

# St. Joseph Catholic School Newsletter

February 5, 2019

*Growing in faith and knowledge to serve God and community.*

St. Joseph Catholic School Mission

**\*Dismissal\*** This Wednesday, February 6, we will have early dismissal at 1:00 along with the public school. Buses will run at this time. If your child does not ride the bus, please be here to pick them up promptly at 1:00.

**\*Lunch\*** Lunch money is due the first of each month. If you have not yet paid for February lunches, please do so. One month's lunches are \$57 and extra milk is \$8.

**\*Penny War Total\*** Thank you for contributing your pennies, coins, and bills to lend your support to the Chad Liebl family. Through the generosity of our SJCS families, we raised \$3,587.93! Please continue to pray for Chad and his family as they mourn his passing.

**\*Bishop\*** Bishop John Brungardt will visit SJCS this Friday. He will join us at mass, visit with each of the classes, pop into our Chamber Coffee, and eat lunch with the students. It is indeed a privilege to have the Bishop visit our school and parish. All are welcome to join us for mass with the Bishop at 8:15.

**\*Coffee\*** We will host the Chamber Coffee this Friday, February 8, at 10:00 in the school lunchroom. Join us for a chance to win a door prize donated by: Beautiful Beginnings, N Bloom, Zip's, and Kansas Earth and Sky Candle Company.

**\*Retreat\*** The 7/8<sup>th</sup> grade confirmation class will attend a confirmation retreat this Sunday, February 10, in Great Bend. We will leave from the school at 9:30 and return to Ellinwood around 6:00. Please pray for us to have a blessed retreat.

**\*Totus Tuus\*** This summer, our parish will be hosting Totus Tuus, a fun and engaging program to draw children closer to God. Please make note of the dates for this program, July 8-12, as you plan your summer activities. This program is for all school-age children from kindergarten through high school. We hope to see the majority of our students in attendance for our first ever Totus Tuus! More details will be forthcoming as the date draws near.

**\*Weekend Mass\*** Weekend mass times are at 5:00pm Saturday and 10:30am Sunday. This is the fifth Sunday in ordinary time. Press the CTRL key then click on this link to find the scripture readings for this weekend. <http://www.ewtn.com/devotionals/inspiration.htm>

Father will read from the Gospel of Luke 5:1-11 "Master, we have worked hard all night and have caught nothing, but at your command I will lose the nets." How has Jesus shown me in my life that with God all things are possible?