



Holy Rosary Catholic School is Proud to Announce the Graduating Class of 2022



Zada Foltz



Marin Johnson



Ava Klemm



Evelyn Lage



Jaci Loeffen



Maxwell Mercil



Zane Roberts



Gabriella Santoya



Joshua Stone

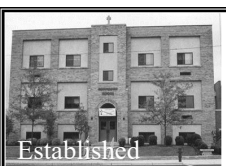


Elijah Wyckoff



We have been blessed to have these ten wonderful students attend Holy Rosary School this year. We wish them the very best in high school. Go Cardinals!

Graduation Dinner is Wednesday, May 25th at 4:30pm followed by Mass and Graduation at 6:00pm



Holy Rosary Parish School Mission Statement

Holy Rosary School Community is rooted in the Word and energized with the Spirit of Jesus Christ. We cultivate our community to live as Jesus taught within the Catholic Tradition. We strive to build gospel values and promote academic excellence.



Would you like to join your student for lunch? We are allowing family members to eat lunch with their students, again. Cost is \$3.85 per meal. Call Beth at 847-5306 by 9:00a.m. to RSVP!



Third Graders Hit the Trail
The third graders traveled to Tamarac National Wildlife Refuge on Friday, May 13. They had an excellent time exploring the outdoors. They learned about spring bird migration, bird calls and identification, and how to use a compass and binoculars. The highlights of the day for many were seeing a fox and watching a tree fall down from the wind! -Mrs. Aligada



Fourth Graders enjoy a fun-filled day at DL's Annual Water Festival
The fourth graders attended the city-sponsored annual Water Festival, which was held this year at the Boys and Girls Club. Students learned about the environment, water safety, pollution and many other topics in an exciting day of science demos and hands-on activities. -Mrs. Kappahn



Reminder: Tuesday, May 24 - Last day for the Cardinal's Nest!

Holy Rosary School
Calendar 2021-2022

May

- 23 Year End Awards Gr. K - 2
- 24 Year End Awards Gr. 6 - 8
- 24 Last day for The Nest
- 25 Year End Awards Gr. 3 - 5
- 25 Closing Mass & Graduation
- 26 **Final Day of School**
- 27 Teacher Inservice

Don't forget to sign up your child for Vacation Bible School - June 6-9 from 9AM-Noon at Holy Rosary!

Registrations are now due! Children entering Preschool (age 4) through 5th grade are welcome to attend!

You may register at www.holyrosarycc.org (under the "Faith Formation" tab) or stop by the parish office to fill out a registration form.

Middle & high school students, as well as adults, are needed to help with VBS. Contact Kathy Olson at the parish office if you can share your time/talents with our children: 218-847-1393 / kaolson@holyrosarycc.org



Cardinals Gear

Are you spring cleaning? Don't forget Mrs. Gilbert is collecting gently used Cardinals gear to resell at school to support future field trips.



Giving Back: Two HR Students, Families Generously Donate to Spring Interlude

Seventh Grader Sam Loreth and 5th Grader Mason Flugel helped to raise funds for Holy Rosary School by donating hand-crafted items to the 2022 Spring Interlude.

Alongside his dad, Chuck Loreth, Sam created a 17"x25"x12" multicolor barn wood frame that prominently displays an oak cross. The original version of the cross was made for this year's Art Fair. Sam reports it takes roughly three whole weekends to accomplish such a project. Sam selected, designed, and built the item. He says his favorite part was "finding wood when it was scrap and seeing it change into art." A copy of Sam's work sold for \$135 at Spring Interlude. Chuck Loreth, who crafted the copy, says "raising money through donations can be difficult so anything that can add a couple bucks to the pot helps...everyone has different tastes...you never know who will think your work is worthy of wall space!"

Nate Flugel assisted Mason in creating three lead-filled ice fishing decoys. The process for this includes cutting and sanding wood pieces to shape, cutting thins out of metal, drilling a hole to fill with torch-melted lead, and painting the final product. "We actually cut the decoy thins from copper leftover from the [Holy Rosary] roof," says Nate Flugel. Mason states that he enjoys decoy-making because "I get better every time." In fact, Mason has a notebook filled with decoy designs and sees this craft skill as part of his future. Mason emphasizes how "awesome" it felt to know his decoys sold for \$100 at Spring Interlude. -Ms. Baker





Write-On!

Fourteen 5th through 8th grade students attended the Young Writers' and Other Artists' Conference at Fergus Falls M|State on Monday, May 9th.

After driving through hail to get there, this all-day field trip included break-out writing, illustrating, and story-telling sessions where students both listened to and participated in a variety of activities. An illusion show (photo at left) by "Imaginick" (Nick Bretz) was a highlight of the trip for many students.

At book signing, students were able to personally meet Minnesota authors, illustrators, and storytellers such as Jim Fletcher, Debbie Hoven, Bob Gasch, and Laura Rach.

This is an annual conference Holy Rosary hopes to continue to offer to our young learners. Future registration will be open to a limited number of interested 5th through 8th grade students. -Ms. Baker

Pictured at left are HRS Seventh Graders: Peyton Lorentz, Anissa Newberg, Leah Christiansen, Lauren Kemper and Isabelle Wolf.

Crookston Field Trip

6th & 7th grade students went to Crookston for a spring field trip. While there, they toured the Chancery and visited with Bishop Cozzens. After a picnic lunch on the Chancery lawn, they made their way to Care & Share, a local homeless shelter. Here, they got a tour and heard how the people who live there, are helped to get back out into the working world and obtain a home of their own. Students and chaperones finished off the day by helping the homeless shelter with some light clean-up outside and then making a Dairy Queen stop before heading back to Holy Rosary. It was a great day of learning about our faith and taking time to love and serve others!
-Mrs. Larson

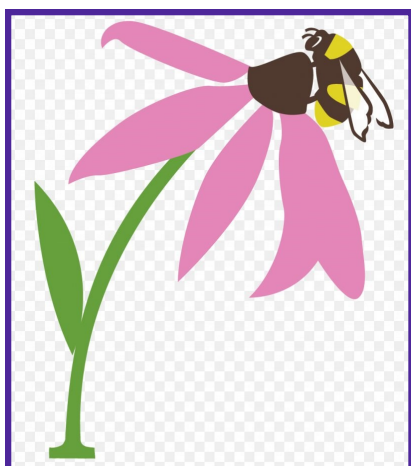


Above: HRS Sixth graders visiting with Bishop Cozzens in Crookston

The Pollinator Garden

Coming soon! HRS teachers are partnering with Becker County Soil and Water employees to create an outdoor educational space/pollinator garden in the rectory's front yard.

Please keep an eye on our HRS Facebook page for updates and ways to participate in the garden later this Spring/Summer. For additional information on ways to help, contact Mrs. Aligada at kaligada@holyroarycc.org or Mrs. GO at kgoetsch@holyroarycc.org



20TH ANNIVERSARY DINNER, COCKTAILS AND A Cause



9th Florence Hutchinson
Legacy Award Recipient
Terri Paskey



Thank you everyone
for collecting

- **Central Market WeCare Receipts**
- **COKE Products**
- **Box Tops for Education**
- **Our Family Labels for Learning**

Please keep saving throughout

Thanks to all who donated, attended, and supported our 20th Spring Interlude, Dinner Cocktails and a Cause! Together we raised over **\$30,000** for Holy Rosary School! We also had the honor of celebrating our 9th Florence Hutchinson Legacy Award recipient, Terri Paskey. Terri worked tirelessly as Holy Rosary School's Secretary & Development Director, driving the success of many fundraisers and rockin' it in the school office for an **amazing 25 years!**



Each spring, The Diocese of Crookston Office of Catholic Schools recognizes the outstanding teachers we are privileged to have in our schools with a **"Teacher of the Year" award**. We are grateful for the hard work and commitment of *all* educators in our schools; the "Teacher of the Year" award is a chance to recognize those who go above-and-beyond and excel in their role. If you would like to nominate a teacher here at Holy Rosary, I encourage you to do so. The form takes just 5 minutes to complete, but the impression on the teacher is for a lifetime. School staff, students, parents, administrators, or parishioners may submit a nomination. Please complete the nomination by **June 1, 2022**. The teacher will be announced in August 2022. Follow this link to complete your nomination: www.surveymonkey.com/r/KD9ZXGF

For those graduating 8th grade, don't forget to apply during your first year of college! Contact Jamie McDougall for more information or go to the alumni tab on the school website.

The Percy & Winifred Stary Family Scholarship for Science, Engineering or Mathematics Fields of Study

Students who complete the last three years at Holy Rosary School are eligible for the Percy and Winifred Stary College Scholarship. (Up to \$5,000 each year for two years.)

- 1) The student must have attended grade 6 – 8 and have graduated from Holy Rosary Catholic School. The student must have maintained a B average or better for the last years of high school.
- 2) The student must have completed the first year of a four year or two year college and maintained a 'B' average or better. A 'B' average or better must be maintained to be eligible for a successive scholarship. No individual student will be awarded the scholarship for more than two years and must be applied for with in two consecutive years. (four year college)
- 3) Must be pursuing an undergraduate degree/major if attending a four year college, or a specific certificate if attending a two year college. The selection of a scholarship recipient will favor eligible candidates who are pursuing degrees/certificates that embrace the science, technical, engineering or mathematics fields of study, as opposed to the arts, business, social or life sciences fields of study.

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The 6th graders are hot stuff!

6th graders were busy in the kitchen with Mrs. Flugel during FACS class this quarter. They baked chocolate chip cookies, a one pot taco dinner and pico de gallo. The 6th graders will also be baking cheesecakes for the 8th Grade Graduation Dinner. Watch out *Creamy Creations*, here they come!



More photos of the Field Trip to Crookston

