

**"The higher we go,
the better we shall hear
the voice of Christ."**

Blessed Pier Giorgio Frassati

Geibel Gator Newsletter



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(Geibel Parent Society Your Guide to Everything Geibel Catholic)

We will have an initial meeting on Thursday, August 11th at 6:30pm, in the Cafeteria, to get ourselves gathered and explain the program in more details. If you are interested in joining this program, please call the Main Office at 724-628-5600 or email Heather Speeney at hspeney@gmail.com.

If you are a new family and have questions about the start of the school year, send them in to cnhernandez@geibelcatholic.org and we will get them answered for you by this new group!



For the first day of school, please send your children in with a couple of notebooks, pencils and pens. The teachers will provide supply lists, if any are needed.



PIAA Forms

A note from our Athletic Director, Coach Porter: All PIAA and CYO Physical forms for Fall Sports **MUST** be turned into the Main Office by **Monday, August 15th**. If they are not in, then your child will not be able to begin practices. The QR Code to the left can be used to download the PIAA Physical Form. to the right can be used to for CYO Forms



CYO Forms

Geibel Catholic Junior Senior High School has two part-time openings in our Cafeteria. We are looking for someone willing to work 15-20 hours per week. Job description and responsibilities are listed below. If you are interested in this position or know anyone that may be, please have them email tzyuka@geibelcatholic.org their resume and contact information.

Current Job Openings

Cafeteria Staff Job Description and Responsibilities

- Working with Cafeteria Supervisor to make sure preparations are being done to eliminate excessive food waste and cost, working towards a food loss of less than 2% daily.
- Daily cooking, grilling, or baking as needed by menu in coordination with cafeteria staff and Supervisor.
- Serving and line coordination for all daily lunches.
- Responsible for quality control of all food items being served to the students.
- Responsible for making sure the kitchen is always clean and inspection ready per required cleaning schedule.
- Responsible to follow all SERV Safe protocols for food safety.

Clearances found at <http://www.dioceseofgreensburg.org/about/pages/childservices.aspx> will be required.

Building Closed

Please note that Geibel Catholic's building will be closed to the public during the week of August 1st thru August 5th, due to deep cleaning and waxing of the floors.

Administration and Staff will still be reachable via phone, 724-628-5600 or by email. We look forward to sparkling floors to start our school year with all of your children's sparkling smiles!

CLASS SCHEDULE

Student's Class Schedules will be released during the week of August 15th. New Students may pick up their schedules during Back to School Information night, on Wednesday, August 17th. If you have any questions or would prefer to have it emailed to you, please contact Ms. Smith at jlsmith@geibelcatholic.org



There is a limited amount of 2021-2022 year books available for order still. If you forgot or weren't interested at the time, now is your chance to grab one while they last! Last day to order is Monday, August 1st. Ordering can be done online at the following link: <https://jostensyearbooks.com/?REF=A07142900>. Any questions, please reach out to Mr. Procko at sprocko@geibelcatholic.org.



Laptop Distribution Information

The IT department will be conducting Student laptop handouts on 8/9/22 and 8/17/22.

The handouts will occur in the Geibel Catholic cafeteria from 8:00AM to 3:00PM on Tuesday, August 9th and from 9:00AM to 4:00PM on Wednesday, August 17th.

Both the student and parent/guardian must be present

Parents must complete all forms listed under the Parent section on the link below. Students must also complete the Acceptable Use Policy form on the website. These forms are currently available to you by scanning the QR Code or using the link below:



<https://www.geibelcatholic.org/academics/Pages/technology.aspx>

Please complete all forms on the above link prior to your arrival in order to save time.

Parents and students can expect to spend up to 1 hour at the device handout. During this time they will go through a first time setup procedure and learn about some of the computer's functions as well as how to use important school resources.

Please use the below link to register for a distribution time slot:
<https://volunteersignup.org/MXXJP>

The student's name goes in for the "Volunteer Name" along with the parents email and phone number. Any questions, please call the Main Office at 724-628-5600.


We look forward to seeing you there!

Monthly Calendar of Events... to keep up to date, please visit our website :
<https://www.geibelcatholic.org/Lists/School%20Activities%20Calendar/calendar.aspx>

FACTS forms should be completed as soon as possible. If you need assistance or have any questions, please reach out to Mrs. Zylka at tzylka@geibelcatholic.org

Beginning of the Year forms will be completed on FinalForms this year. Please watch your inboxes for communication on how to use it. We look forward to helping make the year easier!

August 2022

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	1	2	3	4	5	6
7	8 Laptop handout for new students: 8-4pm	9	10	11	12	13
14	15 	16	17 Laptop handout: 9-5pm; Parent and/or Student BTSIN: 5:30-7:00pm	18	19	20
21	22 Teacher In Service	23 Teacher In Service	24 FIRST DAY OF SCHOOL!!	25	26	27
28	29	30 Boys Soccer-California TBD	31			

See the Newsletter for more information!

*Welcome
back to
School*

Lord our God, in your wisdom and love you surround us with the mysteries of the universe. Send your Spirit upon these students and fill them with your wisdom and blessings. Grant that they may devote themselves to their studies and draw ever closer to you, the source of all knowledge. We ask this through Christ our Lord. Amen.

Important Back to School Date Information:

August 9th: 8am to 4pm, will be New Student Laptop handouts for all new incoming students to Geibel Catholic. If you are not able to attend this date, the next date will be on **August 17th: 9am to 5pm**. **Students are required to be present for laptop pick ups.** Please be sure to look for additional emails on time slot sign ups to pick up your students laptop



The next important date for August is, **Wednesday, August 17th**. We will be hosting a Parent and/or Student Back to School Information Night from **5:30 to 7:00pm**, in the Cafeteria. During this evening, we will be covering and reviewing PowerSchool, Final Forms, Schoology, and College in High School Enrollment Information. This will be an information and question filled evening, that all of the Geibel Catholic School Family is encouraged to attend. We strongly suggest all new students to attend, as we will have a brief New Student Orientation.



Fr. John Moineau; Our Geibel Catholic School Family; the men and women serving our country; the Priests and Bishop of our Diocese. Have a prayer request? Call the Office, 724-628-5600 or email, cnhernandez@geibelcatholic.org

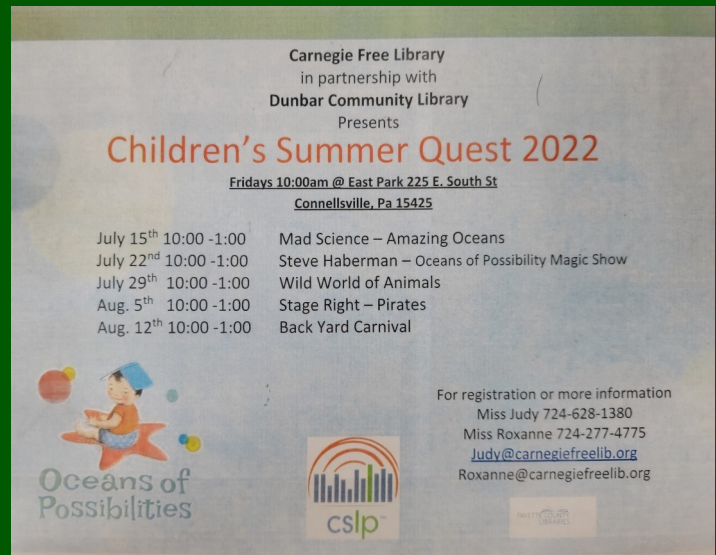
Service Hour Opportunities

This page will be used to communicate service hour opportunities within our Diocese and the local communities. If you or anyone that you know has an event and would like to advertise for volunteers, please send the information to cnhernandez@geibelcatholic.org

Carnegie Free Library in Partnership with Dunbar Community Library Presents: Children's Summer Quest 2022

They are currently looking for Ninth thru Twelfth Grade Student Volunteers to assist with this summer program. It starts on Friday, July 15th and runs for five weeks, until Friday, August 12th from 10am to 1pm. The location is East Park in Connellsville. See the flyer for all of the fun that will be had!

If you are able to arrive at 9am to set up, it would be appreciated and clean up would end by 2pm. Interested students need to contact Miss Judy at 724-628-1380, judy@carnegiefreelibrary.org, or Miss Roxanne at 724-277-4775, roxanne@carnegiefreelibrary.org



We would like to thank the student and adult volunteers that have come to help get our school ready for the next school year. They have all done a phenomenal job! If you are interested in coming to help make our school shine, please reach out to Mrs. McWilliams, dmcwilliams@geibelcatholic.org, Mrs. Hernandez, cnhernandez@geibelcatholic.org or by calling the Main Office, 724-628-5600.

For service hours at St. Pius and Visitation, Mt. Pleasant, we have the following opportunities:

Altar serving at our parishes – we are in desperate need of servers. Requirements are baptized Catholics who have celebrated first communion. We will train kids of all ages and abilities. Contact Christy at ccabaniss@dioceseofgreensburg.org

This fall we will have faith formation on Tuesday nights from 6 to 7:30, older kids (6th grade and up) are welcome to volunteer as classroom and hallway aides. Those interested can email Christy at ccabaniss@dioceseofgreensburg.org

The Holy Name Society will be having Omelet Breakfasts on Sunday, October 9 and Sunday, November 13. The point of contact is the president of the HNS, John DiPasquale and he can be reached at sdipasquale@zoominternet.net