:15 a.m. and then over to the school where Sr. Joan, Sr. Paul Mary, and Sr. Marilyn Jean will be joined by several priests and deacons to talk about their lives and vocations.

I appreciate all the support you have given me and the staff this year. I appreciate the trust you have in us to teach your children.

LFS Happenings:

- 1/24 – 6th gr. Boys Basketball vs Athens @ LFS – 6:00 p.m.
- 1/26 – 8th gr. Boys Basketball Regional @ LFS
- 1/26 - 6th gr. Boys Basketball vs. St. Al's @ CTK – 1:45 p.m.
- 1/26 – 5/6 gr. Girls Volleyball vs. CTK @ LFS – 1:45 p.m.
- 1/29 – 7/8 gr. Girls Volleyball @ Decatur Lutheran – 6:00 p.m.
- 1/29 – 8th gr. Boys Basketball Regional @ LFS – 6:00 p.m.
- 1/30 – 7/8 gr. Girls Volleyball vs CTK @ LFS – 6:00 p.m.
- Friday, February 1 there will be an 11:30 a.m. dismissal. NO LAP
- Saturday, February 2 – “Lights, Camera, Auction!” Join us for a night of fun. Doors open at 5:30 p.m.
- Thursday, February 7 – 8th Grade Graduation Pictures 8:15 a.m.
- Thursday, February 7 – Faculty Meeting, 1:30 p.m. dismissal. LAP is available.
- Thursday, February 21 – New Family Open House & PTC Chicken Dinner 6 – 7:30 p.m.

Sincerely,

Dr. Bill Moredock
Principal



CATHOLIC SCHOOLS WEEK 2019

Sunday, January 27

Catholic Schools Week Kick-off Mass – 10:00 a.m.

- All students and families are encouraged to attend Mass.

Monday, January 28

Community Day

- Mission Club and Student Ambassadors will deliver cookies/cards to local businesses
- Mission Club and Student Ambassadors will serve donuts to families in the morning from 7:00 - 8:00 a.m. in the gym or car line
- Students may dress-up as a community leader

Tuesday, January 29

Family Day

- Grades PreK-2 will celebrate 100 days of school
- Grades 3-8 will participate in a Talent Show at 1:30 p.m. in the afternoon
Parents are welcome to attend.
- Families will be asked to make a family crest to hang in the hallway
- **PTC CHICKEN DINNER HAS BEEN RESCHEDULED FOR THURSDAY, FEB. 21st**
- The Children's Auction items will be on display and open for bidding until 5:30 p.m.
- Students in grades 3-8 can dress down in LFS Spirit Wear

Wednesday, January 30

Vocation Day

- 8:15 a.m. Mass
- Students/Parents will be shown a vocations video after Mass in the Parish Center
- Speakers about Vocations

Thursday, January 31

Student Appreciation Day

- Students will have a dress down day.
- PreK – 8 Dance Party in the gym in the morning
- PreK - 7 will cheer on the Staff vs. 8th grade class volleyball game in the afternoon
- Drawing for the Children's Auction items
- Ice Cream treat courtesy of the Men's Club

Friday, February 1

Teacher Appreciation Day

- Breakfast provided by the School Board
- Dress down day for teachers and staff
- Early dismissal at 11:30 p.m. **NO LAP**

Catholic Schools Week Annual Chicken Dinner

****Date changed to Thursday, February 21****

On Thursday, February 21 @ 6:00pm LFS PTC is hosting our annual chicken dinner. While tickets are available at the door, we are pre-selling tickets to help us reduce waste. Pre-ordered tickets are \$3 per person up to a maximum of \$15 for one (immediate) family. At the door tickets will sell for \$5 per person up to a maximum of \$20 for one (immediate) family. To purchase tickets please stop by the school office or send a check (payable to LFS PTC) or cash to the office with your name and number of tickets needed. All pre-orders must be submitted by 2/14 at noon. Hope to see you there!

Dinner Ticket Pre-order

Name _____

How many individual _____ x \$3

OR

Family: _____ (\$15) (how many people in your family? _____)

I would like to volunteer! Name _____


_____ Set up (5:00pm) _____ Serving (5:30pm) _____ Tickets (5:30)

_____ Clean up (6:30)



BARBERS

Friday
1
11:30 Dismissal
NO LUNCH

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
4 French Toast Stix Sausage Links Pineapple Tidbits	5 Chicken Nuggets Green Beans Pears	6 Corn Dogs Baked Beans Applesauce Cinnamon Rolls \$.50	7 Hamburger/Cheeseburger French Fries Peaches	8 Pizza Side Salad with dressing Mixed Fruit
11 ½ Grilled Cheese Tomato Soup Crackers Peaches	12 Walking Tacos Lettuce/cheese cup Cinnamon Apples	13 Turkey and Cheese Sub Potato Chips Pears Cookies \$.25	14 Meatballs Garlic Stick Applesauce	15 Pizza Veggie Cup Mixed Fruit
18 NO SCHOOL	19 Mac & Cheese Peas Peaches	20 Hot Dog Potato Chips Oranges Cookies \$.25	21 Chicken Wrap Corn Pears	22 Pizza Side Salad with dressing Mixed Fruit
25 Pancake on a stick Hashbrown Orange Slices	26 Chicken Patty on a bun AuGratin Potatoes Pineapple tidbits	27 Bosco Sticks Marinara Dip Pears Cookies \$.25	28 Sloppy Joes Tater Tots Apple Slices	Cherry Month 

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2019 Little Flower School Children's Raffle

Information

For **\$1 per ticket**, your child can join the fun. This is a great way for the kids to participate in the activities of our annual school auction!

Items will be on display for bidding during all lunch periods Monday, January 28 through Thursday, January 31. Children can purchase their tickets, put their name on the back, and drop them in the buckets corresponding with the item they like. You can also send your child's money in ahead of time and we can get them ready for them and to their teacher. Drawing will take place at the Catholic Schools week assembly at 2:00pm on February 1.

If you are available to help with the Children's Raffle during our lunch periods, please contact Jennifer Killian at 773-562-7236 or littleflowerauction@gmail.com

- List as of 1/21/19 on reverse

Starburst	Satisfy any sweet tooth with this basket of Starburst goodies!
Giant Plush Unicorn	Cozy up with this super soft GIANT plush pink unicorn
Bakers Basket	Everything a baker would need including a cookie sheet, double chocolate brownie kit, cast iron skillet chocolate chip cookie kit, brownie mix, sugar cookie mix, chocolate chip cookie mix, cookie cutters, cupcake liners, sprinkles, spatulas and frosting
Da Bears	Signed photo of Bears Players and a Wilson Football
\$100	The title says it all! A crisp \$100 bill to save or spend.
Drone	Have fun battling with this pair of Indoor/Outdoor Star Quest RC Drones
Play-doh	Play-doh lunchtime creations set and a party pack of extra play-doh
Unicorn Fingerling and Plush	Have fun interacting with your genuine Unicorn Fingerling and super soft unicorn stuffed animal
L.O.L. & Chair	Have fun with your friends playing L.O.L. Surprise 7 Layers of Fun! and relaxing in your inflatable chair from Justice
Little Artist	Enjoy being creative with a 50 piece Crayola set and a little makers velvet coloring poster.
Spa and Chair	Relax in your inflatable chair from Justice after having a spa day with your Sunny Day spa set. Includes sleep mask, shampoo/conditioner, bath fizzie, body wash, body lotion, hand lotion and body mist

Star Wars!	Any Star Wars fan will love this 4 piece Star Wars Tsum Tsum collectors set and 2 Star Wars Hallmark Ornaments
Vera Bradley & Gift Card	You are ready to head to the mall with this cute Vera Bradley wristlet and \$25 gift card to Journeys shoe store
Preschool Fun Pack	Have hours of fun in this packet complete with books, markers, crayons, puzzle and flashcards
Nerf Guns	You're sure to win the Nerfs Wars! Includes 3 Nerf guns: Zombie Strike Brainsaw, Mega Hotshock and a Nanofire
Robotic Dinasauro	An Adventure Force Ultra Exosaur Robotic Dinosaur. It Roams and Roars!
Chocolate	A 3LB Chocolate Hershey's Bar?!?
Blanket and Spa	A super cozy and plush blanket from VS and a Pamperama box full of Soap & Glory Spa Products
Socks and Shoes	A 3 pack of Harry Potter Slytherin socks and a \$25 gift card to Journey's shoe store
Activity Table and Activities	Disney Princess Enchanted Tales adjustable activity table and princess coloring book and sticker pad, markers, crayons, scissors and glue.
Vinyl Collectibles	Anyone will love this set of Rock Candy DC Comic Vinyl Collectibles. Included are Batgirl, Supergirl and WonderWoman
Nails, lips and skin	Pamper yourself with this 12 piece mini nail polish set, Soap and Glory Body Wash and Shower Puff, Maybelline Baby Lips, Avon Lip Palette, Bath Bomb, Lavender Body Wash and Moisturizer, and Make-up cleansing wipes.
Puzzles	Hours of fun to be had putting together these 2- 300 piece puzzles and then

	coloring them to create a color me puzzle masterpiece
Magnetics	A 25 piece Discovery Kids Magnetic Block set and a 62 piece Magformers magnetic construction set.
Screen Printing	A Fabric Screen Printing Kit
TMNT	Teenage Mutant Ninja Turtles fun including a Raph with Minibike, Leo with Triceratops, 46 piece 3 Ft floor puzzle, and 28 piece lenticular puzzle
Fat Brain Toys	A 76 piece Brain Bricks Mechanics Adventure Park set and a 44 piece Gear Kinetics set. Each builds 3 different machines!
Legos	Hours of fun! The Lego Movie 2 lego sets. Includes Emmet and Lucy's Escape Buggy (550 pcs) and Rex's Rex-treme Offroader (236 pcs)
Pottery	A Creatology Pottery Wheel Kit. Includes paint, tools and air dry clay.
Robotics	A Hexbug Vex robotics hook shot ball machine set, a KidzLabs kitchen science set and a KidzLabs Smart Cleaner set
Trucks and Cars	A Kawasaki RC KFX racer and a variety of play cars and motorcycles.
Minnie Walk & Play	Minnie Walk and Play Puppy. Features 2 modes of play. Walks, sings and talks. Includes Minnie and Snowpuff.
Wooden Trucks	A BeeHappy 5 piece wooden truck set and a 3 piece BeeHappy Wooden Emergency Vehicle Set.
Marvels	A Marvels basket complete with stickers, umprope, paddle ball, Spider Man dominoes, and Marvel Tsum Tsum mystery packs
DIY	Be crafty with this ALEX DIY Circle Scarf kit, a Totally Me bracelet making kit and

	two mini designer duct tapes.
Princess Bedtime	Two handmade princess print standard pillow cases, a 4 pack of Pretty Princess Bath Bomb Ring set, bath finger paints, Pinkalicious: The Princess of Pink Slumber Party book (level 1) and The Early Adventures of Amelia Bedelia 5 books in 1 (level 1)
Minnie Bath	Minnie Mouse Spa Set (including Body Mist, Body Lotion, Hand Lotion, Sleep Mask, Shampoo & Conditioner and Bath Fizzie), a plush Minnie Mouse doll, a Minnie coloring and activity book and a sticker tablet.
Gummy treats	Satisfy any sweet tooth with this amazing candy cake made out of soft assorted candy and a sweet candy deal with a gummy burger, fries and drink.
\$50 !!!	Your second chance to win some cash! A crisp \$50 bill!!!
Games and Magic	A Kids Charades game, a Riddleys Rope Magic set, a Riddleys Sleight of Hand Magic Set and a Fidget Spinner
Sofia the First	Sofia the First Once Upon a Princess full length movie, Sofia the First Big Fun Book to color and 3 bath time fun bath bombs.
Paw Patrol	A basket of fun! Includes a Paw Patrol Frisbee, Paw Patrol ball and bat, Paw Patrol paddle ball, Secret Life of Pets Book, Puppy coloring book and a Little Makers Velvet Dino color poster and markers.
Bath Bombs!	A 12 pack of artnaturals bath bombs, 2 pack of shower jellies, 3 additional bath bombs, and Bath and Body works lotion, cream and fragrance mist.
Transformers & Hot Wheels	48 in. Transformers Bop Bag and a Hot

	Wheels Track & Builder Starter Kit
Princess dress up	A Sticker Dolly Dressing Ballerinas book, Barbie Magical Mermaid Adventure book, magnetic paper doll set, pretty purple necklace, earrings and bracelet and a laire's headwrap
My Little Pony & Hello Kitty	3D Color-In Art My Little Pony Picture in Motion, My Little Pony Color Book, Hello Kitty paint with water, Hello Kitty scrapbook and 2 Charm U 11 piece sets
Moana & Frozen	Disney Moana Message in a Bottle Necklace Activity, Elsa and Anna Coloring book, Elsa and Anna notebook and 2 yum pop bracelets and a yum pop necklace
Hatchimals and Fingerlings	4 pack + bonus Hatchimals collEGGtibles, Baby Sloth Fingerling and Jungle Gym Jumble Fingerling game
Foooz and Hockey	Ice Hockey Tommy doll and challenge Foooz game
Stuffed Animals	3 big eyed Ty stuffed animals
Flannel and Shoes	A size XL Croft & Barrow flannel button down and a \$25 Journey's Gift Card
Judy Blume	Judy Blume books. Fudge Series and Tales of a Fourth Grade Nothing
Star Wars books	3 Star Wars young readers books and a Star Wars color book
Dear America	7- Dear America books, 2- My Name is America books and 1- My America book
Young Mysteries	Set of Young Mysteries books for ages 9-14 yrs
American Girl	American Girl Julie book series 1-6
The Land of Elyon	The Land of Elyon book series set 1-3