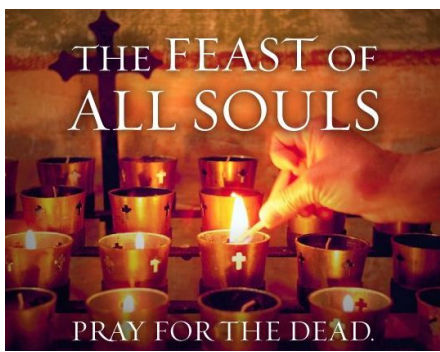




Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon them. May the souls of the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace. Amen.



November 2, 2016

Dear Parents,

Yesterday we celebrated All Saints Day, a Holy Day of Obligation. We celebrated all those who have entered heaven, known and unknown. Today we celebrate All Souls Day. This is a great description from Catholic Encyclopedia:

"The basis for the feast is the doctrine that the souls which, on departing from the body, are not perfectly cleansed from venial sins, or have not fully atoned for past transgressions, are debarred from the Beatific Vision, and that the faithful on earth can help them by prayers, almsdeeds and especially by the sacrifice of the Mass."

This is a great opportunity for us to take time out of our busy schedules to visit and pray for loved ones in cemeteries. It is a great reminder of our short time here on earth, as we strive to attain eternal life.

Mr. Linder
Principal

Thank you Mr. Franklin!

Before last Friday's Mass, students received their school jackets that were donated by Mr. Bob Franklin. We cannot thank Mr. Franklin enough for his generous gift.



Classroom Curriculum News



Mrs. Lopshire - Preschool:

What a great Halloween Party! A special thanks to Traci DeMoss, April Flynn, Tiffany Martinez, Cassy McCord, and Julie Larimore for helping at the party. Between getting decorations made, the class still had time to do counting lessons with a Halloween theme and learn a new song. Later in the morning, students went to the church to get a picture with Mr. Franklin, who donated the school jackets. Our trip to the church was the first time for some students to be inside our Payne Church. From the BOTTOM OF OUR HEARTS THANK YOU BOB FRANKLIN for our awesome jackets!

Miss Kaufman - Kindergarten:

This past week in phonics we focused on the letter "M," while the week prior we talked about the letter "N." We discussed the similarities and differences between the two letters, such as how they look when we write them as well as the sounds they make. Because both the M and N sound much the same, Blaize reminded us that the best way to figure out what letter is being said is to look at our mouths. The way to tell the difference is that your mouth is open when you make the "N" sound and closed when you make the "M" sound.



Miss Kuhlman - 1 & 2:

Once again, Mr. Patrick Troyer of Paulding Soil and Water came to visit kindergarten, first, and second grades. He presented information about frogs, including their life cycle and habitat. The children pretended they were frogs and hopped around the "pond" to pick up cards with their "tongues". The cards represented food, shelter, water, and space. They weren't allowed to use their hands, and they had to hop like frogs. The highlight of the presentation was watching a short video of a toad capturing bugs with his tongue. Did you know frogs and toads use their eyes to help swallow?



Mrs. Gideon - 3 & 4:

The third and fourth graders are hard at work on their Health Webquest. Here is a picture of the children doing research on food groups. I am very proud of how the fourth graders are teaching the 3rd graders all about how to look for information, copy and paste into a word document, rewrite information in their own words, and save to their flash drives.



5th & 6th Grade:

Students have been learning about renewable and nonrenewable sources of energy in science class and how it is important to conserve the Earth's natural resources and be a good steward. In this photo, students are taking a quiz using the website kahoot.it. Students answer questions as they appear on the smartboard using the onscreen prompts on their iPads, this allows for instant feedback over the answers and helps explain why a certain answer is either right or wrong.

Mrs. Gerardot - 2, 4, & 6 Reading:

Last week 4th grade read a story about an athlete that had to have his legs amputated at a young age due to an illness. They learned that with hard work and determination you can be a Paralympic or Olympic athlete.



National Vocation Awareness Week will be celebrated in our country November 6-12, 2016.

On Wednesday, November 9th,

there will be a Holy Hour for Vocations at the Paulding church from 7-8 PM.

Please strongly consider taking your child to this amazing opportunity to pray before the Lord!



Michele Daeger has found a great opportunity to raise money for uniforms for the girls' school basketball team. A

business from Convoy, D's on Main Street, will donate all money from aluminum cans collected for the month of November. Cans can be placed in a garbage bag and dropped off to school, or Michele Daeger's house. Please contact the school or Michele (419-203-4334) form more information. Thanks Michele!

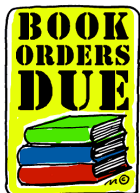


Don't forget to set your clocks back 1 hour. The time change goes into effect at 2:00 AM on Sunday, November 6th.



Just a reminder that we are planning a special Veterans Day Mass on Friday, November 11th, at 11:00 in the Payne church.

Immediately following Mass the students will present a short program in the hall. Veterans are invited to be our guest for lunch. Chicken and noodles, mashed potatoes, green beans, and a dinner roll will be served for lunch.



November Scholastic book orders must be received by Monday, November 7th.



The pie count is up to **977** apple pies!!!

The lists of workers for the week of November 8-11th and Saturday November

12th are included in this Wednesday's Envelope and attached to the weekly email. We are hoping to be done the evening of the 11th (we were done Thursday evening last year), if that is the case we will notify the Friday workers

Don't forget that the pies must be picked up at the Payne Hall on Saturday, November 12th, from 10 a.m. – 5 p.m.



Parent-Teacher Conferences

Parent-teacher conferences will be held on Wednesday, November 16th,

from 3:30 p.m. to 6:30 p.m. Conferences are also offered on Thursday, November 17th, from 3:30 p.m. to 6:30 p.m.

Conference papers were due back to school by today. If you haven't sent this back to school yet, please do so teachers can send home a confirmation slip concerning your conference time.

Upcoming Dates:

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| Nov 3-4 | NO SCHOOL - Wayne Trace has conferences |
| Fri 11/11 | Veteran's Day Mass @ 11:00 directly followed by a short program and lunch for veterans and students |
| Sat 11/12 | Apple Pie assembly day and pickup |
| Nov 15-18 | Fall Scholastic Book Fair |
| Wed 11/16 | Book Fair Guest Lunch |
| Nov 16-17 | Parent Teacher Conferences |
| Thu 11/17 | - Christmas for Kids 7-9 am at school
- Mass @ 9:15
- Father teaching classes
- Thanksgiving meal for students |
| Fri 11/18 | 2-hr Delay - Teacher In-Service |
| Nov 23-25 | No School - Thanksgiving Break |
| Wed 11/30 | Midterm reports go home |



The Christmas for Kids donation barrel will be in the hallway

of the school beginning on Monday, November 14th, and ending on Thursday, November 17th. All donations of new toys, non-perishable food items, and monetary donations will benefit kids in Paulding County.