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Holy Family, believing that each student is a child of God, challenges each to embrace the Gospel message,

to achieve academic excellence and to make a difference in the world.

August 6, 2021

Dear Parent/Guardian,

We have had a few changes to our staff this week. Mrs. Farmer will now be serving as a substitute in our HFS kitchen and Ms. Vicky Maracle will be joining our team as head chef. Ms. Maracle comes to us with 15 years of experience in a school kitchen. She is the grandmother of a new Second Grade student. We are so happy to have both talented chefs and look forward to the delicious aroma to fill the cafeteria once again! We have also had a change in our Fourth Grade. Ms. Elmer has accepted a position closer to her home. We are so thankful for the year she had with us and wish her many blessings at her new school. We have filled this position and will be sending out more information early next week to allow this teacher to have closure with her current place of employment. We are also excited to announce that Mr. Bret Panter will be our Physical Education teacher. Mr. Panter comes to us with five years experience teaching both in California and in Chicago, as well as being a personal trainer. Welcome to our Panther Family!

We have received a delivery date for our school supplies from our PTO Fundraiser. We will have the boxes sorted and ready to pick up in St. Joseph Center on Wednesday, August 18th from 6:00pm - 6:30pm or during our Ice Cream Social from 1pm - 3pm on Thursday, August 19th.

Spiritwear is now available on our website, www.hfsgb.org. Orders placed by THIS SUNDAY, August 15, will be delivered to the school on Friday, August 27th. All orders will need to be placed by the first of the month for delivery by the 15th of that month. We will celebrate Spirit Day the first Friday of each month.

SAVE THE DATE!

Aug. 18 - New Family Welcome Meeting 6:00 p.m. - 6:30 p.m. in the St. Joseph Center

This meeting is for all parents and students new to Holy Family. Please arrive by 5:50 p.m. We would like to have the students meet with their tour guides and begin at 6:00 p.m. with the parents. Masks will be required for all in attendance.

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Aug. 19 - PTO Ice Cream Social, Drop off School Supplies, Meet your Teachers 1:00-3:00 p.m.

We are excited to meet with you! Masks will be required for all those inside the school building. We will hold the Ice Cream Social outside in the St. Joseph Center parking lot. Orders for Spirit Wear will be available as well as new items to be viewed. Orders placed will be delivered to school by September 15th.

HFS SPORTS UPDATE

A text message with a form was sent out to families this afternoon to help us prepare for the 2021 Fall Sports Season. All athletes MUST HAVE a current physical on file to attend their first practice - no exceptions. Please plan on dropping off your child(ren)'s physical form(s) during the PTO Ice Cream Social/Drop off Supplies & Meet Your Teacher on Thursday, August 19th from 1:00pm - 3:00pm.

Here is a look at the tentative plans:

7th/8th TACKLE FOOTBALL

Head Coach: John Danaho - Email: gianni4905@yahoo.com

7/8 Grade Football Athletic Director: Tim Jamison - Email: goblue33104@yahoo.com

Practices will be held at Powers Catholic High School.

OPTIONAL CONDITIONING SESSIONS: 4:00 - 5:45 @ Powers Catholic High School

- These conditioning sessions are important to preparing for a successful season. While optional, we hope that all interested players will attend as many or all of the sessions as they can.

- Monday, August 16th
- Tuesday, August 17th
- Wednesday, August 18th
- Thursday, August 19th
- Friday, August 20th

FIRST MANDATORY PRACTICE:

• Monday, August 23 - 4:00-5:45 pm @ Powers – Must bring sports physical or tryout card to first official practice to participate. If bringing an actual physical, a copy will be shared with each student's home school.

Games will be held on Wednesdays at 5:30pm. FIRST GAME WILL BE SEPTEMBER 8TH!

Game Schedule:

8-Sep Chesaning

15-Sep New Lothrop

22-Sep Montrose

29-Sep Durand

6-Oct Bye

13-Oct Bye

21-Oct Mt. Morris

*Home games are highlighted and will be played at Powers Catholic High School.

Team will consist of all GCCS players.

FOOTBALL EQUIPMENT DISTRIBUTED TO PLAYERS: August 16th from 5-7pm OR Aug. 19th from 6-8pm at ST.PIUS X - Community Room, Flint

7th/8th CHEERLEADING

Practice: Wed., August 25 2:45pm - 4:00pm outside (Music Room for inclement weather)

GIRLS' BASKETBALL 7th/8th Grade

Practices: Wed., Aug. 25 and Thursday, Aug. 26 from 2:45pm - 4:00pm

5th/6th Grade

Practices: Wed., Sept. 1 and Thursday, Sept. 2 from 2:45pm - 4:00pm

5th/6th FLAG FOOTBALL (ALL boys and girls are welcome to play!)

Practices: Wed., Sept. 1 and Thursday, Sept. 2 from 6:00pm - 7:30pm

Games are played on Sundays.

Once games begin, practices are held one hour before games. (No weekday practices once games begin.)

4th - 8th CROSS COUNTRY

Practices: Fri., Sept. 10 and Mon., Sept. 13 from 2:45pm - 4:00pm

Runners are to be picked up in the upper parking lot by the flagpole at the end of practices.

God bless,

Mrs. Theresa Purcell, Principal

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