

St. Coletta Day School of Milwaukee

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Weekly Update February 19, 2020

Important Dates: Thursday, February 27 Urban Ecology Center
 Friday, February 28 Fish Fry

Shared Life Project

This week three students from Marquette University HS started their 2-week volunteering at St. Coletta. This is part of the 'Shared Life' program that Marquette offers to their senior class as a way of giving back to the community and broadening their volunteer experiences. The students, Wesley, Luke and Matt will be with us until Friday, February 28. If you hear your child talk about these new people in our classroom, this is who they mean.

Fish Fry at St. Sebastian

Each year, the families of St. Coletta volunteer their time and talent to help work the Fish Fry at St. Sebs. Friday, February 28 is our turn to help out. This is always a great opportunity for our two schools to collaborate. Ms Rachel, Ms Courtney and Mr. Bill will be volunteering as well. We ask that any St. Coletta families who are able to help out sign up at the link provided here. You cannot just show up to assist. You need to register so that we know who to expect.

Volunteers can sign up on the My Sebs Sign Up at: <https://stseb.datapropeller.com/ParticipantPortal/Index>

If anyone has any questions they can contact myself or Amy Struck see below for our contact info.

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University Students

St. Coletta often hosts students who need some 'field experience'. This semester we have Ms. Rebecca from Marquette University and Ms. Karina from Alverno College. Both of these young women are here on Fridays until sometime in May.

Classroom Notes

Covenant Values- Our 'Behavior Sheets' indicate the 5 covenant values that we help our students to strive for.

Being Respectful is one of the values that can be used in any setting. The definition that we use is: Hands to yourself, listening to adults and being under control. These directions can be applied in many situations at home, at school and in the community. If you are not already focusing on helping your child to be aware of these tips, I would urge you to do so. We have found that reminding our students of how to be respectful will often avoid a larger problem. We model for our students all the time at school. As parents, you should continue to model for your child at home as well. Set up a time to talk to your child about what it looks like to be respectful at home. These are things that we do all the time. Once in a while, it's good to have a refresher on why we do it.

Next Week: **Being Kind**



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We continue to collect 'Box Tops' and 'Coke Points', however we are donating those collections to St. Sebs. We all still benefit because we are all using the same space. The proceeds from the collection of these items goes toward replacing playground/gym equipment. It is one more way that we can collaborate with and support St. Sebs.

Reflection: "Start by doing what's necessary; then do what's possible; and suddenly you are doing the impossible."

St. Francis of Assisi

