

Dear 8th Grade Parents,

This will be a short but busy month! On Friday, April 8th the 8th Graders will have the opportunity to do Reconciliation in preparation for Easter. Spring Break begins the 15th at noon and school will resume on the 25th. This coming Tuesday all 8th Graders will take the ACRE test which is a national exam for all 5th and 8th Graders in Catholic schools nationwide.

The 8th Graders have completed their IB Unit on the Holocaust and genocide and will begin a unit on the Civil War in I&S for U.S. History. They are currently examining the role of early explorers in WA State History. All 8th Graders should be near completion on their MYP Community Project and I have encouraged them to share these projects with you so that you can provide feedback, suggestions, and most of all praise and encouragement. I love seeing how excited they are to make a difference in the world around them and how easily they collaborate with one another!

Our IB attribute this month is Reflective! "We do not learn from experience - we learn from reflection on experience." (Author unknown)

Have a wonderful spring break- take time to recuperate, relax, and celebrate family!

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