

# PRINCIPAL NOTES

## March 8, 2018



### UPCOMING EVENTS:

Mar 10	St. Patrick's Day Parade 10:00am
Mar 12	Home & School Meeting 2:00pm - BH
Mar 16	St. Patrick's Day Green-Out Dress Down Day
Mar 16	End of 3 <sup>rd</sup> Quarter
Mar 17	SPIRIT Dinner Auction
Mar 20	Kindergarten Roundup Meeting (parents only) 6:30pm – Church
Mar 21	February Birthday Dress Down Day
Mar 23	Report Cards K-8 <sup>th</sup> Grades sent home
Mar 23	Kindergarten Only – No School
Mar 23	Kindergarten Roundup 9:00-10:30am; 1:30-3:00pm
Mar 23	All School Mass 2:20pm
Mar 28	NO SCHOOL – Teacher In-Service
Mar 29-30	NO SCHOOL – Easter break
Mar 29	Taco John's Family Food Night, 168 & Dodge 4:00-9:00pm
Apr 1	EASTER SUNDAY
Apr 2	NO SCHOOL – Easter break
Apr 6	Mission Dress Down Day; All School Mass 2:20pm
Apr 8	Confirmation 2:30pm and 5:00pm
Apr 9	Confirmation 6:30pm
Apr 9	Home & School Meeting 7:00pm

\*\* = new this week

PC = Parish Center

BH = Boland Hall

MC = Media Center

**REMINDER** - The school office will be closed on Friday, March 9<sup>th</sup>. Enjoy the rest of your spring break!

**\*\*PLEASE JOIN US** - for the next Home and School meeting Monday, March 12, at 2:00pm in Boland Hall. Everyone is welcome!

**\*\*PLEASE HELP SUPPORT-** the Chris Jessen Family by attending the Jessen Family Benefit on Sunday, March 25<sup>th</sup> from 5-8pm in the Aspen Lane Center cafeteria. To help or for more details, go to: <http://www.signupgenius.com/go/20f0f4faba922a3fe3-chris/867347>. You can also view the flyer under Documents in Sycamore. Thank you to Chris' CHI colleagues for hosting this benefit.

**\*\*GIRLS GROW YOUR HAIR FOR LOCKS OF LOVE** – Mark your calendars for St. Patrick's School 13<sup>th</sup>



Annual Locks of Love drive on Thursday, April 19<sup>th</sup>. Locks of Love is a public non-profit organization that provides hairpieces to financially disadvantaged children under the age of 18 suffering from long-term medical hair loss from any diagnosis. They meet a unique need for children by using donated hair to create the highest quality hair prosthetics. Most of the children helped by Locks of Love have lost their hair due to a medical condition called alopecia areata, which has no known cause or cure. The prostheses

Locks of Love provides help to restore their self-esteem and their confidence, enabling them to face the world and their peers.

**\*\*ST. PATRICK'S SCHOOL ANNUAL BLOOD DRIVE** – Be a part of the Annual St. Patrick's School Blood Drive, which will be on Thursday, April 19<sup>th</sup>, from 12:00pm – 6:00pm in the Parish Center. Donors must be at least 16 years of age and in good health. A person may donate blood **every 56 days**; platelets every three days, up to 24 times in a 12-month period. Donating blood is a great way to give back to the community – in about an hour of your time, you can help save a life by donating blood! Donation link coming soon!



**\*\*HAPPY SPRING!!** - The Spirit Wear store will be open from **March 12 – March 25** with several new items including by request adult Under Armour polos and 1/4 zip pull overs for both ladies and men. Perfect weight for spring and summer. Great for coaches and parents alike. We will also have an awesome new stainless steel tumbler cup and a water bottle just in time for spring sports. Click on the link and head out to the store to see all of our great new additions! Don't miss the latest Spirit Wear T-shirt design too. Orders will be delivered at school mid-April, 2-3 weeks after the store closes. If you have questions or need assistance, please contact Melissa Krejci 402-740-1794 ([m.krejci@yahoo.com](mailto:m.krejci@yahoo.com)) or Rachele Durbin 402-690-4615 ([durbinhouse@gmail.com](mailto:durbinhouse@gmail.com)). Happy shopping: [https://stores.inksoft.com/st\\_patricks\\_elkhorn\\_catholic\\_sc/shop/home](https://stores.inksoft.com/st_patricks_elkhorn_catholic_sc/shop/home)



**ST. PATRICK'S FAMILY FOOD NIGHTS MARCH MADNESS!** - Mark your calendars for three great events this month.



Visit Sports Clips in Elkhorn any Tuesday, Wednesday or Thursday during the month of March, and they will donate 10% of ALL sales (includes haircuts, product and all services)! Bring a St. Patrick's Sports Clips flyer with you or pick one up in the store. Flyer must be presented at the time of purchase.

Thursday, March 29<sup>th</sup>: New! Taco John's Family Food night, 168<sup>th</sup> & Dodge, 4-9pm, dine in or drive through. Check backpacks for a flyer the week of the event. \*Purchase your Taco John's SCRIP gift card--available now!

**NEW TO SCRIP** – Taco Johns! We have \$10 gift cards available! SCRIP has HyVee, Walmart, Whole Foods, Under Armour, GAP, Fat Brain Toys, Arby's, Runza, Starbucks, Cold Stone Creamery, Red Robin, and many more IN STOCK today. SCRIP is available Friday afternoons in front of Church from 2:45-3:15pm and after weekend masses, or complete the form and send into the school office. Your order will be returned with your student.



[https://app.sycamoreeducation.com/Downloads/1937/Scrip\\_Order\\_Form\\_2017\\_2018.pdf](https://app.sycamoreeducation.com/Downloads/1937/Scrip_Order_Form_2017_2018.pdf)

**DOOR HANGERS FOR SALE!** - The 8th graders are raising money for their Washington DC trip by selling solid wood, personalizable door hangers from a local artist. There are several new Spring designs. All signs can be personalized for no extra charge. To order go to <http://www.doordoodles.com> and click on the St. Pats Fundraiser tab. The password is *WashingtonDC*. (Order form can be found on Sycamore under Documents). You can also send a check with the order form to school with your student. If you have additional questions, please contact Amy Abbott 402-651-2829 or Alexis Beller 402-214-5022.



**TUITION ASSISTANCE DEADLINES** – Families who feel tuition assistance may be necessary for the 2018-2019 school year, please read through these instructions. To qualify for St. Patrick's Tuition Assistance, applicants who qualify financially **must** have first applied for the Children's Scholarship Fund.

Applications for the Children's Scholarship Fund are due **online** by **Friday, May 4, 2018**. To apply for the Children's Scholarship Fund, go to <http://www.csfomaha.org/>. They are accepting applications online only. Questions regarding CSF may be directed to Kelly Gibson at [kgibson@stpatselfkhorn.org](mailto:kgibson@stpatselfkhorn.org).

Applications for St. Patrick's Tuition Assistance are due by June 1, 2018. St. Patrick's Tuition Assistance forms may be found on the St. Patrick's school webpage under the 'Parents' tab. Questions regarding St. Pat's Tuition Assistance may be directed to Business Manager, Vicki Payton, at the parish office at 402-938-4901, or via email at [vpayton@stpatselfkhorn.org](mailto:vpayton@stpatselfkhorn.org). Completed forms are to either be mailed to Vicki or sent in a sealed envelope to her attention.

Deadlines **must** be adhered to. *No late applications will be accepted.* All information is kept strictly confidential.

**CLASSROOM PROJECTS ON DISPLAY** - Every year for the SPIRIT dinner auction each grade helps create special items for the silent auction. Come up to school to get a look at these great items. Each project will be displayed for one week. Monday, February 26 - Friday, March 2: Preschool, PreK, Kindergarten, 3rd grade, 4th grade & 5th grade projects. Monday, March 12 - Friday, March 16: 1st Grade, 2nd grade, 6th grade, 7th grade & 8th grade projects.



**GET YOUR IRISH ON WITH FATHER TOM** - Just a reminder, we will have our last incentive drawing on March 14th for an Alexa. We are only 9 days away and need your support. Please turn in your sold tickets right away. Thank you for your support!

**LOOKING FOR AN EASY AND FUN WAY TO DONATE TO S.P.I.R.I.T.?** - Visit "**The S.P.I.R.I.T. Tree**" in the narthex of the church. The tree is filled with cards requesting items that are needed for the silent auction. There are tons of items ranging from \$10 gift cards to actual items that are needed. Most of the gift cards can be purchased through SCRIP, so stop by the table after mass and complete your donation! S.P.I.R.I.T. donations can be taken to the Parish or School office by March 1st.

**PLEASE JOIN US FOR STATION OF THE CROSS ON THE FOLLOWING DATES –**



Monday, March 12 – Stations 2:30pm 5<sup>th</sup>–8<sup>th</sup> grade  
Wednesday, March 14 – Stations 2:30pm K-4<sup>th</sup> grade  
Monday, March 19 – Stations & Benediction 2:15pm 5<sup>th</sup>–8<sup>th</sup> grade  
Wednesday, March 21 – Stations & Benediction 2:15pm K-4<sup>th</sup> grade

**DESSERTS NEEDED FOR FISH FRY** – The St. Pat's Men's Club asks all parishioners to help supply desserts for the Fish Frys this Lent. We suggest that each family bring a pie, small cake, dessert bars, brownies or other dessert on the Friday designated by the first letter of your last name on the following schedule. Each family will donate only one week. Thank you for your support to help make the Fish Frys a success!



Last Name	Date
M-P	Mar 9
Q-S	Mar 16
T-Z	Mar 23

**PLANNING AHEAD** – Just a reminder, April 23<sup>rd</sup> will be a day off from school for meeting our Shamrock Stride goal. KidZone will not be available that day, so please plan accordingly.

**BAKERS FREE MONEY** - Do you shop at Bakers? Please take a minute to register your Bakers Rewards Card and help St. Pats earn free money! Go to the website and register your card. Our NPO number is 77727. <https://www.dillons.com/account/enrollCommunityRewardsNow>



**IF YOU WOULD LIKE TO JOIN YOUR CHILD FOR LUNCH** – please email his/her teacher by 9:00am on the day that you're coming. Also email: [lunch@stpatselkhorn.org](mailto:lunch@stpatselkhorn.org). Thank you!

**WANT TO SEE YOUR CHILD IN THIS YEAR'S YEARBOOK?** - Take and upload photos to [treering.com](http://treering.com), our yearbook website. There's a free Treering app that makes it easy to upload photos from your phone. Questions? Email: Christina at [ecbutler@cox.net](mailto:ecbutler@cox.net) or Susie at [suekrut@aol.com](mailto:suekrut@aol.com)

**ST. PATRICK'S ATHLETIC COMMITTEE ANGEL SCHOLARSHIP** – The St. Patrick's Athletic Committee Angel Scholarship is a \$1000 educational award given yearly to one 8th grade boy and girl athlete who best exemplifies the leadership, scholarship, sportsmanship, character and athletic effort valued by the St. Patrick's Athletic Committee (SPAC). This award will be paid directly to the Catholic High School of their choice at the start of second semester of their freshman year. The application can be found in Sycamore under Documents. All application materials must be received by April 6th, 2018. The 2018 Angel Scholarship winner will be announced at the annual Sports Banquet.



**2018 ST. PATRICK'S ATHLETIC BANQUET** – will be held Friday, May 4<sup>th</sup> in the gym for athletes in 6<sup>th</sup> - 8<sup>th</sup> grade and their families. Cost is \$15 for parents, \$10 for athletes, siblings and St. Pat's staff. 8<sup>th</sup> grade student athletes are free. Dress is casual - business casual attire. The evening will start with a social/check-in at 5:30pm, followed by dinner at 6:00pm, guest speaker at 6:45pm, recognition of sports/athletes at 7:45 – 9:00pm. Reservations can be made on we-share. Deadline to rsvp is April 13, 2018.



**TRACK AND FIELD NEWS** - The spring sports season is right around the corner! Our coaches are excited to get started soon with the 2018 track season. Our practices begin Monday, March 12<sup>th</sup> with our first meet on Saturday March 24.

REGISTRATION IS NOW OPEN - Please access the registration site by going through the St. Pat's school website under athletics:

[http://secureweb.cisco.com/1r1NqqcsaRJ3TXbuYIBq9iU9Nr1HJk4hwuoALgDQo5c-sjd2LwJRoBCDGFN5z0jJQij\\_8vJmNL8gZfzNXp9Th1EaNKTHwY\\_DtPWpZlbyRTlspKbKuR\\_Xcrgj-SRerRyPWE5fKQz5wnxvXSgN4tbwW\\_3ukkNI2CJfa-tsVyxgaXF2zwBYU-ip3dVyzimJrUtNSKhPANT-RswBAxDZUCPjDee5Cpx\\_zqv1iPntX5QS5j1I8J4L0n16whZE7sVsDrr0/http%3A%2F%2Fschool.stpatselkhorn.org%2Ftrack--field.html](http://secureweb.cisco.com/1r1NqqcsaRJ3TXbuYIBq9iU9Nr1HJk4hwuoALgDQo5c-sjd2LwJRoBCDGFN5z0jJQij_8vJmNL8gZfzNXp9Th1EaNKTHwY_DtPWpZlbyRTlspKbKuR_Xcrgj-SRerRyPWE5fKQz5wnxvXSgN4tbwW_3ukkNI2CJfa-tsVyxgaXF2zwBYU-ip3dVyzimJrUtNSKhPANT-RswBAxDZUCPjDee5Cpx_zqv1iPntX5QS5j1I8J4L0n16whZE7sVsDrr0/http%3A%2F%2Fschool.stpatselkhorn.org%2Ftrack--field.html).

Also, when you register this year you will have the opportunity to order our popular track team sweatshirts and t-shirts. There is a link provided to the Midwest Impressions store, please place your order no later than Friday, March 9th. A direct link to the website is [https://stores.inksoft.com/st\\_patricks\\_athletic\\_wear/](https://stores.inksoft.com/st_patricks_athletic_wear/). Payment for the shirts is at the time of order. Registration to join the track team will remain open until the start of practice.

**THANK YOU** to all who uploaded **boys** PAL basketball photos to our yearbook website, [treering.com](http://treering.com)! We are still in desperate need of girls' basketball photos. Please take photos at your last games and upload them to treering. Thanks!.



#### **JANUARY 22 - MARCH 24 - ST. PATS SPRING MICRO SOCCER REGISTRATION OPEN -**

**Spring Micro Soccer League** - St. Pats 2018 Spring Micro Soccer registration opened Monday, January 22nd. Please visit the WeShare site (<http://school.stpatselkhorn.org/soccer.html>) to register. This league is generally for PreS, PreK and Kindergarten aged children and is open to all not just parishioners of St. Patrick's. The season will be from April 14 - May 19. Games are Saturday mornings at 9am and 10:15am. The sessions are intramural style play with practice running about 20 minutes and games following for the remainder of the hour. Games will be held on St. Pats soccer fields. There is a one-time jersey fee (if you don't already have a jersey for micro soccer, flag football or t-ball). Parents volunteer to coach. If you have questions or you are interested in volunteering to coach, please email Carrie Sova at [kizerck1@gmail.com](mailto:kizerck1@gmail.com).



**JANUARY 22 - MARCH 24 - ST. PATS SPRING TBALL REGISTRATION OPEN - Tball** - St. Pats 2018 Tball registration opened Monday, January 22nd. Please visit the WeShare site (<https://stpatselkhorn.weshareonline.org/index.aspx>) to register. This league is generally for PreK and Kindergarten aged children and is open to all not just parishioners of St. Patrick's. The season will be from April 14 - May 19. Games are Saturday mornings/afternoon at 11:30, 12:45, and 1:00 at St. Patricks baseball field. The sessions are intramural style play with practice running about 20 minutes and games following for the remainder of the hour. There is a one time jersey fee (if you don't already have a jersey for micro soccer, flag football or t-ball). Parents volunteer to coach. If you have questions or you are interested in volunteering to coach, please email Todd Beran at [tberan@evolvebenefitsne.com](mailto:tberan@evolvebenefitsne.com).

**JR. CRUSADER BASKETBALL TRYOUTS** - The Junior Crusaders is a competitive basketball program for girls in third through eighth grade who are interested in attending Marian. The Junior Crusaders play in the Conqueror Basketball League and in local or regional tournaments. During the season, practices are held on Mondays and Wednesdays. \*The Jr Crusader basketball program fully supports and encourages players to play for their school teams.\*

For more information and to pre-register visit [www.leaguelineup.com/marianjrcrusaders](http://www.leaguelineup.com/marianjrcrusaders). Questions? Contact Jr. Crusader Commissioner, Todd Hoffman at 402-680-4545 or [thoffman@proforms.com](mailto:thoffman@proforms.com).

Tryouts at Marian High School

3<sup>rd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> grade girls: Sunday, March 4, 5:00-6:15pm

5<sup>th</sup> & 6<sup>th</sup>-grade girls: Wednesday, March 7, 7:30-9:00pm  
7<sup>th</sup> and 8<sup>th</sup> grade girls: Monday, March 5, 7:30-9:00pm

**\*\*MERCY HIGH SCHOOL BASKETBALL FEEDER TEAM** - Who: Any girls who are in grades 5th – 8th for the



2018-2019 school year and are interested in playing basketball for the feeder teams for the Mercy Basketball program. Sign up will be completed online; deadline May 31<sup>st</sup>. If you would like to sign up after the deadline, please contact Coach Stara. Sign up: [www.SignUpGenius.com/go/10C0B4FAAA62DA5FC1-jrmonarchs](http://www.SignUpGenius.com/go/10C0B4FAAA62DA5FC1-jrmonarchs). The Clinic begins

September 22nd and runs every Saturday from 9:00-10:30am. Practice/Tryouts for League Play will begin November 12th. Time TBA. League play will begin the 1st week of December. We will be competing in the CYO League. If you plan on playing for your school team as well, let us know and we can work around that. We also are looking into putting a fall league team together as well. If this is something your daughter would be interested in, please indicate this in the comments on the signup. Cost will be \$100-\$175 based on the number of participants who sign up. This includes the cost of the clinic, league, tournaments, and uniforms. If you have any questions, please contact Scott Stara by email at [staras@mercyhigh.org](mailto:staras@mercyhigh.org).

**\*\*MERCY HIGH SCHOOL** - invites 5<sup>th</sup> & 6<sup>th</sup> grade girls to our annual Lock-In on March 24<sup>th</sup> from 5:00-9:00pm. For more information go to: <http://www.mercyhigh.org/events/>. Space is limited, so sign up today!

Registration for summer camps at Mercy High School is now open. Mercy coaches will offer camps in basketball, soccer, track & field, and volleyball for female students in 3<sup>rd</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> grade. Please go to: <http://www.mercyhigh.org/events/> to register.

**THROUGHOUT THE YEAR** - we receive many requests to publish information about various camps and activities. These flyers/brochures can be found under 'documents' in Sycamore. Please check them out!

**WANT TO SEE WHAT IS HAPPENING INSIDE ST. PATRICK'S SCHOOL FRONT DOORS?** - Join us on Facebook and Twitter to see the latest news and exciting things going on at St. Patrick's School:

TWITTER: @stpatsangels

FACEBOOK: St Patrick's-Elkhorn

**IT IS NOT TOO LATE TO PARTICIPATE** . . . every donation is important to The Activity Center Project. If you would like to contribute or have questions, contact the Parish Office. Thank You! 817 families have pledged to make the Activity Center a reality - we appreciate your support!

**HUMMEL DAY CAMP** - Hummel Day Camp is a week-long summer outdoor recreation and education program



offered by City of Omaha Parks and Recreation for kids who have completed 1st through 7th grades the prior school year. Activities include hiking, nature identification, archery, arts and crafts, outdoor cooking, wilderness skills, water and mud activities, camp songs, and much more! **Changes for 2018!!** Bus pickup sites will be at

community centers and parks instead of schools. A few of the closer ones include Common Ground, Montclair, Saddlebrook, and Zorinksky. There are also no "assigned" weeks for individual schools and you may register for any week you choose. Cost is \$95, which includes food and daily bus transportation from assigned bus pickup sites. Camp weeks and registration dates are listed below. You can find the bus pickup sites for each week on the website: <https://parks.cityofomaha.org/activity/hummel-day-camp>.

Week 1 - June 4<sup>th</sup> - 8<sup>th</sup>: March 5<sup>th</sup>

Week 2 - June 11<sup>th</sup> - 15<sup>th</sup>: March 6<sup>th</sup>

Week 3 - June 18<sup>th</sup> - 22<sup>nd</sup>: March 7<sup>th</sup>

Week 4 - June 25<sup>th</sup> - 29<sup>th</sup>: March 8<sup>th</sup>

Week 5 - July 9<sup>th</sup> - 13<sup>th</sup>: March 9<sup>th</sup>

Week 6 - July 16<sup>th</sup> - 20<sup>th</sup>: March 12<sup>th</sup>

Week 7 - July 23<sup>rd</sup> - 27<sup>th</sup>: March 13<sup>th</sup>

Week 8 - July 30<sup>th</sup> - Aug 3<sup>rd</sup>: March 14<sup>th</sup>

Week 9 - Aug 6<sup>th</sup> - 10<sup>th</sup>: March 15<sup>th</sup>

Registration will be done online through the City of Omaha Parks and Recreation, similar to the last few years. If you registered for Hummel Day Camp last year, usernames and passwords will be the same. If you do not



yet have an account with the City of Omaha Parks, it is strongly encouraged that you go to the website to create an account prior to the registration date. This is a very popular camp for St. Patrick's students, as well as many other schools. If you have any questions, please contact Jennifer Dimig at [jdimig@wje.com](mailto:jdimig@wje.com)

**SAFE ENVIRONMENT** - Anyone working with youth (room parents, coaches, scout leaders, cafeteria helpers, youth group volunteers, catechists, VBS leaders, day care workers, etc.) is required by the Archdiocese to be certified in Safe Environment practices. If you have never attended an initial training, you must do so.

CLICK the following link to register for Initial Training sessions at St. Patrick's Parish or any other parish via the Archdiocesan website at: <http://archomaha.org/ministries/safe-environment/training/>. Contact the Safe Environment Coordinator Lisa Seidl at [lseidl@stpatselfhorn.org](mailto:lseidl@stpatselfhorn.org) or call [402-938-4908](tel:402-938-4908) if you have any questions.

SE Re-certification Online Training: The Archdiocese offers a Safe Environment Online Recertification program. Training takes approximately 60 minutes to complete. Instructions explain the process once you enter the site. Go to the Archdiocesan website: [https://omaha.cmgconnect.org/users/sign\\_in](https://omaha.cmgconnect.org/users/sign_in). Questions...contact Lisa Seidl, Safe Environment Coordinator, at [lseidl@stpatselfhorn.org](mailto:lseidl@stpatselfhorn.org) or [402-938-4908](tel:402-938-4908).

**LITURGY OF THE WORD FOR CHILDREN** - We are in need of several more leaders for Liturgy of the Word for children at Saturday, 5:00 pm Mass, 9:30 a.m. and 11:00 a.m. Sunday Masses. Feel free to come and view LWC in action. Just dismiss with the children and adult leaders. To volunteer to lead LWC, please contact the RF Office at 402-289-4947 or email Chris Else @ [celse@stpatselfhorn.org](mailto:celse@stpatselfhorn.org).



Leading LWC is easy! We have leader guides that will enable you to lead LWC in a prayerful way and help children deepen their relationship with God. Most LWC leaders will share with you, that when they take the time to prepare in advance of the upcoming Liturgy that they too are touched by the message in the readings and how well the children are engaged in LWC. Not only do you help deepen the faith of the children in our parish, your spirituality is nourished!

Leader responsibilities and steps involved include:

- Word Leader will proclaim the First Reading
- Children will sing Psalm Response and Gospel Acclamation.
- Word leader will proclaim the Gospel reading.
- Word leader will facilitate discussion.
- Word and music leaders facilitate Creed song.
- Word Leader to facilitate petitions.

We also have a need for additional shepherds who will remind children to listen, if necessary, ensure the children return to church in a timely fashion and assist the gift bearers. To volunteer to lead LWC, please contact the RF Office at 402-289-4947 or email Chris Else @ [celse@stpatselfhorn.org](mailto:celse@stpatselfhorn.org).

**CAREER OPPORTUNITY** - St. Patrick's Religious Formation Program in Elkhorn has an opening for an Administrative Assistant who will be responsible for providing administrative and organizational assistance to the Religious Formation program. This position is a year-round, 40 hour per week position. To meet program needs, this person must be available on Wednesday afternoons and evenings, with occasional weekends. Benefits are included. If interested in this position, please contact Mary McMahan, Director of Religious Formation, at 402-289-4947, extension 1505 or email [mmcmahan@stpatselfhorn.org](mailto:mmcmahan@stpatselfhorn.org)

**SUMMER FAITH FORMATION PROGRAM JOB OPENINGS** - Our Summer Faith Formation Program is being held from 8:30 a.m. to Noon, June 4<sup>th</sup> through June 15<sup>th</sup>. Applications are currently being accepted for Summer Faith Formation Program Catechists. Please email your letter of intent, your resume and a copy of your Nebraska Teaching Certificate to Mary McMahan, Director of Religious Formation @ [mmcmahan@stpatselfhorn.org](mailto:mmcmahan@stpatselfhorn.org)

**SPY BULLETIN –**

SPY SPECIAL GUEST – We will be meeting as usual this Sunday the 11th from 6-7:30 (MS) and 6-8:00 (HS), but we will be joined by a special guest, Matt Graves, who will talk to us about the experiences of his family who have experienced tragedy, but also so much joy over the last few years.



FISH FRYS – Below you'll find the Sign-Up Genius link for face painting, table clearing/busing and food running. Men's Club needs everyone's help to have a successful event AND when it comes to financial assistance for the trips you'll soon be hearing more about, work here will come in VERY handy! <http://bit.ly/SPYFish>

PALMS AND PANCAKES – On the weekend of March 24/25th we will not only be celebrating Palm Sunday, but SPY will also be hosting our final Pancake Breakfast of the year. Click below to find out how you can serve our parish and help raise money for our various summer trips! <http://bit.ly/spypancake>

HOPE NEBRASKA – Hope Nebraska is a new, five-day mission trip for high school students entering 10-12 grades in the Fall. We will serve at St. Augustine Indian Mission in Winnebago, NE in partnership with Hope of the Poor. Each day will consist of prayer, service and cultural experiences in the community, and witness talks to help deepen our understanding of Christ's vision for social justice. Sign up here! <http://bit.ly/HopeNeb2018>

FUTURE SPY FOOD HELP – For future evenings, if you'd like to help us with a main dish (spicing up our typical pizza/sandwich menu...) follow the link below to find out how to help and be reimbursed. <http://bit.ly/spyfood1>

**Principal's Notes deadline is Tuesday by 8:00 am to the school  
or email to [molson@stpatselkhorn.org](mailto:molson@stpatselkhorn.org).**

St. Patrick's Catholic School in Elkhorn admits students of any race, color, and national or ethnic origin.