

THE GUARDIAN NEWSLETTER

JUNE 2018



"A spark of divine light is within each of us. -Pope Francis-

Class of
2018

CONGRATULATIONS

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Graduation is a time for looking back on lessons learned, adventures shared, bright movements filled with special meaning. It is a time to say goodbye to old friends, to good times you've known and packing away memories that are treasures for tomorrow. It is a time for looking forward, a time to set new goals, to dream new dreams, to try our wings as we see what lies beyond. Thank you for a great year!!

As our school year comes to an end, we want to say thank you to all of our students for making this a wonderful year. Parents, thank you for sharing your children with us. To our 8th graders, we wish you the best and look forward to hearing about your successes in high school. We hope everyone has a wonderful, safe, and relaxing summer. We will see everyone next school year.

~HTCS Administration~

WELCOME, NEW FAMILIES!

Welcome to Holy Trinity Catholic School!

We are excited that your family will be joining our school community! We hope this information will help you as you begin to think about the start of the 2018-2019 school year. We've created (GUARDIANS CONNECTS) a page on our website to help new families navigate the transition to Holy Trinity. Please visit our website: www.holytrinitycatholic.school

Don't forget to check us out on Facebook: <https://www.facebook.com/Holy-Trinity-Catholic-School-227129144301956/>

HTCS SCHOOL NEWS

REGISTRATIONS FOR THE 2018- 2019 SCHOOL YEAR!

Please share the good news about Holy Trinity Catholic School with your friends and family! We are accepting applications now for grades PreK-8 for the 2018-2019 school year. Applications are available in the school office and on the school website.

Reminder: Current families who have not complete registration please do so as soon as possible.

BUSINESS OFFICE REMINDERS:

If you would like to use a credit card to pay either Tuition or Fundraising for the remainder of the 2017-2018 school year, you may call or stop in the Business Office and Mrs. Crossman can accept your credit card payment.



FACTS TUITION PAYMENT PROGRAM

Holy Trinity is pleased to offer our families the FACTS Tuition Payment Plan by FACTS Management Company.

Using the FACTS payment plan you will be able to:

- Arrange one annual payment for total tuition less \$100.00 discount, due by September 30th (NO FEE)
- Arrange for Ten (10) monthly tuition payments beginning in July completed by April (\$50.00 FEE)
- Arrange for semi-annual tuition payments (\$20.00 FEE)

FACTS will allow you to make payment(s) by ACH Debit to your checking account, Credit Card, or send a check directly to FACTS. Simply go online and follow the easy steps to enroll in the convenient tuition plan. There is a fee with use of credit card.

The link for FACTS is: <https://online.factsmgt.com/signin/4KG9Q>

If you are an existing FACTS user, please Sign In and select the corresponding link to set up a payment plan or apply for financial aid.

If you are a new FACTS user, please create an online account and then select the corresponding link to set up a payment plan or apply for financial aid.

Please note this is the only way tuition can be paid *starting the 2018-2019 (July 1) school year.* Payments will NO longer be accepted by the school.

ALL FAMILIES MUST BE SIGNED UP FOR FACTS BY JUNE 20TH

HTCS SCHOOL NEWS CONT.

HTCS SUMMER OFFICE HOURS:

MONDAY—THURSDAY 9:00 A.M.—1:00 P.M. FRIDAY 9:00 A.M.—NOON

DUE TO LOW INTEREST IN SHOW CHOIR IT HAS BEEN CANCELED.

HTCS UPCOMING EVENTS/FUNDRAISERS:

Thursday, June 7 – Summer Scrip Sales begin – 4:30-5:30 P.M. at the Middle School

Monday, June 11 – Uniform Exchange - 5:00-6:30 P.M. Former St. Mary's School Bldg. Use 14th Street Entrance (door by the alley).

Wednesday, June 13 - **MATH IN FOCUS** - PARENT MEETING Grades K-6 at 6:00-8:00 P.M.
HTCS Hollidaysburg Campus – Parish Activity Center

HTCS SPECIAL CAMP 2018



ART



MUSIC



PHYSICAL EDUCATION

Grades K-8

July 16- 20

Holy Trinity Middle School

8:30-12:00

Cost \$75.00 per child

To register please email Mrs. Nicole Barrick by June 18th. You will receive an email with a registration form that will be due along with payment the day of the camp.

barrick.nicole@holyltrinitycatholic.school

HTCS SCHOOL NEWS CONT.

The goal of a virtuous life is to become like God.
-St. Gregory of Nyssa

We are reminded that a virtue is a way that we can grow strong in spirit. The more we practice the virtues, the stronger our souls become.

CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR MAY VIRTUE AWARD RECIPIENTS!

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Altoona Campus

McKenna Slep, Allison Walters, Landon Shellenberger, Calliope Ingham, Zachary Houghtaling, Lucas Farabaugh, Morgan Ebersole, Micah Claar, Rowan Craig, Max Burgmeier, Lilly Sapp, Lilly Butterbaugh, and Olivia Sapp

Hollidaysburg Campus

Kaley Misiura, Sydney Burns, Nicolas Georgiana, Sophia Noel, Declan Peterson, Connor Eberhart, Chase Strasser, Hailey DeGol, and Bailey Henry,

Middle School

Ben Dodson, Caitlin Conigy, Cristofer Diaz, Ava Taddei, Madison Trotter, and Camryn White

SERVICE HOURS

"The kingdom of heaven is like a treasure buried in a field, which a person finds and hides again, and out of joy goes and sells all that he has and buys that field."

Jesus is referring to the only type of treasure that matters: heavenly treasure. In a world of materialism, consumerism, and individualism in general, we have the responsibility and the privilege to show our students that the Good News of Jesus is the greatest treasure imaginable. What service opportunities can you encourage your children to participate in, so that they can better fathom that "it is more blessed to give than to receive" (Acts 20:35)?

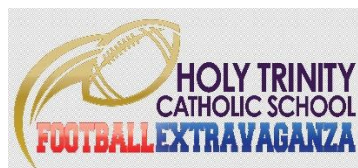
keep us posted!

We would love to hear from you over the summer. Send Miss Damiano your photos of you wearing your HTCS t-shirts on vacation (include where the photo was taken and one of a kind experiences too) Damiano.Cathy@holyltrinitycatholic.school We will share on our Facebook and Twitter! Look forward to hearing from you!

FUNDRAISING



Fundraising for the 2018-2019 School Year began May 1st. Get a jump start now by participating in the SCRIP program or selling NFL Extravaganza tickets.



Reminder:

If you are unable to sell tickets that you had ordered and received, please return them to the Middle School Office by **Wednesday, July 25, 2018**. This enables us to redistribute the remaining unsold tickets to the families who have sent in additional requests.

Sold ticket stubs are asked to be returned to the Middle School office **by Wednesday, July 25, 2018.**

If you would like tickets, please contact Ben Jones to be placed on the waiting list. Alto0162@hotmail.com

Time to schedule Bingo!

Now scheduling May - August

The 2018-2019 Fundraising Year is quickly approaching

IT'S TIME TO START THINKING ABOUT SCHEDULING YOUR ONE MANDATORY BINGO SHIFT.

Text Bob -
814-935-0528
and schedule today!

PLEASE CONTACT BOB KNOPIK BY TEXTING OR CALLING (TEXT PREFERRED), OR EMAIL RAK1290@ATLANTICBB.NET.



Check out our website as the spots fill up!

GO TO PARENTS - FUNDRAISING - BINGO AND WATCH AS SPOTS FILL UP FOR THE YEAR! SCHEDULE EARLY - SCHEDULING IS A FIRST-COME-FIRST SERVE BASIS.



THANK YOU to the parents, students, teachers, and staff that helped make the 2018 Yard Sale a huge success.

Thank you to all the families and friends who donated items to the yard sale.

Never too early to start saving for next year!!

A promotional poster for a piano event. The background is a blurred image of a field with a sunset or sunrise sky. The text is as follows:

Mark your calendar!

Dueling Piano's

— MUSIC & COMEDY —

Friday, September 14, 2018 | 6 p.m.
Railroaders Memorial Museum

REMEMBER:
\$5/ticket fundraising credit

Tickets:
\$25 per person
\$30 at the door

HTCS UPCOMING EVENTS:

SUMMER 2018

Movie Night - Mid July be watching for more information.

“SchoolCredits” EITC program

HTCS “SchoolCredits” EITC program enables families and other supports to direct their tax dollars to help keep tuition low. Please contact us for more information.

Through EITC contributions, HTCS was able to award students Financial Aid Scholarships during the 2017-2018 school year.

How does your business apply to participate in the EITC Program?

Businesses can apply for credits two ways:

- 1) directly from the State of Pennsylvania or
- 2) through a Special Purpose Entity. The business application guide explains the process of applying directly.

A business applies to participate by completing a simple one-page application form (Appendix 1-S0). The form **MUST BE COMPLETED ELECTRONICALLY** online through the Department of Community and Economic Development’s (“DCED”) website www.newpa.com. For further information or questions, you can reach DCED at (717)787-7120.

For more information locally contact JAdams@Bguilfoyle.org or jeffWilsonsales@gmail.com

Each child is a masterpiece of God, created with precision for a specific purpose.

Please help us strengthen our school and community by participating in the tax credit program.