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St. Edward on-the Lake
Catholic School

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Mission Statement

*We at St. Edward on-the-Lake Catholic School, work together with our families and community to create a Christ-centered environment which promotes Catholic faith formation, academic excellence, and personal development.
Our students will have the opportunity to become confident, independent thinkers, and life-long learners who are responsible to God, to themselves and to society.*

From the Principal's Desk

My Dear Parents,

I hope everyone had a very Merry Christmas and Happy New Year!

Next Friday, January 17th, is Records' Day for the staff. There will be no school for students.

Please be careful when dropping off and picking up students. Please look in every direction to make sure no child is by your car. Also, do not park in the drive way if you will be coming into the school. Thank you for helping to keep our children safe.

As you are aware, we get our lunches from Port Huron Schools. They charge us \$3.50 for every hot lunch and \$2.50 for any extra entrée. Milk is \$.50 for Kindergarten through 5th grade. This includes a second glass if the child would like it. There is no charge for preschool milk. When you receive your invoice from FACTS, they only state the charge as lunch. So... your child might only be getting milk but the invoice says lunch and we have no way to change it. Thanks for understanding. We will have another Jersey Mike's Day on Friday, January 24th. Envelops will be coming home sometime next week.

Some of our children are coming to school without hats and gloves. Please make sure your child is prepared to go outside. Also, it would be helpful if you could send an extra pair of gloves during snowy weather. That way your child will have dry gloves for second recess.

For this month's Stone Soup Drive, our school is being asked to donate: spaghetti noodles, spaghetti sauce, cereal, or canned tomatoes. Thank you for any help you can give.

Don't forget that the Lucky Stars ticket stubs and money have to be turned in to the school office no later than Friday, January 31st. The first drawing will be Monday, February 3, 2020. Drawings will be Monday through Friday during the month of February. If no number matches the midday drawing, a ticket will be drawn from the tickets turned in.

Catholic Schools' Week begins on Sunday, January 26th. The 11:30 Mass will be the Children's Mass with our students helping with all the jobs during Mass...Lectors, Servers, Ushers, Petitions, and Offertory. Permission slips for students who wish to be part of the Mass will be sent home next week. After Mass there will be an Open House in our school. Everyone is invited to come over to our school and see the great work that our students produce. The Open House will end at 2:00 p.m. During the week the children take part in many activities. Our fifth graders will be attending Mass in Detroit at Blessed Sacrament Cathedral on Thursday, January 30th. The celebrant will be Archbishop Vigneron.

Our NUT Award winners for the month of December are: Keegan—Kinder, Austin—1st, Justin—2nd, Joella—3rd, Luke—4th, and Gio—5th. Congratulations for being to school on time everyday last month. Each of these students will be able to choose a day this month to have free dress.

God Bless You and welcome to 2020!

Mrs. Appel