From the Desk of Ms. Miller:

Don’t forget that permission slips for All Schools Mass at Notre Dame are due tomorrow. These went home in the communication envelope last week.
Remember that students are expected to wear their Mass uniforms on this day. Queen of Peace sweatshirts are not permitted at Mass. If the students need something to wear, please send them with a sweater or a dress jacket to wear with their uniforms. Fourth graders should come to school dressed in their Saint costumes and bring a change of clothes.

Fall Break is next Friday, October 25th and Monday, the 28th. School will not be in session these two days.

The Sunday of Fall Break is the Queen of Peace Trunk or Treat event. Please consider donating your time. Many volunteers are needed. Middle School students are welcome to help run the games. Please sign-up for this through SignUp Genius on the Queen of Peace website.

Another fun fall event at Queen of Peace is the Annual Holiday Bazaar. We are searching for volunteers for this event as well. The organizers are looking for help setting up right after school, Friday, November 8th and to serve food on Saturday during the bazaar. If Middle School students are interested in volunteering they can see Mrs. Ann-Marie Kankel. All 8th Graders are required to work for their Confirmation Service project. Food donations are also being accepted for the Holiday Bazaar. There are opportunities to sign up through SignUp Genius on the Queen of Peace website as well.

There are two special evening Masses coming up on October 22nd and October 29th. The 22nd is the Elizabeth Ministries Memorial Mass. This Mass is being said for anyone affected by the loss of a child through an unexpected death or miscarriage. The second Mass is the Annual Vincentians Mass. This Mass is being celebrated by Bishop Kevin Rhoades. All are welcome to attend both Masses.

Last weekend at Mass, Father discussed the possibility of changing the times Mass is celebrated at Queen of Peace. Please complete a short survey regarding Mass times through the big red button on the Queen of Peace homepage.

This weekend after all Masses: DC300 tickets for sale; Used Uniform Sale; Family and Confirmation Enrollment (9:30am Mass only)
Greetings Queen of Peace families,

We are definitely having our fall weather now! As Notre Dame continues onward to victory!

Don’t forget to come by the Trunk-or-Treat on Saturday, October 27th 3pm-5pm. HASA will have a trunk open and ready to hand out candy.

We are less than a month away from HASA’s Fall Book fair! November 7-16 are the dates the Scholastic Arctic Adventure Book fair will be at our school. Look for a sign-up genius to come out soon, inviting you to help staff our fair. The hours normally run during the school day, during the Holiday Bazaar and after mass on Sunday.

A sincere THANK YOU to everyone who has participated in volunteering for our HASA Notre Dame apparel booth, we are doing well so far this year! It should be our best year yet with the addition of the booth upstairs. As Notre Dame continues onward to victory!

“Someone is sitting in the shade today because someone planted a tree a long time ago.” Warren Buffet

Enjoy your weekend!
Carrie Crosbie, HASA President

ELIZABETH MINISTRY

Miscarriage, Infant and Child loss Memorial Mass
At
Queen of Peace Catholic Church October 22nd at 7:00 pm

Elizabeth Ministry is a response to the needs of women and their families during the childbearing years.

We celebrate the gift of each child conceived and born.

We Mourn each miscarriage, abortion, stillbirth, and infant or child death. We treasure the gift of fertility.

We support those suffering infertility.

We encourage those in the adoptive process.

We assist families experiencing an infant or child crisis or special need.

Even if you have not had a personal experience with loss, please come and show your support and love for those who have, by gathering in prayer. Everyone is welcome!

SCRIP PROGRAM IMPORTANT UPDATE

We have many SCRIP cards in inventory that will continue to be sold until they are depleted. All scrip of choice vouchers will be honored until all stock is sold.

We appreciate the support you have given to the SCRIP program. All families that utilized this program in a substantial way for tuition credit will be considered for future tuition assistance awards. A special thank you to all of the volunteers who have contributed to the success of this program over the years including Mrs. Libby Banta who balanced and maintained the inventory of the program for many years as well as Mrs. Susan Johnson who was responsible for bringing the SCRIP program to Queen of Peace.

HOLIDAY BAZAAR

Volunteers needed for Friday, Nov. 8th

Help setting up from 3-6:30pm.

2 adults to greet vendors and direct them to their tables from 6:30-8:30pm.

Volunteers needed for Saturday, Nov. 9th

6 adults (2 in each time slot) to do 2 hour shifts selling 50/50 raffle tickets starting at 9am, 11am and 1pm

2 adults to direct vendors to their parking area from 7:15 to 8:30am

Raffle tickets will be available in the Gathering Space, after all Masses, or at the Church Office, during the week, starting October 12th and will be on sale at the Bazaar until 3pm the day of the Bazaar. The minimum prize is $250.

Donations of Chili, 12 packs of cans of soda (all kinds), Hot Dogs, Hot Dog buns, potato chips and Oyster crackers – there will be signup sheets in the Gathering Space starting October 12th and on the Church website in Signup Genius starting October 12th.

Questions, contact Ed or Carol Gill at qp19bazaar@gmail.com.
HASA
USED UNIFORM SALE
October 19 & 20
Held in the gym after all Masses

Uniform items are just $2 each or bring in your gently used, uniforms for trade. Only uniform items that are in good condition to be resold will be accepted. Items stained or faded will not be accepted and returned to you.

Thank you in advance for looking over your used uniform before bringing it to trade.

After October 31 students can no longer wear shorts.
Come shop and stock up on pants for winter!