

# ELEMENTARY BULLETINS

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## MASS ATTENDANCE

We encourage all of our students to start the day with Mass. At Little Flower there is always a Mass or Communion Service at 8:00 a.m. At St. Leo's students are welcome at Mass if they come by 8:00 a.m. There is not a Mass or Communion Service on Mondays at St. Leo's. If children do not attend Mass they should be dropped off closer to 8:30 a.m. at the school. Students will be supervised with a quiet activity until Mass is over. Staff members will also be in the church.

## ALL-SCHOOL MASS

An all-school Mass will be held at Little Flower Church on Friday, August 28 at 1:30 p.m. with Bishop Zipfel as the celebrant. Everyone is welcome.

## AFTER-SCHOOL PROGRAM AT LITTLE FLOWER

The after school program at Little Flower will start each Monday, Tuesday and Thursday after Labor Day. This popular program will feature student homework help. Students have a snack, homework help in their classroom, and then are dismissed at 4:00 p.m.

## NO AFTER SCHOOL PROGRAM AT ST. LEO'S

It has been decided not to have an after school program at St. Leo's. We are not able to use the rooms at the Community Center, and we do not have enough available people to adequately run the program. We are sorry that this program will not work out this year.

## SCHOOL BOARD

The Minot Catholic School Board will meet on Thursday, August 27 at 5:15 p.m. in the Bishop Ryan Library.

## NEW COOKS

We welcome Michelle Brown at St. Leo's and Julie Eisenbraun at Little Flower. Both ladies are experienced cooks. We offer both a breakfast and a lunch program. If anyone has extra garden produce that can be shared with our students, I am sure the hot lunch ladies would be glad to make use of it.

## SCHOOL COUNSELOR

Dorothy White is our new elementary school counselor. She has recently received her MA in Counseling. As in the past, we share our counselor with South Prairie and Eureka Schools.

## NEW PRE-SCHOOL TEACHER

Because of the high numbers enrolled in our 5 year old pre-school, we have added another morning section. Sarah Skarski is the teacher. Sarah did her student teaching in the Minot Public School System in both elementary and pre-school during the last school year.

## VOLUNTEERS

We would like to thank the volunteers that painted the entrance and stairway walls at St. Leo's School. It is so nice to see the bright colors greeting us every day. We thank Shane Zaback for organizing the group and Dakota Square Miracle Mart for allowing us to raise money selling brats!