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Opportunities for Service & Discipleship

March 2016

*Please return to Mr. Geiger in the Lasallian Youth Office.
If you need a ride, please speak with any member of Lasallian Youth Core Team.*

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A.D.D. (Association for the Developmentally Disabled) Dance (Sat. March 12th)



Join LY on Saturday, March 12th at the Two Rivers Community Center Gym for this year's A.D.D. Spring Dance! Help set up from 3pm – 7pm or help once the guests arrive from 7pm – 10pm. This is a great way to build community and support for the developmentally disabled in Manitowoc County!

Domestic Chef Set Up (Sunday, March 13th)

The Domestic Violence Center of Manitowoc is holding a fundraising event on Sunday March 13th, right here at Roncalli, and they are looking for some help! They need 6 – 8 students to help set up from 12:00pm-2:00pm, and then 6 – 8 students to help tear down from 8:30pm – 10:00pm. This is a great organization that does wonderful things for our community. Please help them out!

Pulsera Sale (March 14th – 18th)

Mrs. Pritzl's Spanish classes will be selling Pulsera bracelets in the cafeteria during lunches. Pulsera means bracelet in Spanish. The proceeds we generate will be donated to the Pulsera Project. The Pulsera Project is a not-for-profit organization that was established in 2009 by a group of U.S. students and adults that visited Nicaragua to do service work. They volunteered in a group home for former street children. They came to realize they could do more outside of the home by helping adults in families find better employment with better hours and salaries.

The project began employing a group people by having them make pulseras which are sold by schools and service groups throughout the U.S. Their goal was to allow them to work for themselves, on their own schedules which would allow them to have time to spend with their families and to return to school to finish their education. They are paid a fair trade salary which is higher than what they would earn working in the clothing factories in Nicaragua. The project now offers support to local service organizations throughout Nicaragua.

Altar Server Training (To Be Announced)

Fully participating in the Mass is an essential aspect to our faith and spirituality. One way to participate even more is to be an altar server who helps the priest during the Liturgy. We are offering a training with Fr. Dave Beaudry so you are prepared to help! This is a great opportunity to get more involved in the school and parish liturgies!

Stations of the Cross (Sunday, March 20th @ 4pm)



Come and pray the stations of the Cross at the St. Francis of Assisi Grand Site (1416 Grand Ave.) on Sunday, March 20th. Lent is a special time of prayer, and the Stations of the Cross help to put Lent and Holy Week into perspective for us. Don't miss this great chance to grow in prayer – all are welcome!

Holy Week: St. Francis of Assisi Schedule

-Holy Thursday, March 24, 2016

-4:00 PM—**Grand Site**

-7:00 PM—**Marshall and Waldo Sites**

-Good Friday, March 25, 2016

-12:00 PM—**Waldo Site**

-1:00 PM—**Grand Site**

-2:00 PM— **Marshall Site**

-Easter Vigil, March 26, 2016

-7:30 PM **Waldo Site**

-Easter Sunday, March 27, 2016

-**Marshall Site**—8:00 AM & 10:00 AM **Grand Site**—8:30 AM & 10:30 AM **Waldo Site**—7:30 AM & 9:30 AM
Roncalli Auditorium—10:00 AM

Decade of the Chaplet of Divine Mercy (Tuesday-Friday before both lunches)



Lent is a time that calls us to prepare for Christ's Death and Glorious Resurrection by prayer, fasting and service. **Join us in the Chapel every Thursday during Lent during Advisory period to learn about and pray the Chaplet of Divine Mercy.** This powerful prayer seeks God's mercy and forgiveness – what a powerful way to prepare for Easter! Everyone is welcome and prayer cards are available if you are unfamiliar with this prayer. This will continue throughout the rest of the year!

Reconciliation with Father Michael (Every Tuesday)

The Sacrament of Reconciliation is a powerful spiritual weapon that helps us to grow closer to the Heart of Christ. Father Michael Warden has made himself available every Tuesday from 2:40 – 3:30 in the chapel to offer the Sacrament of Reconciliation. This will continue throughout the rest of the year. Don't miss this great and convenient opportunity to grow in your faith!

Liturgy Ministry (All-School Masses throughout the School Year)



Every month Roncalli has an all-school Mass and every month we are looking for people to help make that Mass possible. If you are interested in helping at all-school Masses throughout the year (even if it's only once!), just check the box(es) below or talk to Mr. Geiger. You **do not need to have previous experience**; all you need is a desire to serve. If you are interested in learning more, please see Mr. Geiger.

- Altar Server
- Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion
- Hospitality Minister (Welcoming/Passing out Worship Aids)
- Usher
- Reading

Saint Vincent de Paul Store (Every Saturday)



The Society of Saint Vincent de Paul is dedicated to assisting those in need with person-to-person care. The Saint Vincent de Paul Thrift Store in Manitowoc serves Manitowoc County by supporting members in the community with goods and services they might not otherwise have available to them. Lend a hand to this fantastic outreach program by volunteering for three hours on Saturday mornings. From cleaning shelves to sorting new donations, this event takes place each **Saturday from 9 am – 1 pm. For the month of April, we need at least 4 people to be at St. Vincent de Paul each Saturday – but the more the better!**

- Yes, I will volunteer on March 5th
- Yes, I will volunteer on March 12th
- Yes, I will volunteer on March 19th
- Yes, I will volunteer on March 26th

Monday's with Mary (Every Monday)



Do you have trouble finding a few minutes in the day to pray? That should be no problem on Mondays. **At the beginning of 1st and 2nd lunch**, join your fellow students in the Chapel to pray a decade of the Rosary before getting in the lunch line. **This is a student led spiritual opportunity that only takes a few minutes and allows you plenty of time to get your lunch and eat.** This is the perfect way to start your week!

Looking Forward to April...

Lasallian Youth Core Team Applications



Combine your leadership skills and your desire to serve others by applying for the Lasallian Youth Core Team. **Core Team meets once a month during Activity period to discuss upcoming events. Each Core Team member commits to participating in one Lasallian Youth service opportunity a month for the entire year.** You can pick up an application from Mr. Geiger beginning on April 11th. All applications are due back by Tuesday, April 26th.

Roncalli Pierside Auction Set-Up (Friday, April 29th)



Give back to the school that has given you so much. Use your day off to help set-up for Roncalli's Pierside Auction – an event that benefits our entire community. More details to follow.

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