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September 19, 2017

Dear St. Germaine families,

Another GREAT festival weekend—GREAT weather, friends/family time, and fun! **Thanks to all of you** who planned, played, and/or worked at our festival this past weekend!

Please note: weekend Liturgies here at Our Lady of Hope are celebrated Saturdays at 5:00 pm and Sundays at 8:30 am and 10:30 am. *There is no better way to ensure your child develops in his or her faith life than to regularly, actively, and joyfully celebrate the Eucharist as a family.*

- **Morley orders** are due Monday. Please continue to work toward the goal of \$100 in sales. Thank you in advance for your participation! And don't forget **Yankee Candles**, online sales are open now. Click [here](#) for more information
- Our school **hot lunch** program begins today. Please check each day whether hot lunch has been ordered for your child and if not, please pack them a lunch with a drink—*please note that all hot lunches include milk*, you do not have to order milk on the bottom of the form, just indicate chocolate or white at the top. Use the bottom of the form to order milk if your child would like an extra milk or one to drink with their lunch from home.
- Our new eating out location this year is POTBELLY, located on Gratiot north of Masonic. Beginning in October, every first Tuesday of the month, head over to Potbelly between the hours of 5 – 8 pm. Every second Tuesday of the month is at El Charro, third Ram's Horn and fourth, Apple Annie's.
- **Festival service hour sheets** are due in the office by Friday, September 29.
- **Monday, September 25 is PICTURE DAY!** Jeans/shorts with an appropriate shirt are acceptable. School shoes are preferred but not required.
- **Tennis** and golf begin next week, Sign up for **tennis** (gr. 2 – 8) at ifirstserve.net and sign up for **golf** (gr. K – 8) at [www.playtga.com/semichigan](http://www.playtga.com/semichigan).
- Our Fall Box Top contest begins October 2 and runs the full month of October. The class that collects the most **box tops** between now and October 31 will be treated to cider and donuts!

Here's a look at our week ahead:

Tuesday, September 19	Mass at 8:30 a.m. for grades 6 – 8—join us! October hot lunch orders home (due back Thursday)
Wednesday, September 20	Mass for grades 1 – 5 at 8:30 a.m.—join us!
Thursday, September 21	Band class after school, hot lunch orders due, Confirmation candidate/parent meeting at 7 pm in church
Friday, September 22	Business as usual

**\*\*PICTURE DAY MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 25\*\***

Have a great week and weekend and as always, if you have any questions please contact the school office. Blessings!

Mrs. DeGrez