

# THE HERALD

A Bi-Weekly Communication to Bishop Hartley Parents & Families

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## CALENDAR AT-A-GLANCE

*February 25-26: Mentor Groups*  
*March 4-5: Reconciliation Services*  
*March 9: National Testing Day*  
*March 12: End of 3rd Quarter*  
*March 15: Tuition Assistance Deadline*  
*March 15-19: Spring Break*

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## INTERIM REPORTS

Tuesday officially marked the mid-way point of the third quarter. Teachers updated all PowerSchool grades by 8 Tuesday morning. If you have not yet had the opportunity to check your child's progress for the quarter, please take a look. Reach out to teachers if you have any concerns. As a reminder a weekly check on grades is a good way to keep track of how your student is doing academically.

## ASH WEDNESDAY

We began our Lenten observance with Mass for Ash Wednesday. In keeping with direction from the Vatican and Bishop Brennan, ashes were sprinkled on the crown of the head this year instead of placed in the sign of the Cross on the forehead. Sprinkling ashes is customary in the Vatican and in Italy. During the pandemic, it gives the advantage of being "contact-less."

"On the twenty-fourth day of this month, the Israelites gathered together while fasting and wearing sackcloth, their heads covered with dust" (Neh 9:1).

## SCHEDULING CONTINUES

School Counselors continue to meet with students to schedule courses for the 2020-2021 school year. Snow days have delayed the process slightly. Parents should continue to watch for information and any forms that may need to be signed. If you have any questions, please contact your child's counselor:

- Doug Franz (students with last names beginning A-G)
- Lauren Gruenwald (students with last names beginning H-N)
- Liz Collette (students with last names beginning O-Z).

All counselor contact information can be found on the [School Counseling page of our website](#).

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**Physical Science Teacher**

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