



April 8, 2019

Dear Parents,

Happy Spring! I am sure we are all happy to see Spring. We can all enjoy this Spring - like weather. Summer Uniforms begin on Monday, April 15<sup>th</sup>.

As Lent comes to a close, we approach the holiest days of our liturgical year. Holy Week is the final week of Lent. It commemorates the events of Our Lord's last week before His death. The chief festivals of Holy Week are Palm Sunday, Holy Thursday, Good Friday, and the Easter Vigil on Holy Saturday. Holy Week, together with Easter, is the most sacred part of our Church calendar - - the celebration of the death and resurrection of Jesus Christ, the Lamb of God who takes away the sins of the world. I hope these coming weeks are a time of great peace and joy for you and your family. Happy Easter!

Our fifth grade students will present the "Living Stations of the Cross" at Queen of Peace Church on Friday, April 19<sup>th</sup> in the evening at 7pm. Our school family will attend "Stations" on Monday afternoon, April 15<sup>th</sup>. I am sure everyone will agree that the children will do a fabulous job! Don't miss our choir, dancers, and Musical accompaniment which will enhance this performance. We are grateful to all the teachers who helped the students prepare. I have been told this is the 36<sup>th</sup> year for this Sacred Holy Week tradition. May it continue for many more years.

Congratulations, to our second grade students who received their First Penance on March 30<sup>th</sup>. We continue to pray for them as they prepare for First Holy Communion.

We also congratulate all of our students who participated in the Archdiocesan Music Festivals through the year

Our students will perform *Aladdin, Jr.* The performances are Friday, April 26<sup>th</sup> at 12:30 and 7:00 PM and on Saturday at 3 and 7 PM. Hope to see you there! The children are enjoying getting ready for this performance.

God Bless you and your family this Easter Season!

Sincerely,  
Sister Helen



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