

Our Lady of the Assumption

Religious Education Program

Parish Council Report

June 2018

The Religious Education Program ended on Tuesday May 22nd due to the Tornado and Electrical outages that happened on Tuesday May 15th. We held our last class as a family catechesis where parents were invited to attend the last session with all the children learning about Saint Katherine Drexel, the Corporal and Spiritual works of Mercy and an Ice Cream Sundae Social which followed.

I also honored three people who have requested to take sabbaticals for the upcoming year. Jennifer Zupetz and AnnMarie Minerly will not be returning in the fall due to other commitments. Christine Cawley who was an aid will be heading off to College. I wished them well with flowers which were presented to them on the 22nd. They will be greatly missed, as they were all an intricate part of the program. I'm hoping in the near future, they will be able to return. I am in the process, and have contacted other catechists to possibly fill their positions.

I have collected all monies outstanding for the 2017/2018 year. Leaving a 0 (zero) balance to collect.

I have a total of 16 families thus far registered .10 Families paid in full for a total of \$ 1,485.00 collected, 6 families registered which will be receiving a bill for their amounts owed, and 8 families of which I have contacted to make appointments to meet me to reregister for the fall.

Bible Camp will be here sooner that we know it. June 25th-June 29th, 9-12. I have thus far 26 children registered for the program this year. 6 of them are from levels 7 & 8 to help out the catechists as aides. They will obtain community service hours towards confirmation.

I will be attending the last Regional Meeting on Tuesday June 19th in Middletown at OLMC.

Classes will begin on either Tuesday September 11th or Tuesday September 18th, as I will look further into the year for the required amount of classes needed, and snow days, if required.

Respectfully Submitted,

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