

Our Lady of the Lakes Church Weekly Parent Connection!

Week of: Feb. 18

I would like to thank Puxatony Phil for his earlier spring prediction; I've never hugged a groundhog before, but I think I might be tempted to this year. With the anticipation of spring, we also focus our minds and hearts to the commemoration of Jesus' life, death and resurrection in this season of Lent. Please stay updated on the many Lenten and spring opportunities offered in our area faith communities.

Please read this email thoroughly to ensure you don't miss out on any important information

NO CLASSES ON WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 21st!

Gr. 1-6: Regular classes on Wednesday, Feb. 21 from 5:30-6:45pm

Gr. 7-10: Regular classes on Wednesday, Feb. 21 from 7:00-8:15pm

Gr. 10: Confirmation Candidate & Sponsor Retreat: Sunday, Feb. 25 from 10a-2pm

- All gr.10 confirmation candidates need to attend this event with their sponsor. Both will attend the Church of St. Mary Mass at 10am together, followed by a brunch, with the retreat following. Please meet in the **Parish Hall** of the church following Mass. (*The congregation, though, will be encouraged to walk to the other side of the church for their KC coffee and donuts in the Gallery Rooms.*)
- For those students unable to attend, a make-up assignment will be assigned.
- For sponsors unable to attend, a parent/ grandparent/ trusted Catholic adult may attend as a substitute.

All Men: Men's Lenten Bible Study: Wednesday, Feb. 21 from 7a-8am

- All men are invited to a Bible study led by Fr. Steve, held at the Church of St. Mary.
- Pre-registration is required; the event is limited to 14 men. Contact FrSteve@OurLivingWater.org
- Fr. Steve will be leading "The Eucharist in Scripture" from the Little Rock Bible Series.

All Families: Friday, Feb. 23: Stations of the Cross and Soup Dinner

- At Our Lady of the Lakes, join in the Stations of the Cross at 5:30pm followed by a Soup Dinner. This is a wonderful opportunity to join fellow parishioners in a devotion to Jesus' last days on earth. It is open to everyone, so please consider partaking in this event with your family.

All Parents: Tuesday, Feb. 27: "Chosen" viewing & discussion 6:00-7:45pm

- At the Church of St. Mary, there will be a viewing of the second episode from the popular multi-season series "Chosen." A discussion will be held afterwards. The historical fictional drama series depicts the life of Jesus, shown through the eyes of those who knew Him. This event will run every Tuesday, 2/20-4/2, from 6-7:45pm.

All Families: KC Spicer Sausage and Egg Breakfast: Sunday, March 10 at 9:30am

- All families are invited to join in the Spicer KC Breakfast held on Sunday, Mar.10 following the 8:30am Mass Blessings,

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