



# Holy Trinity

Catholic School

*A Ministry of Our Lady Star of the Sea Parish*

**From the desk of Mrs. Luzzo: September 12, 2022** – Welcome to another fabulous week at HTCS! Many thanks to all families for helping us start this new school year in such a positive way. Please see below for some important information.

- **Uniform Store** – The store will be open tomorrow, **Tuesday, September 13**, from **7:55-8:25 AM**. Please drop off your student in car line, then pull around to the front office to wait for the store to open. Please do not come in early as Ms. P will be focusing on arrival duties between 7:35-7:55 AM. We appreciate your understanding.
- **MAP testing** – MAP testing continues this week. Please see the information from your child's teacher for more specific dates and details about testing.
- **Clubs/Choir/Homework Help** – When picking up students from any of these after school activities, please be sure to form a line in front of the main office and hall (as per the attached map) with your car tag in the front driver's side window clearly visible. It helps us know which students to send out in a timely manner.
- **Hot Lunch** – We are all set to start Hot Lunch in October! Special thanks to Mrs. Hines for working so diligently to get this program up and running, and to Mr. Chris for getting the kitchen ready and for taking on the role of Hot Lunch Coordinator. Look for the October lunch menu coming home in the folders this week.
- **Hot Lunch Help Needed** – We are looking for two-three parent volunteers to help in the kitchen with food prep, serving, and clean up. We need people who can volunteer on a somewhat set schedule and who are willing to take the simple on-line Food Handler Certification Program (paid for by HTCS). If you are interested, please contact Mrs. Hines at 843-390-4108 or [ehines@charlestdiocese.org](mailto:ehines@charlestdiocese.org). This is a great way to give back to the school and support this important program for our students.
- **Weekly School Masses** – All families are invited to join us each **Wednesday** for the **9 AM Mass** in the church. Our school choir sings before each Mass and it is a wonderful opportunity to come together and celebrate our many blessings. Students are welcome to sit with their families during Mass, or they may sit with their class... whatever each family prefers.
- **Videoing/Photographing Students** – Please keep in mind, families are not permitted to photograph or take video of students other than their own while on campus and/or participating in school activities. Not all families have given permission for their children's images to be posted on social media and/or in marketing materials.
- **Items Needed** - Mrs. Trexler is looking for empty toilet paper rolls, empty paper towel rolls, and empty Clorox/Lysol wipes type containers. Students can drop them off to the art room in the mornings.
- **Church Parking Lot** – We kindly ask that families access car line from the last entrance into the church parking lot on 8<sup>th</sup> Avenue. Please do not cut through the lot using other entrances. Also, please stay on the proper side of the road until passing through the school gates. We've had some near misses and upset families who have been cut off trying to get to car line. Don't worry... If we see you coming, we will not close the gates on you.
- **Just a reminder to bookmark our school website ([www.holytrinitynmb.com](http://www.holytrinitynmb.com)) and Facebook page (<https://www.facebook.com/HTCSLions/>), and that you are set to receive e-mails and texts from school.**

***HTCS Mission:** Holy Trinity Catholic School, a ministry of Our Lady Star of the Sea Parish, offers to early childhood and elementary school students of diverse ethnic, economic, and religious backgrounds a superior academic program based on Gospel values. Within a family atmosphere, the school strives to develop the spiritual, academic, personal, creative, and physical growth of each student.*