

GEIBEL CATHOLIC NEWS

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Geibel Catholic's Mission

The mission of Geibel Catholic Junior-Senior High School is to achieve and sustain excellence in faith formation, academics and service.

GEIBEL CATHOLIC CALENDAR

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ATHLETIC CALENDAR

<u>HTTPS://WWW.GEIBELCATHOLIC.ORG/</u> LISTS/ATHLETICSCALENDAR/ <u>CALENDAR.ASPX</u>



"THE HIGHER WE GO, THE MORE WE CAN HEAR THE VOICE OF CHRIST" - BLESSED PIER GIORGIO FRASSATI

Online Attendance Form:

We now have an online attendance form, that can be utilized when your child is either absent, running late, or needs to have an early dismissal. It can be found on our website, by selecting MYGHS, Parents, and then under forms, it is called: Student Absences. It can also be found by click on the below link: <u>https://www.geibelcatholic.org/student-absences/</u>

Volunteer Opportunities:

As a reminder, all students are required to turn in a minimum of 24 service hours each year. As service opportunities are sent to Geibel Catholic, we will make them available to students. If you know of places that are in need of volunteers, please let us know & we will place it in the newsletter. Thanks!

The Historic Church of St. Peter & St. Cecilia are in need of student volunteers during their Fish Frys on Ash Wednesday & Friday's (except Good Friday) during Lent. The hours are 11:00am to 6:00pm. The location is St. Mary's Social Hall: 118 Church St, Brownsville, PA 15417. Questions contact: Kelly Startare at 724-785-7781

The Partner Parishes of St. John the Baptist, Scottdale and St.

Joseph, Everson will be holding their annual fish fry beginning on Feb. 14th and continuing every Friday except Good Friday from 11am-6pm in St. John's School Hall. Volunteers are needed after school (until about 7pm) to help serve food, clean tables, wash dishes and general clean up. If you need more information, please call the parish office at 724-887-6321.

St. Pius Fish Fry is looking for volunteers for their Lenten Fish Fries. Please use the below link to register:

https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C0B4EAEAE2BA3F4C25-47792459-fish#/

Returning Students 2024-2025 School Year

Please complete the link below to let us know if your child will or will not be returning to Geibel Catholic for the 2024-2025 School Year. This will help us to plan classes & ensure all students needs are met. Upon completion, please send to the Main Office \$50 for your child's registration fee. The fee will be credited on your 2024 -2025 School Year Tuition Bill. This link needs to be completed by March 15th, 2024. <u>https://forms.office.com/r/8YFTK0iA3x</u>

St. Joseph Donations:

In participation of the St. Joseph Altar Donations collection taking place across the Diocese of Greensburg, we are asking you to prayerfully consider donating any of the items listed below by Friday, March 15. All items will go to help those in most need in our Fayette and Westmoreland County communities. Please bring them into Geibel Catholic and put in the donation boxes located in our main lobby. For further information about the St. Joseph Pilgrimage, please see the attached flyers.

Thank you in advance for your donations and almsgiving during this season of Lent. May God bless you in your generosity!

"A generous person will prosper; whoever refreshes others will be refreshed." - Proverbs 11:25

Sports Booster Officers:

The Geibel Catholic Sports Boosters are proud to present our new officers:

Dave Waggett - President

Justin Kelly - Vice President

Michaela Gross - Secretary

Thank you to these officers who volunteered their time and ran unopposed for their respective offices, thereby granting them their seats. Please stay tuned for more information from our new officers which will come through our Geibel Gator Newsletter on how to join and support the booster club and our students of Geibel Catholic!

Paper Product Box (or donate \$200)	Cleaning Box (or donate \$150)	Breakfast Box (or donate \$100)	Pasta Dinner Box (or donate \$50)	Supermarket Gift Cards (or donate \$25)
Paper Plates Napkins Plastic Bowls Plastic Forks Plastic Knives Plastic Spoons Toilet Paper Paper Towels Solo Cups Garbage Bags Tissues Aluminum Foil Cling Wrap	Lysol Wipes Swiffer Starter Kit Swiffer Wipes Dish Soap Sponges Mop and Bucket Wood Cleaner Window Cleaner Paper Towels Toilet Brush Toilet Cleaner Hand-Held Vacuum Cleaner	Pancake Mix Muffin Mix Powdered Creamer Canned Fruit Regular Coffee Decaf Coffee Syrup Cereal Tea bags Sugar	Pasta Pasta Sauce Olive Oil Vinegar Croutons Crackers Pepperoni Shelf Stable Cheese Minced Garlic Canned Soup Canned Fruit Cookies	

Join the cast of Geibel's The Little Mermaid For an Ice Cream Social!

Sunday April 7th Choose 2:00 or 4:00 seating In Geibel's Cafeteria Meet the characters & get photos taken! Make your own Ice Cream Sundae bar included! **Tickets are \$10 each & can be purchased at the school or at

> Coffee at Crawford





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Receive 20% off everything online or by phone (excludes buy more and save pricing, embroidery and monogramming, gift boxing, gift cards, shipping, taxes, duties, Lands' End Business Outfitters purchases, and excluded items as marked). Discount will be applied at checkout. Free Shipping is based on order total after promotional discount has been applied. This offer has no cash value. Promotional savings may be deducted from returns. 5-7 business day delivery to most addresses. Free standard shipping is valid on orders of \$99 or more (after promotions and discounts are applied) shipped to US and Canada addresses only. Offer valid through 11:59 p.m. Central, February 23, 2024. Not valid on previous purchases or when combined with any other promotional offers.

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MARCH 12th, 2024 | 3:30 - 5:30 PM

FRED ROGERS — INSTITUTE — Saint Vincent College

Join us for the first-ever Fred Rogers Institute Community Open House! Drop in to enjoy a variety of activities suitable for all ages:

- A raffle with enticing baskets from local businesses.
- The heartwarming presence of Chili the Mini Horse from Chili Pepper Mini Horse Therapy.
- An exploration of cherished items from the Fred Rogers Archive.
- A special Fred-inspired exhibit in the McCarl Coverlet Gallery.



WHO:

All of our Neighbors! Kids and grown-ups alike.

WHERE:

300 Fraser Purchase Rd. Latrobe, PA 15650, USA

WHY:

We are grateful to be apart of this community. We want to get to know our neighbors and share our resources and our opportunities.

Looking for help with

Post-Secondary Planning?

Wondering where to turn or how to start?



Some questions you may have.....

two-year or a four-year college?
public or private institutions?

small colleges or large universities?
school in a small town or a large city?

near home or far away?
faith-based institution?

liberal arts education or career and technical training?

join the military or go directly into the workforce?

If you are looking for help in any of these areas, Mrs. Susan Custer is the Intermediate Unit 1 Counselor at Geibel Catholic and she is ready to assist you.

Career Exploration

College Applications

FAFSA Direction A place to sort through all the questions

Scholarship Information

Resume Writing

Please email Susan.Custer@iul.org or talk with Ms. Smith to request a parental consent form which provides authorization to meet with Mrs. Custer to discuss post-secondary planning.