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Dear Holy Name School families,

I hope that you have all had a great week! Please keep the people of Puerto Rico, South Carolina, and Florida in your prayers as they begin the long road to recovery from the devastation and loss from Hurricane Ian. As the weekly reflection below states: "Guide me, Lord, along the everlasting way", it is through the generosity and prayer of all us asking for God's guidance that will assist our neighbors in their struggle.

On October 27th, we will have our Fall Parent/Teacher Conferences. This is already scheduled as an 11:30AM dismissal day. Conferences will be held via Zoom as in the previous two years.

The Middle School will schedule conferences in the morning from 8:45AM to 11:45AM, as well as the afternoon and evening schedule from 12:30PM to 3:30PM and 5:00PM to 7:30PM. Middle School students will still attend school for the half day and follow an alternative program for the day.

All other grades will schedule conferences from 12:30PM to 3:30PM and 5:00PM to 7:30PM. All conferences are scheduled for 10 minutes. (If you need more time to discuss your child with their teacher, kindly arrange for a meeting on another day) .

Please read all of the following updates for important information

- Mr. Joe Shea will be holding a CYO Basketball COACHES meeting, Tue. Oct. 4, 2022 at 6:30 p.m. If you are interested in coaching a basketball team, please come to this informative meeting.
- We will be holding our annual "picture day" from LifeTouch tomorrow, Wednesday, **October 5th**. Envelopes for ordering went home today with all students. All students will have their picture taken for the yearbook, even if a package is not ordered. Students may dress in regular clothes of their choice, abiding by the dress code policy in the HNS handbook. We realize that this is a gym day for Middle School. The gym teacher will choose activities as low impact as possible due to student dress. They can wear or bring sneakers.
- On Thursday, Oct. 6th Mr. Joe Shea will be holding another tryout for girls in grades 3,4 &5 at CYO on Anawan Street at 7:00 p.m. Even if you have already tried out, please attend. This is to decide who will be on which team.
- **NEW RESCHEDULED DATE~ Same Time**
On Saturday, Oct. 15th , the class of 2023 will be holding a Chalk Art Festival here at Holy Name. The squares to be decorated will be \$7.00 each and must be paid in advance through the attached link. What a great family activity that will beautify our school yard and help grade 8 expenses as well. Please see the attached flier.

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- Oct. 15, 2022 will be the deadline for joining CYO Basketball. The coordinator for this is Joe Shea and he can be reached at 508-562-1481 or joeshea3rd@gmail.com if you have questions or comments.
- Our Futsal teams will have a new coordinator team: Mrs. Pamela Tietze and Mrs. Suzanne Salva. There is information included for those who are interested. The cost is \$100.00 for one child or \$165.00 for a family. The payment and registration forms need to be returned to Mrs. Chippendale by **October 20th**. If you have any questions, please contact Mrs. Tietze at tinkrbl777@msn.com
- Mrs. Fraga is looking for volunteers to help with “Liturgy of the Word” on Sundays at 8:30 am Mass. Please contact Mrs. Fraga with questions or if you are interested in helping at fraga.catherinem@gmail.com
- The Holy Name Student Directory will be worked on in the coming days. You have all been asked to fill out the “Public Relations” section of our forms, which is where you would indicate if you do not want to take part. If you have yet to fill out the form, please do so at this time. Please indicate exactly what you would like in the directory.
- You will receive a weekly lunch menu from Mrs. Krauzyk on Tue. Morning. If you have an issue with the email, you can always order lunch through our website. Just remember that **NO orders will be accepted after noon on Thursday.** <https://www.hnsfr.org/Lunch-Menus>
- We are still in need of many volunteers for our Octoberfest. Please consider volunteering. Also, we are in need of donations of any type. If you have the ability to donate to this fantastic cause, please consider doing so. We thank you for your generosity.

Weekly reflection:

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---Psalms 139:24b

Stay well and God Bless,

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