



HOLY FAMILY HERALD

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Learning for Today, Preparing for Tomorrow.

***Special SUMMER Weekly Newsletter

From the Principal's Desk

"The seed sown on rich soil is the one who hears the word and understands it." Matthew 13:23

Have you ever heard something but not understood? Or maybe you thought you had understood, but then later realized you hadn't at all? Jesus reminds us that to maximize understanding in our lives we must have an open mind to listen. At Holy Family School we help cultivate the "rich soil" that families are creating for their children. Share this opportunity with your friends and family!

Summer Hours

July Office hours:

Monday & Wednesday 8am-12 pm

New Family Tours - Wednesdays at noon.

Summer office hours also by appointment if needed.

Health and Safety protocols will be followed.



July 17 – 8th Grade Graduation - Outdoor Prayer Service, 6 p.m. Please reserve your family's place with the office.

August 1 - Uniform Sale - 10 am to 1 pm

From the HFS Advancement Team:

Help HFS Spread the Word by sharing our Facebook posts!

<https://www.facebook.com/HolyFamilySchoolLacey/>

Look for a new post every Monday and Thursday morning this summer. Share these to your page and don't forget to tag #hfslacey

Thanks for helping spread the word about our wonderful school!

If you have any questions, please email hfs

advancement@holyfamilylacey.com

Re-Opening Schools Mini Update of the Week

Info for Current and Prospective Students and Families:

Our primary goal is to provide the highest quality education possible for all Holy Family students academically, socially-emotionally, and spiritually. Because of our small class sizes and by following best practices for ensuring student health and safety, we are able to include all day, every day classes as an option in our reopening plan for Fall 2020. Please call us for a tour or for more information.

Plan A: All students return to school full time for classroom instruction with new health and safety protocols.

Please contact us if you would like a full time or part time distance learning option (same tuition price).

Plan B: Starting school in the fall as stated above with possible periods of distance learning. We follow the directives of the Washing State Department of Health (DOH) and Thurston County Health Department (TCHD).

Please remember plans will evolve depending on safety precautions and health of our school families, faculty and staff. At this point (as of July 9, 2020) with Thurston County in Phase 3, we are able to open full time, 5 days a week, by meeting health department social distancing requirements, cleaning procedures and safety protocol. We have had a series of meetings with staff, families and healthcare professionals that will guide the details, logistics and protocols to keep our community healthy. Holy Family Strong, 2020 and Beyond!



Survey of the Week

Have you thought about simply working with your child at home in a distance learning environment for next semester or next year?

We would like to know if we need to prepare to serve any families that would prefer to stay home for some portion of next year, but want to continue their partnership with our school.

Fill out this 3 question survey:

<https://forms.gle/ev9DEM6f1EGzy1aj8>

HAVE YOU
TALKED
TO GOD
TODAY?

8th Grade Graduation Prayer Service

Holy Family School has the tradition of celebrating our recent graduates with a prayer service. Because schools were required to shut down, we delayed our prayer service until July. We are planning an outdoor service on July 17th at 6 p.m.

If you are planning to attend, please sign up via email or the SignUp Genius so that we have the correct number of people you have in your group and your information for contact tracing.

Plan to arrive around 5:30, wear a mask, and bring your own portable chairs. Each family will have their own assigned "bubble" painted on the grass field area. Go directly to your assigned area and enjoy!

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Need YOU!!

Holy Family School needs every parent and adult that is involved in our students' life to offer a bit of time or talent to launch this upcoming extraordinary school year. As we are planning for the next year we will need:

Helpers for morning screening as students arrive.

People that have a talent for logistics.

Parents that enjoy crafts.

Health and Wellness professionals that can advise or review draft plans.

Recent high school and college graduates to intern as wellness or teaching assistants (this may be paid).

Health and fitness assistants to lead students in more outdoor activities.

People to clean and prepare for opening (this may be a series of work parties in August).

Grandparents that would like to be a virtual "angel" or "prayer buddies" for one of our classes.

Holy Family School was founded in the love and commitment of our families to build a better future together. Call the office or Email Ms. Alton principal@holyfamilylacey.com to volunteer.

HFS Parents Association Corner

Thinking ahead for the fall?

Get your child's uniforms at the HFS Used Uniform Sale!

WHEN: Saturday August 1, 10am-1pm

WHAT: gently used polos, pants, skirts/skorts, jumpers, sweaters in all sizes for a fraction of the price.

*Proceeds benefit the HFS Parents Association

*Want to get started on your commitment hours? Please let the PA know if you can help at the Used Uniform Sale- hfspa@holyfamilylacey.com