Weekday . . . News and Notes

St. Gabriel School .....April 12, 2018

New 2018-2019 St. Gabriel School Year Calendar at a Glance!

2018 - 2019 School Year Calendar at a glance

This link will take you to the new 2018-19 St. Gabriel school year basic calendar at a glance. It has school start and end dates, no-school dates (holidays, teacher in-services), MAP testing dates, and Kdg Orientation and Screening dates.

PLEASE NOTE: The first day of school is a regular full day of school on August 21. Buses will be running on this day and all days forward, hot lunch will be served, and students must be in uniform. There is no pre-set-up day.

Kindergarten, Jr Kindergarten and new transfer students will have their special orientation on Monday August 20, as noted on the above Calendar at a Glance link.

By the end of this school year we will also have other important parent-need-to-know dates on the Parent Calendar on the school website, such as beginning year orientation nights, picture day, music programs, PTU events, and more.

ST. GABRIEL PTU WALKATHON 2018: X-STREAM Center of Innovation
Volunteer at the Walkathon

Thank you for volunteering for Walkathon!

This year's event involves three time periods:

- Thursday, May 17, 4:00 pm -7:00 pm: Set up
- Friday, May 18, 7:30 am - 11:00 am: During event
- Friday, May 18, late morning, 11:00 am - 2:00 pm: After event/Lunch

Please note the following leaders who will be assisting each team:
Volunteer Check In: Jodi Blankenship & Carissa Sharpe
Set Up the night prior: Nicole Cassidy, Ricci Vuyancih, Monica Stark
Games: Katy Moran, Joy Lepa & Amy Marsh
Water: Mary Pat Snyder & Christie Rozman
Clean Up: EVERYONE
Thank you Team: Kate Kelly
Food Pantry Delivery: Kirk Henrikson

This community builder is the best, because of volunteers like you making it fun and full of positive energy! Thank you for your help!

VOLUNTEER

Friday, May 18, 2018, is our school's 12th Annual Walkathon for Catholic Education. On this day, the entire St. Gabriel School community will walk for one hour on our Parish and School grounds.

The money raised will be used toward the

Maker Space Make Over:
X-STREAM Center of Innovation
It is our sincere hope that with your generous donations we will be able to:

- Transform four small spaces (Room 100, the GBN room, the Maker Space room, and a storage area) into one X-STREAM Center of Innovation space for our students' project-based learning that will encompass Science, Technology, Religion, Engineering, Art, and Math. Construction will be a major cost of this project.
- Purchase new equipment for our X-STREAM Center of Innovation, depending on available post-construction funds. This may include advanced 3D printers, laser cutters, computerized sewing machines, robotics and other STREAM oriented equipment that will take our students and their projects to a whole new level of STREAM learning!

SPONSORS WILL RECEIVE ACKNOWLEDGEMENT AT THE FOLLOWING DONATION LEVELS:

PLATINUM LEVEL: $1000 or more
Have your business' name on a sign that is beside the Innovation Center.

Plus all of the Gold Level items.

GOLD LEVEL: [$ 500-$999]

- * Name/logo on event t-shirt
- Name listed on school website
- Name listed in school newsletter
- Name listed on Walkathon event banner

SILVER LEVEL: [$300-$499]

- Name listed on school website
- Name listed in school newsletter
- Name listed on Walkathon event banner

BRONZE LEVEL:[$150-$299]

- Name listed in school newsletter
- Name listed on Walkathon event banner

ONLINE DONATION

Walkathon Donations – Remaining Unclaimed Funds

The Walkathon Committee has received numerous donations that did not list a family name to credit the donation to. Do you recognize any of the following donor names?

Lake Orthopaedic Associates, Inc.
Mark & Bernadette McClain

As of 4/12/2017, we have received donations totaling **$40,510**!

Walk-a-thon Online Donations

If you recognize any of the listed donor names as someone that you mailed a sponsor letter to, could you please contact Michelle Clarke @ Michelle.Clarke@st-gabrielschool.org so that your family will receive the proper credit. Thank you!

Walkathon Logo Winner - Congratulations!

Congratulations to Rhea Sahoo, grade 7! Her design will be used for the official 2018 Walkathon logo! Way to go! This year's Walkathon will go directly to the student's learning as we build an ***X-STREAM Center of Innovation*** for hands on, project based learning! Help us with this goal by donating online today: www.st-gabrielschool.org. Thank you for your support!

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Submitting School News, Memos and Information

One Stop Shopping...

UPGRADED School Website
St. Gabriel School-- home page

Parent/Student Info--tab for all information--You will find the following drop down menu selection

- Office Information
- Online Calendar ONLY
- CYO Athletics & Clubs
- After School Care
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- PTU / Craft Boutique Info.
- Hot Lunch Program
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NEW TEACHER WEBSITES:
St. Gabriel School-- go to home page

- **From Home Page Select icon to *Teacher Webpages*, Select *Grade*, Select *Teacher***
- **Can also be found under *Academics* Tab at top**

St. Gabriel Church

TWITTER

FACEBOOK

Volunteer - SIGN Up Genius

Please note that some tabs are still being updated for the new year.
Thank you for your patience.

Flyers in the Foyer

- Concord Youth Baseball League
- Infant Formula Research Study
- Lake Metroparks - 7th grade youth boating program **- NEW**
- Geauga Lyric Theater Summer Workshops **- NEW**
- Concord Girls Softball
- Mentor Baseball Ohio
- Mentor Girls Softball League
- Right Fit Alterations
- Lake Catholic - Speed, Strength & Agility Clinic
- Chess Club Tournaments
- 2017.18 Winter Class Registration - Geauga Lyric Theater
- Box Tops Sheet

If you would like any one of these flyers sent home with your child, please email Michelle Clarke at: Michelle.Clarke@st-gabrielschool.org

Rescheduled 2017.18 COSI

COSI day is Thursday, May 31st All Day
Set up is Wednesday, May 30th 4-8PM

Volunteers are needed please click on button below to volunteer. Thank you!

Volunteer HERE

Support 8th Grade Field Trip - Chipotle Fundraiser

We are so excited to be able to fundraise with Chipotle for our 8th graders' class trips.

Save the Date and DON'T COOK on **April 17th**. Help support our 8th grades and get them a few more dollars to offset the cost of the trips.

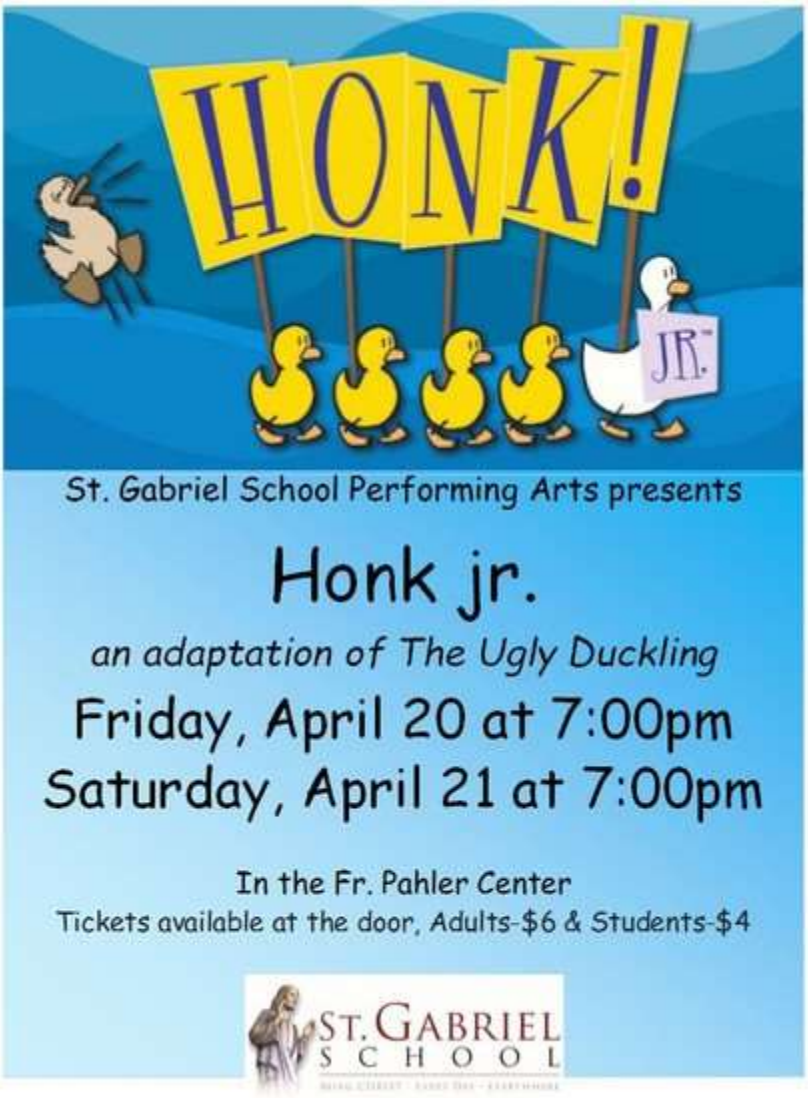
SCHOOL SPIRIT TASTES GREAT

Make dinner a selfless act by joining us for a fundraiser to support St. Gabriel School. Come in to the Chipotle at **9188 Mentor Ave.** in Mentor on **Tuesday, April 17th** between **5:00pm** and **9:00pm**. Bring in this flyer, show it on your smartphone or tell the cashier you're supporting the cause to make sure that 50% of the proceeds will be donated to St. Gabriel School.

CHIPOTLE
MEXICAN GRILL

Online orders will not be included in the fundraiser total. To ensure your purchase is counted in the fundraiser, be sure to order and pay in-restaurant. Gift card purchases during fundraisers do not count towards total donated sales, but purchases made with an existing gift card will count.

St. Gabriel Performing Arts



Summer Art Camp

Summer Camp Registration Information and Form
June 11-14
_____ ***Morning***
Art Explorer Camp!

TIME: 9am – 12pm (healthy snack included)
GRADES: 2-8

COST: $150 Teachers: Mrs. Delventhal & Señora Thomson

New art skills and emerging Spanish language will develop as we explore all types of materials to create unique summer-fun-themed projects. Emphasis will be on artistic expression as we create a range of projects such as custom paper-mâché pinatas, printed t-shirts & totes (heat press), masks, clay sea life sculptures, and much more! There will be time every day for children to explore their creativity and build upon their foundation in Spanish language and culture.

(Make it a full day and add on Writing Camp - take $10 off each camp!)

Afternoon
Creative Writing Camp!

TIME: 12pm - 3pm (healthy snack included)
GRADES: 4-8
COST: $120 Teacher: Mrs Beth Paskey

Young writers workshop focuses on using informal and expressive writing as a way to strengthen skills of writing and editing. Engage in a variety of creative writing activities, meet some new friends, and publish your own book. Campers will receive a book of their writing when we return to school in August.

July 23-26 _____

Morning
Adventure ART Camp!

TIME: 8:30 am – 11 am (healthy snack included)
GRADES: K-2 (space is limited)
COST: $150 Teacher: Mrs. Delventhal

Kindergarteners to second graders will find themselves in castles and fortresses in far away lands as they create crowns, shields, wands, capes and everything else a super-hero could need. Art projects will be open-ended and will include sensory experiences and creative play. Your camper will come away with new skills and an emerging creative language.

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Out of this World Art & Innovator Camp!

TIME: 12 pm - 3 pm (healthy snack included)
GRADES: 3-8
COST: $150 Teachers: Mrs. Delventhal & Mrs. Horne

Countdown is on as we explore Aerospace science while we assemble jet packs, build & test rockets, create art using projectile motion and more. Through the process of exploring materials, building skills, making mistakes, and envisioning solutions, your child will be taught to work and think like an ARTIST/INNOVATOR. Whether painting, gluing, building or sizing, they will use their hands and their imagination to find unique STEAM solutions to create their art projects. Collaboration will be facilitated by helping campers learn to speak about their art and the art of their peers in a positive, encouraging, and thought-provoking way.

PE Mini Camps - Grizzly Games

PE Mini Camps Registration Form

P.E. Mini-Camp

Spring Sessions

"CUP STACKING/ FITNESS RELAYS"	**"GRIZZLY TEA GAMES"**
NEW! **Improves student hand/eye coordination, social skills, coordination, creativity, physical fitness...MORE! AND it's just plain fun!! We have over 2000 colorful cups to build, stack, and use for team relays.** ------------------- April. 16, 18, 19, 20, 2018 Mon., Weds., Thurs., Fri. 2:30-3:45 Open to grades K-3	**Basketball, Kickb Soccer, Floor Hock Wall Ball, Color T Hula Huts, Great W China, Sharks & Swimmers Tag ...M** ----------------- April 30 - May 3, 2018 Mon.-Thurs. 2:30-3:45 Open to grades 2-5

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_____Miss Boucher, I am interested in one or both of the spring ses Please send a registration home with my child. ($48 one session, $8 both)

Childs Name_______________________Grade____Teacher_____________ _

OR full registration forms are located in the St. Gabriel School Of online. Hurry, space is limited!
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FROM THE CAFETERIA

April Menu

FROM CYO
CYO Sports Registration Link

CYO Sports Registration

Catholic Youth Organization (CYO)

St. Gabriel's CYO consists of many sports programs. These include:
Football, Cross Country, Volleyball, Basketball, Wrestling, Soccer, Baseball, Fast Pitch Softball, Track, **Cheer.**
Watch for announcements for sign-ups, or check out the CYO Grizzly website:
CYO GRIZZLY WEBSITE: www.st-gabrielcyo.org
For more information contact: Mike Pecjak, CYO Athletic Director, at grizzlycyoad@gmail.com.

FROM THE PARISH

Please support St. Gabriel Church Mission Trip

Our St. Gabriel Church Mission Trip fundraiser is getting started!

Can we count on your support? **Yes, you can count on me!**

Here's what's going on:

We are excited to be partnered with Dean's Greenhouse this spring in an effort to raise money for our organization. We receive proceeds from every sale and these high quality, locally grown flowers and vegetables. They also make great gifts for your friends and family in the area. Brighten up their day by sending them a hanging basket of flat of annuals with a message from you.

Thanks for your consideration.

Anna Lee

VIEW OUR FUNDRAISER

Festival Announcment

Do you have an old working refrigerator you would like moved? The Festival team can help you with that! We will pick up refrigerators that are in good working order. Email Roland at amyandro@sbcglobal.net. Your donation is tax deductible!

KINGDOM CAMP REGISTRATION FOR 6TH-8TH GRADERS IS NOW OPEN!

2018 St. Gabriel Kingdom Camp

June 11-15

"We'll Rise Victorious"

Kingdom Kamp Brochure

Kingdom Kamp Registration

We are limited to 80 Campers – register today – a $100 deposit will hold your spot!

Cost of Camp is $205 - Families with more than one Camper, cost for each additional Camper is $175

We have a great week planned and hope that you can join us!

Kingdom Camp is an exciting one-week day camp experience for current 6th-8th grade students. Every day brings a new adventure and opportunity!

Monday (9am-3:15pm) is Community Building Day at the Perry Outdoor Y! Come join us for swimming, GPS Safari Adventure with Lake Metroparks and many other outdoor games and activities.

Tuesday (9am-3pm) is Service Day with Deepwood, Altercare & a St. Gabriel project with Fr. Jeremy!

Wednesday (9am-4:30pm) is Spiritual Day as we travel to St. Paul's Shrine in downtown Cleveland, the West Side Market and Our Lady of Lourdes Shrine in Euclid

Thursday (9am-9pm) is Cedar Point Day

Friday (11am-4pm) closes out our week at Pioneer Waterland!

Questions? Please call
Veronica Huber 440-867-1077 or vhuber@st-gabriel.org or
Paula Haumesser at 440-354-7551 or phaumesser@st-gabriel.org

Bereavement Gathering

Growing Through Grief

Six Week Support Group Tuesdays, 7-8:30pm:

March 6th · March 13 · March 20 · March 27 · April 3 · April 10.

The last session ends with a "Seeds of Hope" program and dinner on April 17th

Where: School Building: Religious Education Office, St. Gabriel

St Gabriel's Bereavement Ministry provides a spiritual and safe environment where adults who are grieving the death of a loved one can gather. By telling their story and listening to others, participants gain a clearer understanding of their grief and are affirmed in their experiences. Group facilitators are present to companion the bereaved as they integrate loss into their lives.

Please contact coordinator Eileen Rigler at arigler1@oh.rr.com for details or to join a session.

St-Gabriel.org | 440-352-8282

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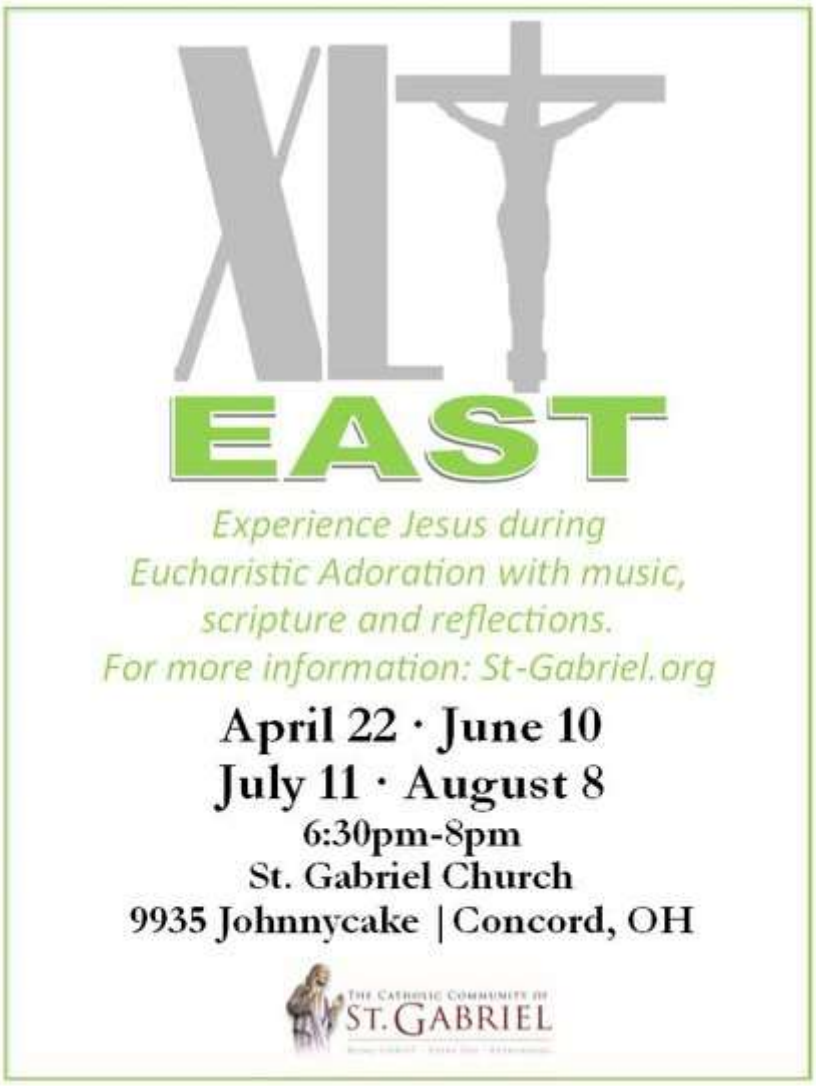


Mission Movie with Fr. Jeremy for Mission Trip

MOVIE NIGHT

Support High School Mission Trip'18

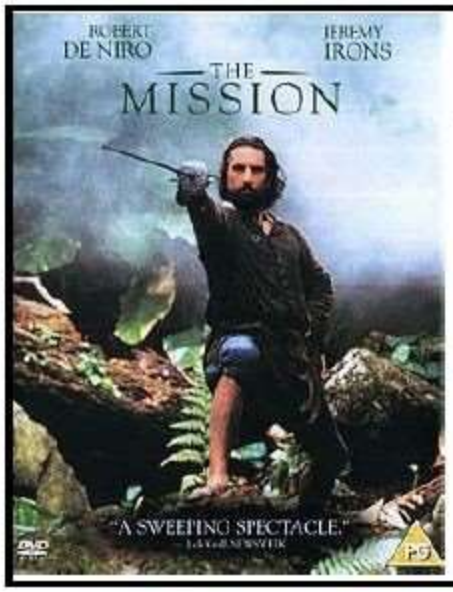
The Catholic Community of St. Gabriel

Being Christ · Every Day · Everywhere

Sunday April 29, 7pm

Mentor Atlas Theater-Great Lakes Mall

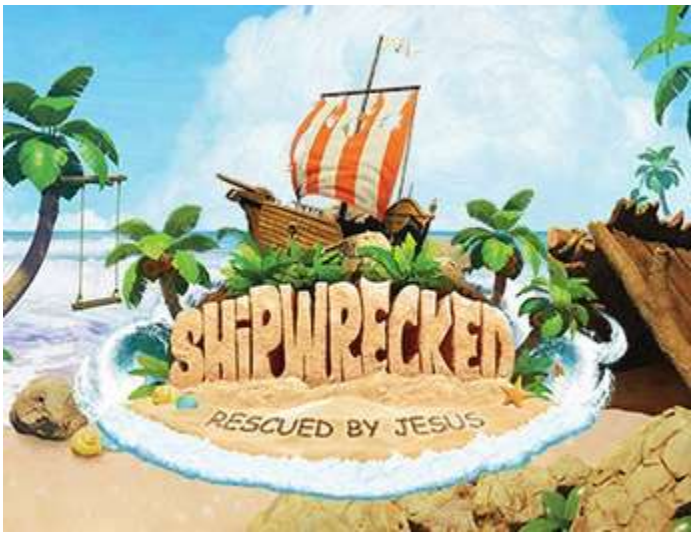
$10 per ticket; $20 with popcorn and drink



The Movie: The Mission

Jesuit priest Father Gabriel (Jeremy Irons) enters the Guarani lands in South America with the purpose of converting the natives to Christianity. He soon builds a mission, where he is joined by Rodrigo Mendoza (Robert De Niro), a reformed slave trader seeking redemption. When a treaty transfers the land from Spain to Portugal, the Portuguese government wants to capture the natives for slave labor. Mendoza and Gabriel resolve to defend the mission, but disagree on how to accomplish the task. Rated PG.

VBS



Vacation Bible School 2018
June 18 to 22—9 am to 12:30 pm

Student and Adult Volunteers– You can sign up now!

Participating children—registration opens January 21 at 8 am

Both participating children and student volunteer openings fill up
PLEASE Don't Wait!

All information for both volunteering and attending are available on our website.

JESUS RESCUES!!

Gift Cards - shop and pay for tuition at the same time!

Submitting School News, Memos, and Information

If you wish to have something included in the Weekend Virtual Back (VB) or the Weekday News and Notes, or any of our shorter email memos, please contact our Communications Coordinator, Michelle Clarke, at **michelle.clarke@st-gabrielschool.org.** All items must be approved and follow our policies. Thank you!!