

**Important Dates:**

11/2-10..... Candy Collection  
11/9 ..... Buddy Card sale begins  
11/15 ..... End of 1<sup>st</sup> Trimester  
11/18 ..... No School, Teacher In-service  
11/21-22..... Parent Teacher Conferences  
11/21-25..... Thanksgiving Break  
  
K-8 Absent/Tardy .....347-2231  
Preschool Absent .....347-4450  
Early Dismissal.....note to teacher  
Aftercare .....371-0371

**AUG'S BLOG**

Visitation Families,

Thank you to all those families who attended 6:30 a.m. mass last Friday to help pray for Ross Lanter. We had over 250 people in attendance. I can't tell you how proud I was to see so many students in attendance, including our 8th graders who were off due to Camp Joy. In addition, there were multiple Visitation alum present. The surgery went really well and Ross is home with a long road of recovery ahead of him. Please keep him in your prayers. We have another kindergarten student having major surgery

tomorrow morning. It is a decompression surgery on his skull. He will have several weeks of recovery. Lastly, CeCe is hoping to get to Seattle for treatment in the next month or so. So, keep those prayers going! Having the support of all of our Visitation parish members means a great deal to all of these families!

This weekend our Divine Mercy Family of Parishes welcomes the Cinti. Choral Society as they present an hour-long concert of Sacred Music. The concert will feature John Rutter's Requiem as well as English settings of Psalms 123 and 130. It is Nov. 20th at 3:00 p.m. in mass. Please invite friends and family. No tickets are required. Free will offerings are gratefully accepted.

Next Wednesday starts the beginning of the new trimester. Report cards will be emailed on Nov. 30th. This second trimester goes until March. It may seem longer but all of the trimesters have close to the same number of instructional days (55-56).

I know some of you get tired of reading this, but PLEASE label your children's clothes. We already have a large collection of the uniform quarter zips in Lost and Found. If there is a last name in it, we try to return it to the child.

Reminder, you must call the attendance line if your child is going to be absent or tardy. Even if you email the teacher, you still need call the absent line. For grades K-8, the number is 513-347-2231. For preschool, the number is 513-347-4450.

Today starts our LaRosa's Buddy Card Sale. The proceeds from this sale go toward our marketing and development. This includes expenses from Preview Night, specials mailings, seasonal decorations, etc. A pink sale form was sent home with every student today. See below for more details.

We are collecting Halloween candy for a couple more days. There are boxes by the main office until Thursday 11/10. The candy will be donated to Our Daily Bread

This weekend when you attend mass, please keep all of our students with medical needs in your prayers.

Blessings,

*Spely M. Aug*

## COOK'S CURRICULUM CORNER

In the library, junior high students worked on a STEM activity known as a Marble Run. This activity required students to use critical thinking skills to design a maze considering lengths, angles, velocity, and acceleration to allow a marble to pass through an entire maze successfully. The students used the engineering process to problem solve and perfect their mazes! It was fun to see their creativity and hear shrieks of joy when their design was successful!



Are you looking for ways to help your child in math with addition, subtraction, multiplication, and division facts? The XtraMath site and app allows students to practice their accuracy and speed with facts. Most students already have school accounts they can log into for practice. However, it is free to create a parent and child account!

**REDIKER:** All Rediker issues, primary email changes or primary household phone number changes should be emailed to [rediker@olvisitation.org](mailto:rediker@olvisitation.org).

## LaROSA'S BUDDY CARD



**Our LaRosa's Buddy Card Sale kicks off today!** Each card costs \$10 and is good for 14 offers - Buy any large pizza, get a large cheese pizza FREE! That's a \$150 VALUE for only \$10!

Your child is coming home with a pink order form. Sale starts Wednesday, 11/9 and all money and order forms are due by **Wednesday, 11/30**. Thanksgiving is a great time to ask your family and friends, and cards will be in before Christmas for you to hand out.

- Sell ONE card per student, or donate \$5 by November 30<sup>th</sup>, and you will earn an out of uniform pass for Friday, December 9<sup>th</sup>.
- Sell 10 cards per student and you will earn an out of uniform pass for the first week in January.
- Sell 20 or more and you will win a \$20 Amazon gift card.
- Top sellers will win a Pizza Party for their classroom on a specific day.
- If you have any questions, please contact Erin Becker [ebecker@olvisitation.org](mailto:ebecker@olvisitation.org)

## CAFETERIA

**The cafeteria still needs more parent volunteers to serve lunch.** Serving time is 10:30-1:30. Must be Safe Parish trained and updated. Please go to the signup genius link and as always thank you for your support and time. <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C0F4DA4AE2CA7FC1-cafeteria>

## CANDY COLLECTION



Our 3<sup>rd</sup> grade Girl Scout troop will be collecting extra Halloween candy and donating it to Our Daily Bread food pantry. There will be boxes outside the main office door until **Thursday, 11/10** for your donations.

## GIRL SCOUTS

Girl Scouts Daddy Daughter Square Dance is this Friday, November 11<sup>th</sup>. Please see the attached flyer for details.

## CUB SCOUTS

Visitation scouting families enjoyed a fun October fishing and pumpkin carving party! Thank you to Kroger for donating the pumpkins! On **Veteran's Day, Friday, November 11th, 6:00pm-7:30pm**

at the Pavilion, Boy Scout & Cub Scout families are invited to attend an American Flag Retirement Ceremony. After the ceremony we'll make s'mores together! Do you have an American flag to properly retire? Call Jayne Laake @ 513-593-4465 or Kate Raterman @ 513-225-6481 for flag pickup.

### POINSETTIA SALE



Poinsettia Fundraiser: Order your Christmas Poinsettias today! Get into the Holiday Spirit this season by purchasing beautiful poinsettias! Great to give as gifts! Proceeds benefit the 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Washington DC Trip. An order form is attached. Orders and payment must be received by 11/30. This is not a school sponsored event.

### CHURCH CHATTER

The Divine Mercy Family of Parishes welcomes the Cincinnati Choral Society as they present an hour-long concert of sacred music on November 20, at 3:00 p.m. Please see the attached flyer.

### OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD – SHOEBOX GIFTS



Shoeboxes and packing instructions will be available to pick up in the Church Welcome Center beginning **November 5<sup>TH</sup> & 6<sup>TH</sup>**. Bring a box (or two) home, fill them up with items and bring them back to church the weekend of **November 12<sup>TH</sup> & 13<sup>TH</sup>** or during the week to the rectory but no later than Monday, November 14<sup>TH</sup> at noon.

You can also use your own shoeboxes, however, if you wrap them, wrap the top separately so they can be inspected along its journey without ruining the paper., if the lid is attached, please do not wrap it so it can't be opened.

Please remember to send a suggested donation of **\$10/box for shipping**. We will provide tracking labels for each box. Checks can be made payable to OLV. Did you know it costs \$13-\$20 to ship a care package to a college student in Columbus? These shoe box filled gifts go all over the world. Last year, our boxes went to children in the African countries of Namibia & Cote d'Ivoire.

Visit this site for helpful packing or to purchase your own label:

<https://www.samaritanspurse.org/operation-christmas-child/pack-a-shoe-box/>

For more information, contact Colleen Harmeyer at 227-4215.

### PTO and SPIRITWEAR

Spiritwear: You can shop online at [visispiritwear.weebly.com](http://visispiritwear.weebly.com). Any questions, please contact Nikki Niemann at 513-379-8478

### VAC

Important VAC Dates: 11/15 - VAC Meeting - 8:00PM - Pavilion

There will be a VAC meeting TUESDAY 11/15 at 8:00 PM in the Pavilion with elections. New faces always welcome and there will be some good food! PLEASE JOIN US!!

Visitation Vikings All-Sport Warm Up Shirt! - ROUND 2: Now that the days are getting cooler, Viking long sleeve orange warm up shirts are available to order. Last names can be added to the backs (included in cost). Parents are welcome to order a shirt as well or even kids not involved in sports! Be sure to complete a form for EACH shirt you are ordering.

Cost: \$20

Order form closes Nov 30th. All orders made after Nov 4 will be distributed in Dec.

[https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSfNXjpL\\_2zLK5DtizfQ5mYXf\\_2K0RQ-KK6tKU0C0wFu215DHg/viewform](https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSfNXjpL_2zLK5DtizfQ5mYXf_2K0RQ-KK6tKU0C0wFu215DHg/viewform)

### Winter Sign-ups

High School Boys Basketball: Sign-ups are still open and will continue to be open until high school basketball tryouts are over.

### HIGH SCHOOL NEWS

Elder High School: Please visit Elder's website for admissions information. [www.eldershs.org](http://www.eldershs.org)

LaSalle High School: Please visit LaSalle’s website for admissions information and important dates. <https://www.lasallehs.net/admissions>

Mercy McAuley High School: Please visit Mercy McAuley’s website for information about their upcoming events: Shadow Days, Parent night, etc. [www.mercymcauley.org](http://www.mercymcauley.org). Admissions application deadline is November 19.

Mount Notre Dame: Please visit Mount Notre Dame’s website for information about their upcoming events, Information Nights, and Application for Admission. <https://www.mndhs.org/>

Purcell Marian High School: Please visit Purcell Marian’s website for information about their upcoming events: Shadow Days and Open House. <https://www.purcellmarian.org/>

Saint Ursula Academy: Please visit our website for admissions information and dates. [www.saintursula.org/visit.aspx](http://www.saintursula.org/visit.aspx).

Seton High School: Please visit Seton’s website for admissions information. <https://www.setoncincinnati.org/admissions/>.

St. Xavier High School: Please visit St. Xavier’s website for their admissions information. <https://www.stxavier.org/admissions/admissions>

Ursuline Academy: Please visit our website for important dates for students applying to the Class of 2027. Click [here](#).

**OTHER NEWS**

The 2022 Train Display will be at Green Township Senior Center on November 19 & 20. Please see attached for information.

**VOLUNTEER SCHEDULE**

| Date  | Day | Playground Upper lot              | Playground Lower lot               | Lunchroom (wiping tables)        | Cafeteria (food service)               |
|-------|-----|-----------------------------------|------------------------------------|----------------------------------|--|
| 11/14 | M   | Jen Hehman<br>Elizabeth McPherson | Jessica Behler<br>Alex Coffaro     | Gina Osterbrock<br>Jamie Donovan | Bob Johnson<br>Kursten Kaiser          |
| 11/15 | T   | Kate Raterman<br>Danielle Hartoin | Dan Kaiser<br>Andrea Griffith      | Johnna Rowe<br>Angela Graman     | Sue Stautberg<br>Mary Holbrock         |
| 11/6  | W   | Erin Viltro                       | Kristina Kelley<br>Renaef Fishburn | LeighAnn Boehmer<br>Amy Fallaice | Brandon Rainier<br>Christie Klosterman |
| 11/17 | Th  | Amy Burns<br>Angela Born          | Amy Beitz<br>Maria Kersting        | Erin Lahni<br>Kristie Horn       | Daniel Schultz<br>Candi Fern           |
| 11/18 | F   | ----- NO SCHOOL -----             |                                    |                                  |  |

**LUNCH MENU FOR NOVEMBER 14-18**

Please note, due to manufacturer shortages, menu may change.

| Monday   | Tuesday   | Wednesday   | Thursday  | Friday    |
|--|---|---|---|-----------|
| -Chicken Nuggets (5)<br>-Dinner Roll<br>-Mac-n-Cheese<br>-Fruit<br>-Vegetable<br>-Milk | -Chili Cheese Hot Dog<br>- Tater Tots<br>- Chili & Shredded Cheese offered<br>-Fruit<br>-Vegetable<br>-Milk | - La Rosa’s Pizza (1 Slice)<br>Cheese or Pepperoni<br>-Fruit<br>-Vegetable<br>-Milk | -Hamburger or Cheeseburger<br>-Fries<br>-Pickles<br>-Fruit<br>-Vegetable<br>-Milk | NO SCHOOL |
| A La Carte   |   |   |   |           |
| -Chicken Nuggets-5   | -Hot Dog with chili & cheese on the side  | -La Rosa’s Pizza 1 Slice  | -Hamburger or Cheeseburger  |           |

Cash can be used for milk, snacks and ice cream. Assorted bagged snacks daily for \$.75. Ice cream for \$1.50. Milk and water for \$.50.

**To purchase the regular lunch or hot a la carte items, you must set up an account and order through <https://olvlunch.ahotlunch.com/login>. Regular lunch is \$4.00. Hot a la carte is \$2.00.**

If your student has an appointment and will not be here for lunch, please do not order a lunch for that day. If you did order a lunch and then your student leaves early for sickness or an appointment, please email Linda Good [lgood@olvisitation.org](mailto:lgood@olvisitation.org) so your account can be credited. Thank you.

### **GENERAL REMINDERS**

- If your child will be absent from school or tardy, a phone call is required by 8:30 a.m. The direct phone numbers to report a student absent or tardy are:  
**K-8: 347-2231**  
**Preschool: 347-4450**
- If your child needs to leave school early, a note written by a parent must be given to the student's homeroom teacher at the start of that same day.
- For school closings and delays due to inclement weather, Our Lady of the Visitation will follow Three Rivers Local School District.





## ***Buddy Card***<sup>®</sup>

All proceeds benefit:

**OUR LADY OF THE VISITATION SCHOOL**

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***\$150 Value - Just \$10!***

**Activate your Buddy Card  
at [mybuddycard.com](http://mybuddycard.com)**

14 offers on each Buddy Card  
"Buy any Large Pizza, get a  
Large Cheese Pizza FREE"

(offers valid for Dine In or Carry Out only and expire one year from activation)



# Buddy Card<sup>®</sup>

Seller's Name                      # of Cards Sold                      Money Owed (Cards sold X \$10)                      Money Received

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Girl Scouts

# DADDY

# daughter

## Square Dance

Friday - 11/11/22, 6:30PM - 9:00PM

— OLV Auditorium —

- Early Bird Tickets - **Purchase by 10/14: \$15**
- General Tickets - **Purchase by 11/4: \$20**
- Night Of (At the Door) Tickets  
**Purchase on 11/11: \$25**

**Pricing is for a Father/Daughter couple.  
\$5 extra per additional daughter**

- \* **Check** - Make payable to **Troop 4286**  
Send envelope into school with name of girl(s) and adult attending. Address to Sarah Reynolds, via Cora Reynolds/Ms. Fischesser or Greta Reynolds/Ms. Aug
- \* **Venmo** - **@Sarah-Reynolds-57**  
Put name of girl(s) and adult attending in memo.







**2022 OUR LADY OF VISITATION 8<sup>TH</sup> GRADE  
WASHINGTON, DC TRIP  
POINSETTIA SALE**

**PRICING**

|   |              |
|---|--------------|
| 4 ½” PINCHED 1 PLANT PER POT.....                 | \$ 6.50 EACH |
| Colors: Red, Pink, White                          |              |
| 6 ½” PINCHED 1 PLANT PER POT.....                 | \$11.50 EACH |
| Colors: Red, Marblestar, White, Pink, Winter Rose |              |
| 7” PINCHED 2 PLANTS PER POT.....                  | \$16.50 EACH |
| Colors: Red, White, Pink                          |              |
| 8 ” PINCHED 3 PLANTS PER POT.....                 | \$21.50 EACH |
| Colors: Red, Pink, White                          |              |
| 10” PINCHED 4 PLANTS PER POT.....                 | \$45.00 EACH |
| Colors: Red, Pink, White                          |              |

Send check or cash with your order through school to Mary Zimmer c/o Izzie Zimmer in Ms. Palicki’s homeroom or Venmo Mary Zimmer at Mary-Zimmer1 and include your order in the memo section.

**Orders and payment must be received by 11/30/2022**

**Poinsettia Pick-Up Date: Wednesday, December 7, 4:30 – 7:30 pm**

**Our Lady of Visitation (Pavilion)**

**This will be the ONLY pick-up time.**

All orders must be picked by each family during this time. No deliveries will be made.

Thank you for supporting the Our Lady of Visitation 8<sup>th</sup> Grade DC Trip. This sale will benefit individual students. Proceeds will be deposited into their individual accounts. Please be sure to add your favorite student on your order so they get credit. Or if you prefer, you can add it to the general fund.

\*\*This is not a school sponsored event.\*\*





join us  
Sacred Music Concert



NOVEMBER 20 | 3:00 PM

*The Solemnity of Christ the King*

OUR LADY OF THE VISITATION CHURCH, 3172 SOUTH ROAD

*The Divine Mercy Family of Parishes welcomes the Cincinnati Choral Society as they present an hour-long concert of Sacred Music. The concert will feature John Rutter's Requiem, a musical setting of texts from the Requiem Mass as well as English settings of Psalms 23 and 130.*

*Come and experience a true sense of beauty and serenity created by Rutter's splendid scoring for choir and chamber ensemble.*



THIS PERFORMANCE IS SPONSORED BY  
THE DIVINE MERCY FAMILY OF PARISHES

THE EVENT IS FREE OF CHARGE  
NO TICKETS ARE REQUIRED  
FREE WILL OFFERINGS GRATEFULLY ACCEPTED





# How to Pack Your Shoebox Gift

As you prayerfully prepare to pack your shoebox gift, please remember that your shoebox gift will be an expression of God's love to a child. In fact, it may be the only gift the child receives. So, plan to pack quality items that will last, **and don't forget to make it FUN!**

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## SHOEBOX

Get a standard size shoebox to pack for a boy or girl. Need shoeboxes? Great preprinted boxes are available on our website.



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## PRAY

Most importantly, **pray** for the child who will receive your gift. Include a personal note and photo to delight the heart of the child.



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## "WOW" ITEM

Select a quality **"wow"** toy such as a doll, soccer ball with pump, or stuffed animal to bless a child.



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## DONATE \$10 PER BOX

A donation of **\$10** per box is critical to cover shipping and other project costs. For easiest processing you can give online. If you use our **Follow Your Box** feature online, you can also discover the destination of your shoebox!



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## OTHER GIFTS

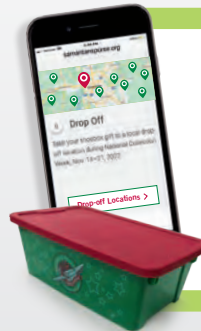
Pack full with other fun toys, hygiene items, and school supplies.



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## DROP OFF

Take your shoebox gift to a local drop-off location during **National Collection Week, the third week in November**. Visit our website to find one near you.



[SAMARITANSPURSE.ORG/OCC](http://SAMARITANSPURSE.ORG/OCC)

Nov 5 & 6 - Pick up a box after mass

Nov 12 & 13 - bring your packed box( do not wrap shut)

\$10 donation/box suggested; cash or check to OLV

Questions contact Colleen Harmeyer 513-227-4215





# Shoebox Gift Suggestions

## "WOW" ITEM

- Soccer ball with pump
- Doll
- Stuffed animal
- Shoes



## TOYS

- Toy cars
- Jump ropes
- Yo-yos
- Toys that light up and make noise (with extra batteries)



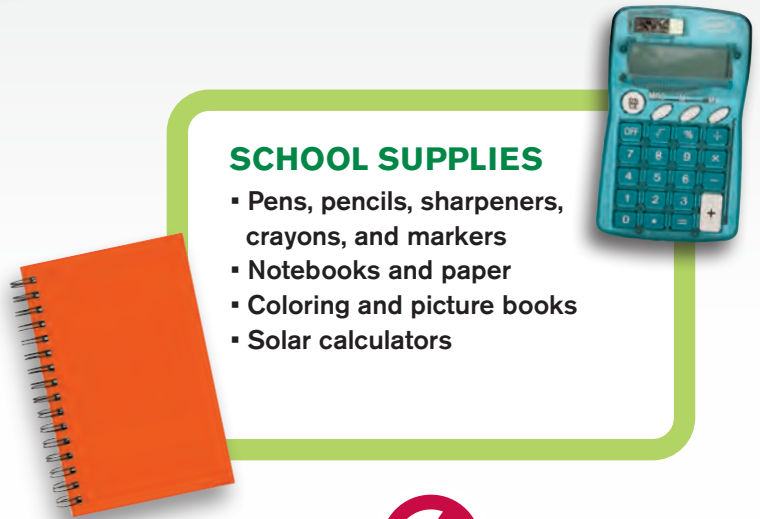
## PERSONAL CARE ITEMS

- Toothbrushes
- Washcloths
- Combs
- Hairbrushes



## SCHOOL SUPPLIES

- Pens, pencils, sharpeners, crayons, and markers
- Notebooks and paper
- Coloring and picture books
- Solar calculators



## ACCESSORIES

- Socks
- Sunglasses
- Jewelry and watches
- Flashlights (with extra batteries)



## DO NOT INCLUDE

candy; toothpaste; gum; used or damaged items; scary or war-related items; seeds; food; liquids or lotions; medications or vitamins; breakable items or glass containers; aerosol cans

**GOOD NEWS. GREAT JOY.**

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# GREEN TOWNSHIP

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*Ohio*

## 2022 Train Display Show at Green Township Senior Center

**WHEN:** November 19 & 20

**WHERE:** 3620 Epley Road

**TIME:** Saturday 12-6 PM

Sunday 12-5 PM

**ADMISSION:** Free—canned  
good donations appreciated for  
Sissy's Pantry



Preserving the Tradition of Model Railroading