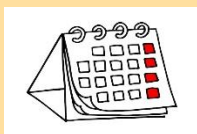


The Feast of St. Lucy December 13

Greetings St. Pius Tenth School Families!

There is a great deal of information in this week's communication, which is our **main tool for sharing information** with families. Therefore, we ask that you take the time to read it, in its entirety, to keep up with what is happening in our school. We will do our best to send text reminders for certain events, though that may not always be possible. Thank you in advance for your time and attention!



Please note the following important **calendar dates**:

Friday – Friday,		Christmas Recess December 22 – 29
Monday, January 1, 2024		New Year's Day No School
Tuesday, January 2		School Reopens
Friday, January 5	9:30 AM	School Liturgy
Monday, January 15		Martin Luther King, Jr. Day No School
Friday, January 26		End of 2 nd Quarter

REGISTRATION FOR THE 2024-2025 SCHOOL YEAR

Registration for the 2024-2025 School Year will be opening Friday, December 15, 2024. We will be sending home hard copies to current families. It will be open to current families only until Thursday, December 21, 2023, at which time we will open registration to all families. Please return your completed paperwork as soon as possible to guarantee enrollment.



The **school supply cart** is open for business.

Items include pencils, erasers, crayons, markers, paper, glue sticks, etc. Prices range from 10¢ to \$1.00.

The school supply cart is a way for the 5th Grade Class to raise funds to help offset the cost of their end of year field trip.

Save the Date St Patrick's Day Dance

Please save Sunday, March 3, 2024, from 1:00 PM – 3:00 PM for the St. Pius Tenth School St. Patrick's Day Dance. We will once again be in the Parish Center, and anyone who was at this year's dance will tell you how much fun it was!!

More information will follow in late January.

Please see the flyers in this week's communications for information on some wonderful opportunities:

St. Pius X Advent Babysitting Service

St. Pius X Welcome the Child Concert flyer

Diocesan Youth Night – Aquinas

Diocesan Youth Night – McQuaid

Have a Wonderful Rest of the Week!

St Pius X Advent Babysitting Service 2023

Mondays, **December 4, 11, and 18** (6:00 pm-7:30 pm) St Pius X Youth Ministry is delighted to offer free babysitting to your child(ren).

Who: child(ren) ages 2 to 12 (must be potty trained to take part)

What: children will make crafts, read Christmas stories, and maybe sing carols food, just 3 weeknights of faith & fun! Ideally, the children attend all three weeks to build community with each other but registering for one night is fine too. The bonus is meeting other members of the SPX community!



Where: St Pius X Parish Center

When: December 4, 11, and 18 (6:00 pm-7:30 pm)

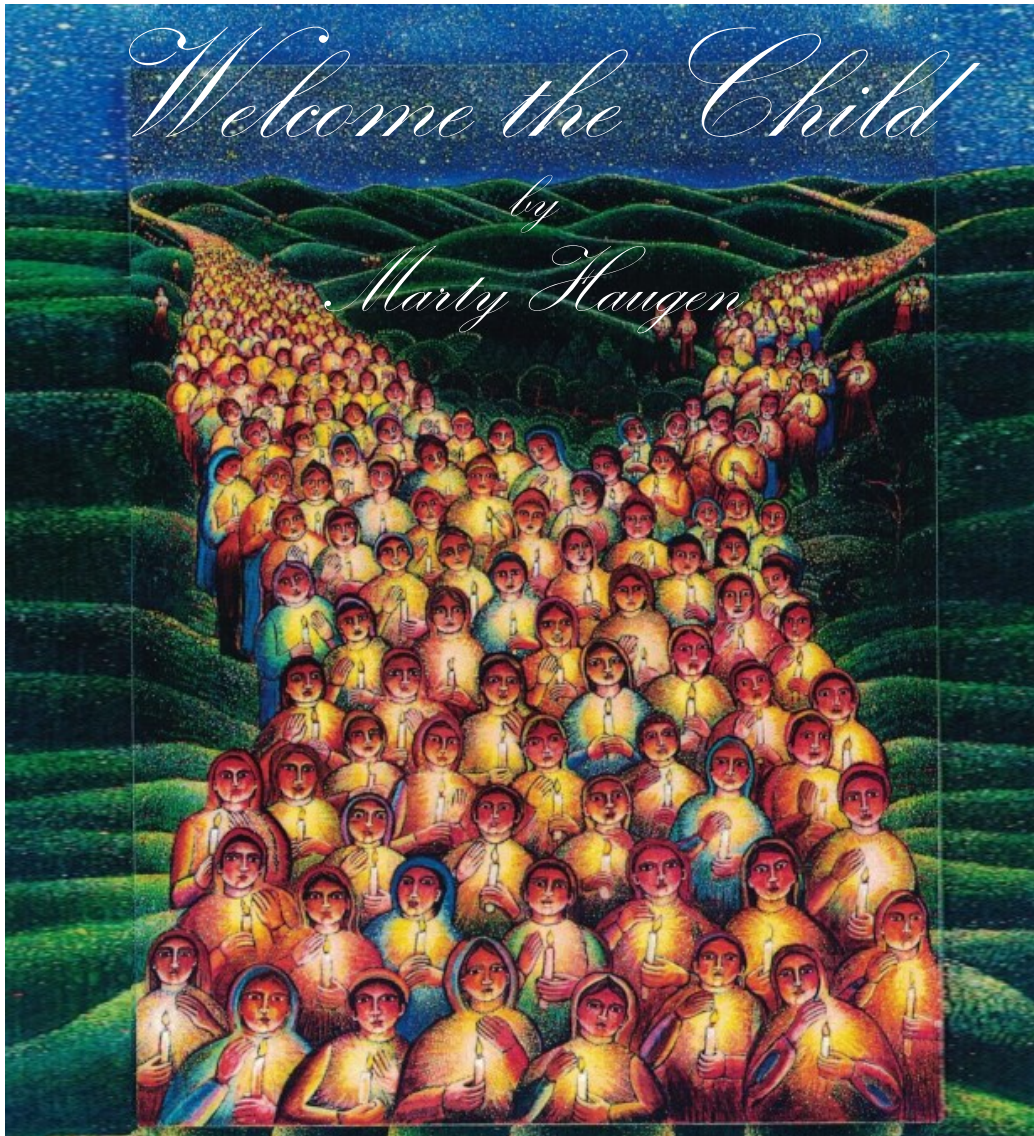
Why: so you can have a few moments to prepare for Jesus' Birthday. Whether these moments are to pray, shop, eat, sleep, or whatever you want to do it is a gift of peace and time for a few moments in preparation for the hope and joy of the Christmas Season.

How: Register at least a day in advance at:



Registering in advance is needed to ensure our adult-to-student ratio stays safe. Also, if anyone has any symptoms of any illness, we'd ask they wait until the next session. The one thing we don't want to share at Christmas is germs. :-)

Saint Pius X Church Presents:



This classic Christmas collection by renowned liturgical composer Marty Haugen is truly one of a kind, and a unique musical experience for the whole family.

3010 Chili Avenue, Rochester

Sunday, December 17th, 2023

3:00PM (Doors open 2:30)

Adult Choir—Children's Choir—Instrumental Ensemble

A reception will follow in our parish center.

THE AQUINAS INSTITUTE PRESENTS



FRIDAY, DEC 22

DIOCESAN

▫ YOUTH NIGHT ▫

AQUINAS **VS** MCQUAID

Aquinas Institute - Wegman Napier Gym

1127 Dewey Ave

JV @ 5:00 PM • Varsity @ 6:30 PM

Grades 3-8 • Family admission free

Complimentary hot dog & drink

T-shirts for the first 100 kids!



DIOCESAN YOUTH NIGHT @ MCQUAID

**WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 6TH
6:15 PM**

- GRADES 3-8
- PIZZA & SODA
- SPORTSMANSHIP
PRESENTATION BY COACH
TODD STEWART
- ON-COURT COMPETITION
DURING HALFTIME OF THE
VARSITY BASKETBALL GAME

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