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Sunday's Gospel MT 18:21-35

Lord, if my brother sins
against me,
how often must I forgive?

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September

18 – Virtus Training
20 – Spirit Wear Day
21 – PTC Meeting – 7:00
26 – JA Kickoff Day
29 – Walk-a-Thon

A MESSAGE FROM MRS. MEYMANN

Groundbreaking News!

Be sure to turn out in your St. John the Baptist spirit wear and be part of this weekend's special blessing and groundbreaking for the new parish church at 10010 Carolina Trace. Sunday's weather promises to be beautiful for the 3:00p.m. Ceremony, so bring the whole family and be a part of St. John the Baptist history! Parking and shuttle buses are available at *Minges Funeral Home, Harrison Building & Loan, Mercy Health Complex, Crossroad Health Center, and the Harrison Public Library.*

Thank you for the generous donations for the victims of Hurricane Harvey. *Matthew 25 Ministries* is happy to receive the bottled water, baby items, first aid, cleaning and toiletry items that have been brought in as families were called to help our brothers and sisters in Texas. Even though we are no longer collecting items for the victims, please continue keeping residents in Texas and Florida in your prayers as they struggle to return to damaged homes and begin rebuilding their communities.



The Annual Family Picnic at Strickers' Grove is a favorite event for students and their families and is just one week away. What a great evening for riding park rides and sharing a picnic dinner with friends and family! Picnic baskets and non-alcoholic beverages may be brought in to the park, or families may choose to purchase grilled items to support the 8th grade students as they fundraise for their spring trip to Washington D.C. The event is free, but dollar donations and canned goods are gladly accepted at the gates.

Please **continue to remind those picking up students to arrive between 3:20 and 3:28 p.m. and to park in the school parking lot.** Parents should be meeting students near the maintenance garage or waiting near their car, but there should be **NO DRIVING WHILE STUDENTS ARE TRAVELING** across the parking lot. If you are having your child meet you at a spot beyond our parking lot, please send in a note identifying who is picking up your child and where they should be met, since this is not our documented dismissal policy. Parents should be able to safely supervise students at all times as they walk to you. Thank you for your cooperation in keeping our students safe!



Friday Folder Flyers

- Student Directory
- After School Activities
- Family Data from Option C
- Toy & Clothing Flyers

Reminders

- **Walk-A-Thon is September 29**
– **The cafeteria will not be serving lunch on that day. Students will receive a hot dog lunch. More information to come.**

Toy and Clothing Sale

The Fall Toy and Clothing Sale will be held on September 30, 2017, from 9:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. For more information, please contact Jennifer Reis at 513-367-0140

PTC News and Events

- The next PTC Meeting is **Thursday, September 21, 2017** in Room 111 of the Jr. High Building
- The agenda and additional materials are available at <http://sjbharrison.org/CurrentFamilies/PTC.aspx>

The agenda will be:

- Saint John the Baptist
- Parent Teacher Council Meeting Agenda 9/21/17
- PTC Board introductions and PTC overview
- Treasurer's Report
- Principal's Report
- Current Business
- Walkathon update
- Toy/Clothing sale
- Power of the Pencil
- Request for Funds form and timeline
- Amazon smile
- Follow-up Business
- Items for Voting
- Eye wash station
- Money towards hot water heater?
- Power of the Pencil
- NEXT MEETING - OCTOBER 19, 2017 - 7PM

The Walk-A-Thon Committee needs volunteers. Please go to the following link to sign-up.

<http://www.signupgenius.com/go/20f0a49aeac23a3fc1-walkathon>

Option C Family Data Form

Every family should have received a Family Data form. Please check to make sure the correct information is listed. Please make any changes and return back to the school office as soon as possible. Thank you!



McAuley High School Presents Fall Play, *Ramona Quimby*, October 20 - 22

McAuley High School will present its fall play, Beverly Cleary's *Ramona Quimby*, October 20 – 22. Shows are at 7:30 p.m. on Friday, October 20 and Saturday, October 21, and at 2 p.m. on Sunday, October 22. Tickets for the shows are \$10 for adults, \$8 for students/seniors and \$5 for children under 10. Tickets can be purchased at www.mcacin.booktix.com or at the door.

On Sunday, October 22, Children and parents are invited to join us for **Ramona Quimby's Halloween Party** at 12:45 p.m., right before the 2 p.m. show. Children are encouraged to wear their Halloween costumes, and there will be Halloween treats and activities with the cast members. Tickets for the Halloween party are \$5 for adults and \$10 for children.

A special package deal is offered for those who purchase tickets to the Halloween party AND the October 22 show. Tickets for the show and the party can be purchased for \$12 total (adults and kids). Tickets for the party must be purchased ahead of time at www.mcacin.booktix.com.

Seton High School invites 8th grade girls to shadow at Seton! Be a Saint for Day and see how you can soar at Seton! You will be greeted by your shadow hostess and spend the day attending classes. Lunch is on Seton that day. Shadow dates are available from now through November 21, and shadow days fill up quickly.

Transfer students are encouraged to shadow on October 6. Please go to www.setoncincinnati.org to schedule your shadow request. Seton's Director of Institutional Advancement, Sarah Cranley Lykins '02, will follow up with you to help you make the most of your day. If you have any questions, please call Sarah at [513-471-2600](tel:513-471-2600) ext. 2422 or lykinss@setoncincinnati.org. #SoarAtSeton

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ADULTS' OCTOBER ATTRACTIONS

Discovering Your Genealogical Roots – The program will be conducted by a Genealogy & local History Librarian and the Education Director for the Hamilton County Genealogy Society **on Monday, October 2 at 7:00 p.m.** This class will help beginners get started and those who have already explored their genealogical roots reach the next level. The focus will be on “how-to” and online resources. **Adults** register by calling (513) 369-4442.

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J T Townsend and the Lincoln Assassination – Join J T Townsend on **Wednesday, October 11 at 7:00 p.m.** as he discards the myths and legends surrounding the Lincoln assassination, while excavating the truth about the conspiracy. With stunning images and riveting content, the author of “Queen City Notorious” and “Queen City Gothic” solves the mystery that still surrounds the death of our most beloved president. **Adults** register by calling (513) 369-4442.

KIDS' OCTOBER ATTRACTIONS

Creatures of the Night Family Fun Night! They only come out at night and so should you! Bat fans of all ages are invited to celebrate the World's only flying mammal on Wednesday, October 25 at 7:00 p.m. We'll have stories, crafts, games, and other bat-related activities. Register by calling (513) 369-4442.

