

Weekly Newsletter

May 9, 2017

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Wednesday 5/10/17	Thursday 5/11/17	Friday 5/12/17	Saturday 5/13/17	Sunday 5/14/17	Monday 5/15/17	Tuesday 5/16/17
B Day	C Day	D Day		5th Sunday of Easter	E Day	A Day
	May Pro- cession 1:15	European Market- place! Trenton Thunder			NED's Kindness Adventure Assembly GrK-5	QU Confirmation 6PM

A Note from the Principals

Dear Parents and Guardians,

The Week Ahead

All are welcome to our May Procession which will be held this Thursday at 1:15 P.M. If you plan to attend, please park in the lot closest to the Parish Center or behind the school. The main lot will be closed off as the prayer service concludes in front of the grotto.

Also this week: Mother's Day Flower Sale, European Marketplace, and Trenton Thunder. The 8th Grade Carwash, set for this Saturday, has been canceled.

Information Sessions

Catholic Social Services will be hosting two information sessions for those who are struggling with a loved one's addiction.

May 18- Information and Resources for loved ones struggling with another's addiction – will be held at Fatima Catholic Outreach Center, Bensalem.

June 29- Information on Addiction and Narcan – at St Francis-St Joseph Auditorium, Bensalem.

For more information, see the flyers on the website.

Have a great week!



God Bless our Mothers!

Mrs. Robinson

Mrs. Haggerty



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Home and School News

Mother's Day Flower Sale

May 11 and 12
\$2.00 per flower

Spirit Wear

Show your school pride at the Trenton Thunder game with Holy Family Spirit Wear! Select items are available – contact Amy Naylor at amynaylor601@gmail.com

Ice Cream Social

Save the date for May 19 for Ice Cream and Movie night!

Details will be coming.



Have an item for the newsletter?

Email your information to:

Kara Haggerty—kara.haggerty@hfrcs.org
by noon on Monday.

Please put in the subject line of your email
NEWSLETTER

Upcoming EVENTS

- May 11—May Procession
Flower Sale**
- May 12—Trenton Thunder
European Marketplace
Flower Sale**
- May 14—Happy Mother's Day**
- May 16—QU Confirmation 6 PM**
- May 18—Celebration of the Arts/Concert—7PM**



- May 23—DARE Graduation 7PM**
- May 24—8th Grade NYC Trip**
- May 25—Ascension Thursday Mass 9:30**
- May 26—NO SCHOOL, School holiday**
- May 29—NO SCHOOL, Memorial Day**

Visit the Website

hfrcs.org

Brian David Memorial Golf Tournament

Friday, June 9, 2017

Northampton Valley Country Club
Needed:

Golfers, Hole Sponsors, Baskets!!!

11:00 Registration
12:00 Lunch
1:00 Shot Gun Start
6:00 Dinner
\$135/per player

All Proceeds benefit HFRCS

We appreciate your support!
For more information and to register, visit:
bfdmemorial.wixsite.com/tournament

The 6th Grade Presents: **THE EUROPEAN MARKETPLACE**

Please come and visit...

When: **Friday, May 12th**

Time: Grades K-8 will visit at their specified time

Where: Nazareth Hall

A sample of countries across Europe will be present. Come and learn about them.

Many things will be available:

Food
Souvenirs
Raffles
Games
Music

Please bring in your change for a good cause*. Items will cost between 10 cents and 1 dollar.



*The 6th Grade Class will be donating the money to two good causes. The first is Alex's Lemonade Stand, which aids in fighting childhood cancer. The second is the Holy Family Fund, which aids in enriching our classrooms with needed items to ensure that we are on the cutting edge of education.



Help Support H.F.R.C.S. and the Brian F. David Memorial Golf Tournament by purchasing a



Sweet Spot

Only \$1.00 for a Sweet Spot! Donut Holes. Perfect morning or mid-day snack for yourself, friend, mom, dad, teacher or just anyone.

Hole in One!

We will be selling Sweet Spot Hole in One Donuts from May 15th until May 26th.

The Brian F. David Memorial Golf Tournament is an annual event held in memory of Brian David, who tragically lost his life in an auto accident in 2014 at the age of 24. To celebrate his life and his love for the game of golf, relatives and friends organized a golf tournament to be held on his birthday.

To honor his memory and to support HFRCS, we encourage everyone to participate.

To learn more about the Brian David Golf Tournament please go to

bfdmemorial.wixsite.com/tournament





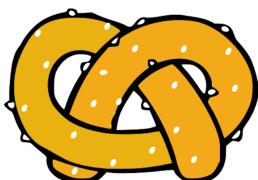
Holy Family Spirit Day is Friday,
June 9th

Be on the lookout for an email
which will include the link for
ordering this year's Spirit Day
shirt!



Last lunch order for the year!
Order form and menu are on the
School website!

Orders are due May 17th!



Pretzel forms are also
on the website!
Next order due by
May 19th!



May Procession Prayer Service
and Crowning

Procession begins at 1:00 in the parking
lot and the students will process into
church where the prayer service will begin
at 1:15.

Crowning Ceremony will be at the grotto.
All are welcome!

Win a Beach House for a Week!



**Win a beach house in Brigantine, NJ for one week
August 19—August 26**

**Single Family Home, 3 bedrooms,
3 blocks from the beach
Large fenced-in grass backyard
Deck on the front
Beach tags included!**

**1 Ticket for \$10.00
3 Tickets for \$25.00**

**Tickets Available at all school lunches,
at front office, send in your money with your child in
an envelope marked "Beach House Raffle"
After all Masses at both QU and SFC
At both rectories
WINNER WILL BE PICKED JUNE 12th**



Thank you to all of our parents and especially our Home and School Association for all of the kind gestures extended to our teachers for Teacher Appreciation Week! We are grateful for the many treats, cards and expressions of appreciation that were shown to all of our teachers and staff during the week.

We felt special and we thank you!



Parents,

If your child is on medication that is given to them during school hours, please personally drop that medicine off with either Mrs. St. John in the main office or give it to the RN directly. Do not send them in with your child. Some of these medicines are controlled substances and, for safety reasons, should only be handled by an adult.

Also, physical forms are due for students in grades **Kindergarten and 6th**. Students who do not have their forms in by **May 17th**, will be seen by the school doctor.

Thank you,
Holy Family Nurses



Congratulations

Congratulations to our Third Grade Students who have received the Sacrament of First Eucharist

April 30, 2017 at St. Frances Cabrini:

Keegan Johnson, Christopher Kane, Brianna Moore, Deanna Porter, Sean Snyder

May 6, 2017 at Queen of the Universe:

Nicholas Affleck, Brian Baill, Grace Bilardo, Sophia Bux, Monica Kadlec, Lucille Knowlden, Michelle Leahy, Rachel Leffler, Luke Manning, Lucy Martell, Owen May, Kevin McCann, Destinee Nyenuh, Chase Pannone, Kristin Pham, Nicoletta Perotti, Isabella Petrillo, Ryan Rivells, Kenzie Thompson, Kayla Tiberti, Austin Tvarok, Peyton York, Mia Zettlemoyer

May 7, 2017 at St. Frances Cabrini:

Dominic DiLoreto, Ethan Finley-Dawes, Brianna O'Neill

Looking for a great summer camp? Check out our Holy Family Summer Camp—**Camp Spirit!** Registration forms and all information can be found on our school website!



Conwell-Egan Catholic High School
Summer Sports Camps!

Boys and Girls Half-Day Summer
Soccer Camp

Monday, July 17—Friday, July 21

Boys Half-Day Summer Lacrosse Camp

Monday, July 24—Friday, July 28

Registration forms can be found on the school website under the Parent tab, FORMS.



**CYO Beef & Beer
To Benefit
Diane Wallick**

Helping One of our Own

Friday, May 12th

Diane Wallick, our CYO President, has selflessly devoted countless hours to the CYO Programs of HFR and QU. After giving so much of herself to others, we have an opportunity to give back. Diane is currently battling cancer and her family could use some assistance.

St. Frances Cabrini gym

**7:00—11:00 P.M.
Tickets \$30 in advance, \$35 at the door
Dinner, beer, set ups and dessert
50/50, Door prizes and Basket Raffles
More information on our school website!**

Congratulations, Lindsey Davies, St. Hubert's Class of 2019, HFRCS Class of 2015!

Spring Awards
**CATHOLIC LEAGUE BASEBALL
PLAYER OF THE YEAR**
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**PUBLIC LEAGUE BASEBALL
PLAYER OF THE YEAR**
Nick Herrera, Frankford
A lot of reasons the Pioneers are the top Public League thus far, but according to coach Juan Namnun, Nick Herrera is having magical seasons. Herrera is more than holding his own of his three, maintaining a 2.73 ERA. He is better at 593 with 16 hits, scored and six are 91 and dropping their Father to Father.

COACH OF THE YEAR

Frankford isn't the most dominant team, but the nine straight wins they take better than much of that Namnun, who got their feet wet and the team, which is largely made up of underclassmen, learned how

to play games through non league schedule, which will be ready to face the toughest of competition when post season begins.

**CATHOLIC LEAGUE SOFTBALL
PLAYER OF THE YEAR**

Lindsey Davies, St. Hubert's
The Bambies had a better 2016 season than anyone anticipated when they advanced to the Catholic League championship. This year, they can no longer sneak up on anyone. The sophomore has been a force in the circle and at the plate. She is batting .472 with four extra base hits and 12 RBIs.

Her biggest contribution is with her arm. The young star maintains a 1.87 earned run average and has struck out 25 batters in 36 innings.

Davies gets the ball in Hubert's important games and she still has three shots at bringing a Catholic League

championship home to the Bambies.

**PUBLIC LEAGUE SOFTBALL
PLAYER OF THE YEAR**

Michelle Slaughter, Franklin Towne Charter
For the second year in a row, Michelle Slaughter is guiding the Franklin Towne Charter softball team to greatness.

Last year, her arm was a key reason the Coyotes won the Public League championship, and this year, she's back in the circle doing the same thing.

She's won all six of her games, maintains a 1.48 earned run average, and has held opponents to a .173 batting average.

She's just as productive at the plate, hitting .391 with nine RBIs and four stolen bases.

The crafty pitcher emerged as one of the best softball players in the Public League a season ago, and if the Coyotes defend their crown, they will do so on the strength of Slaughter's arm.

SOFTBALL COACH OF THE YEAR

Danielle Vittitow, Nazareth Academy

This was supposed to be a rebuilding year. This was supposed to be a year the Pandas got their feet wet and the team, which is largely made up of underclassmen, learned how



All-around athlete star, ranks No. 1 Davies has had success.

To play against the Academics League leagues in the area.

But Danielle Vittitow, Nazareth Academy and is a designated hitter seven of their first wins to a league foe.

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PARISH NEWS & EVENTS

SAINT FRANCES CABRINI PARISH

ANNUAL MAY PROCESSION



On Tuesday evening May 9th at 7:00 PM, the Saint Frances Cabrini Parish Community will be gathering for the Annual May Procession in honor of the Blessed Virgin Mary.

At this time, Saint Frances Cabrini Parish Community is especially inviting their students at Holy Family Regional Catholic School to join in this special evening. The Parish Community's Eighth graders are asked to wear their graduation gown, the Confirmation students are asked to wear their Confirmation robe, and the First Communion students are asked to wear their First Communion outfits and the fifth and seventh grade altar servers are asked to wear their alb. All other students are asked to join in the procession wearing their Holy Family Regional Catholic School winter uniform.



The annual May Procession provides a wonderful opportunity for all our parishioners to give public witness of our love and devotion to the Blessed Mother. Our Regional School students are all asked to join our Parish Religious Education Program students by gathering in the Father Laut School Building by 6:40 PM.

In the event of bad weather, we ask that you go directly to church, and follow the direction of the ushers.

SAINT FRANCES CABRINI PARISH COMMUNITY



POT OF GOLD WEEKLY LOTTERY PROGRAM

May 8, 2017

1 – 4 – 11 – 18 – 19

GRAND PRIZE WINNER

(NONE)

CONSOLATION PRIZE WINNER

2 @ \$500

WINNER
McGurrin
B Sincavage

SELLER
McGurrin
Ron Trojan

NEXT WEEK'S JACKPOT PRIZE

\$14,000

Thank you for participating in the Pot of Gold Program. For more information, contact the Rectory at 215-946-4040.

We are not responsible for typographical errors.

PARISH NEWS & EVENTS



Congratulations, Theresa Benoit, our recipient of the **Companions on the Journey Award**.

Theresa is an assistant in the Queen of the Universe youth ministry program. She was the youth minister at Immaculate Conception as well. Theresa teaches at Holy Family Regional Catholic School and Queen of the Universe PREP Program. She gives tirelessly of her time and talent.

The Companions on the Journey Award is the highest recognition from the National Federation of Catholic Youth Ministry (NFCYM) for a diocese to confer. The award recognizes excellence in youth ministry, commitment to ongoing education and formation, longevity in ministry, commitment to young people and outstanding leadership locally.

Congratulations! The recognition is well deserved!

Confirmation Practice

Queen of the Universe Confirmation Practice will be Thursday, May 11th for all Queen of the Universe students being confirmed. Students should report to the Large Hall at 5:50 p.m. We will begin promptly at 6.

Pickup is in the church at 8 p.m. Robes will be distributed this night. Sponsors do NOT need to attend.

GOD SAVED US THROUGH THE WATER OF REBIRTH AND RENEWAL BY THE HOLY SPIRIT. TITUS 3:5

CONFIRMATION



Queen of the Universe Parish
celebrates the
Sacrament of Confirmation
Tuesday, May 16th at 6:00 P.M.