

# Crusader Chronicles

## Good Shepherd Catholic School

In the season of Ordinary Time, we are reminded of the enduring journey of discipleship—a path marked by a constant hunger and thirst for righteousness. Just as the changing seasons bring snow, a blanket of purity covering the earth, our spiritual journey is often met with challenges and trials. The pursuit of righteousness can be likened to a thirst that cannot be quenched and a hunger that persists. In the midst of life's ordinary moments, where routines and daily tasks unfold, disciples are called to seek a deeper understanding of righteousness. The commitment to living a life aligned with moral and ethical teachings is similar to a journey through a snow-covered landscape. Each step leaves an imprint, and the white canvas serves as a reminder of the purity we strive for in our thoughts, actions, and relationships. The promise that those who hunger and thirst for righteousness will be satisfied echoes through the ordinary days. It becomes a guiding light, urging disciples to persevere in their quest for a just and righteous existence. The snow, with its silent beauty, reflects the changing power of righteousness in a world that sometimes appears cold and indifferent. As we navigate the season of ordinary time, let us embrace the call to discipleship with the awareness that our pursuit of righteousness, like footprints in the snow, leaves a lasting impact. In the ordinary moments of life, may our hunger and thirst for righteousness be met with the satisfaction that comes from living a life in accordance with the values that define our spiritual journey.

***Let Us Build  
the Kingdom of God***



### Diocesan Financial Aid

The diocesan financial aid application is open. If you plan to apply for financial aid through the diocese, please use the following link [online.factsmgt.com/aid](https://online.factsmgt.com/aid). The application is open and the the deadline is **January 31, 2023**. W-2s from your 2022 tax returns can be used. Incomplete and late applications will not be considered. The GSCS scholarship committee takes this application into consideration for determining aide. Don't wait to apply!

### Science Fair

Unleash your inner scientist at our upcoming Science Fair! Join us on **February 1st from 6pm-7pm** for a thrilling showcase of innovative experiments. Dive into the world of discovery and be inspired by the brilliance of our students!

### Catholic Schools Week

Catholic Schools Week is **January 28th-February 3rd**. The schedule of events is being finalized and will be sent home shortly. We would like to fill the church for the the opening Catholic Schools Week Mass on January 28th at 12:00 at Good Shepherd.

### Comedy Night

Mark your calendars for a night of laughter at the GSCS Comedy Night on **February 3rd**! Doors swing open at 6:30 PM, and the hilarity begins at 8:00 PM. Join us for an evening packed with side-splitting performances from talented comedians, promising an unforgettable experience. Secure your tickets now for a laughter-filled night that's sure to lift your spirits!

## Yearbook

Memories of an awesome school year captured in one location. Order your yearbook for the 23-24 school year by clicking [here](#). Orders due by **January 25th**. [Yearbook Order Form](#)

## Pancake Supper

Indulge in a feast of breakfast yummys at our Fat Tuesday Pancake Supper! Join us on February 13th at 5:00 for a scrumptious evening filled with pancakes, toppings, and a festive atmosphere. It's a perfect way to savor the flavors of Mardi Gras and enjoy a delightful community gathering before the Lenten season begins!



Students explored snowflakes in different mediums. Some of our 8th grade NJHS students helped our Pre-K students.

### A Moment to Chuckle

Q. How does the rain tie its shoes? A. With a rainbow!

Q. What does a cloud wear under his raincoat? A. Thunderwear!

## Indoor Flea Market

Trying to clean things out after the holidays? Want to make some money while helping our school or find a good deal? Our Indoor Flea Market will be on **Saturday, February 24th**. We will be collecting items for the school table from February 12th-February 23rd. If you would like a table to sell items, please complete the indoor flea market contract [www.goodshepherdschool.net/indoorfleamarket](http://www.goodshepherdschool.net/indoorfleamarket)

## A Knight to Remember- Gala

Need a night out and want to support Catholic education? Save the date **March 16th** for a Knight to Remember! If you would like to join the Gala Committee, please contact the office.



Students enjoy morning care!

### Upcoming Dates & Events

- Mass for Life- Jan. 22
- Opening Catholic Schools Week Mass- Jan. 28
- Catholic Schools Week- Jan. 28-Feb. 3
- Comedy Night- Feb. 3
- Blessing of the Throats- Feb. 5
- Spring Picture Day (in uniform)- Feb. 12
- Pancake Supper- Feb. 13
- Ash Wednesday- Feb. 14
- ½ Day w/Aftercare- Feb. 16
- Presidents' Day (No School)- Feb. 19
- Indoor Flea Market- Feb. 24

*Good Shepherd Catholic School develops successful students with the support of the entire community. Our students reach their maximum academic and personal potential in a safe and nurturing environment, leading them to be people of faith, socialization, and character through study and service.*







GOOD SHEPHERD SCHOOL PRESENTS

# FAMILY COMEDY SHOW

**February 3, 2024**

**FEATURING**



**TODD CHAPPELLE**



**WAYNE COTTER**



**JEREMY HALL**

Join us for a night of fun! Ticket price includes meal and a comedy show suitable for all ages.

**\$35 ADULTS/ \$25 KIDS (AGE 10 AND UNDER)**

**DOORS OPEN AT 6.30 PM, SHOW STARTS AT 8 PM**



Reserve online at  
[www.gooshepherdschool.net/comedynight](http://www.gooshepherdschool.net/comedynight)





GOOD SHEPHERD SCHOOL PRESENTS



## PRICING

### INCLUDES:

- Light Appetizers
- Choice of 3 Main Entrees
- Pre-show DJ & Karaoke
- Comedy Show

## SCHEDULE

### OF EVENTS:

- 6:30 PM - Doors Open
- 7 PM - Meals Served
- 8 PM - Comedy Show

Cocktails, Mocktails & Raffles available at an additional charge

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# FAT TUESDAY PANCAKE SUPPER



**13 FEB,  
2024**



**5:00 pm -  
7:00 pm**



**800 Aiken Avenue**

**Perryville, MD 21903**



**Pancakes (regular,  
blueberry, and  
chocolate chip), eggs,  
bacon, sausage,  
potatoes, muffins, and  
more!**



**Coffee, orange  
juice, tea, water  
and milk**



**Open to the Public**  
**\$10 ADULTS**  
**\$5 KIDS AGES 4-10**  
**3 & UNDER FREE**





# *Indoor* **FLEA** *Market*



*Vendors &  
Sellers  
Needed*

*Registration due  
by  
**FEB. 20TH***

**SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 24, 2024**  
**SETUP: 6:00-7:00 AM**  
**SHOPPING: 7 AM -10 AM**

**CONCESSIONS WILL BE  
AVAILABLE FOR PURCHASE.**



800 Aiken Avenue,  
Perryville, Maryland



 410-642-6265

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**GOOD SHEPHERD  
CATHOLIC SCHOOL**



800 Aiken Avenue  
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Phone: 410.642.6265

We invite you to join us at our Indoor Flea Market to benefit Good Shepherd Catholic School. To reserve your space, please return this completed form and a check for \$25 (non-refundable), payable to *Good Shepherd Catholic School*. Please note "flea market" on your check and send to the address above. Your \$25 will include a 6 ft table and two chairs. There will be food and drinks available for purchase.

# of spaces requested \_\_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Street Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Daytime Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Evening Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail address: \_\_\_\_\_

Type of ITEMS being sold: \_\_\_\_\_

**Household, Crafter, Product Consultant (NOTE: If you are a Product Rep or Consultant, you must specify when you register. Without this information, We cannot guarantee that there will not be another rep present.)**

**Terms and conditions:**

- All spaces will be provided with a 6-foot table and two chairs. Please limit your items to the table or underneath. Large items may be placed outside and tagged with your table number as space is available.
- This is a school-sponsored event. You will be asked to remove any inappropriate material.
- Good Shepherd Parish is not liable for any loss or damage to property.
- Set-up will be available beginning at 6 am on the 24th. All tables must be set up by 7:00 am and cars moved to either the church parking lot or the back parking lot.
- You are responsible for taking all your unsold merchandise at the end of the sale.
- This event will be advertised via social media. Please feel free to distribute flyers, send emails, post on Facebook, etc, to help make this a successful event!
- **Snow date: March 2, 2024.**

For questions, please call (410) 642-6265 or email [principal@goodshepherdschool.net](mailto:principal@goodshepherdschool.net)

**By signing below, you agree to all of the terms and conditions set forth above.**

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_