



## Lourdes Letter

### POWERSCHOOL

Student Information System [PowerSchool](#).  
Stay up-to-date with student courses,  
student grades and more.

### Lunch & Playground Volunteers

September 26 - Katie Nielson, Julie Zifferblatt,  
Kristin Nelson  
September 27 - Katie Nielson, Carrie Fink,  
Katie Verboort  
Coming Soon - View the schedule [here](#).

### TSF Opportunities & Submission

TSF Volunteer Opportunities: [Join Us](#).  
Track/Submit your TSF Hours [here](#).

### UPCOMING EVENTS

See what is happening this [month](#).

# WELCOME BACK TO SCHOOL

### Important Dates:

- K-8 First Day of School
- Thursday, August 26
  
- PreSchool 4 yr: Playdate
- Monday, August 30: 9:00AM
  
- PreSchool 3 yr: Playdate
- Monday, August 31: 9:00AM
  
- First Mass of 2021-2022 School Year
- Wednesday, September 1 at 8:45AM
- Please wear RED!
- Alumni are welcome!
  
- Labor Day - No School
- Monday, September 6

## Letter from Principal Young

Welcome to the 2021-2022 school year!

I ask for your prayers as we enter this school year. Together we will work together to create an environment which allows students to reach their fullest potential. Our parents play a huge role in the success of our school and students. Please stay connected with our school. There are so many ways to get connected so please reach out and help us make this school year a success.

We would like to move to a more digital platform as much as we can this year. Correspondence will be streamlined to either email or website as much as

possible. We have a new website and format for the Lourdes Letter. Both are new to us, so I ask that we are patient with each other as we move in this direction.

The school lunch menu is on our website, using the following [LINK](#). Please note, several schools are available on this online menu, please choose Our Lady of Lourdes School in the dropdown. The digital format allows you to browse the menu, week by week.

SAVE THE DATE - September 23, 6:15PM

LOLO invites you to a Parent Back-to-School Night. We are going to offer 5 break-out sessions for parents who want to hear more about some initiatives this year. We will have 5 break-out sessions:

1. Learn about the new Spanish on-line platform by Mrs. Eggart.
2. Learn about Powerschool and how you can use it.
3. Learn about our new computer science initiative.
4. Learn more about our behavior management program, Discipline with Purpose.
5. Meet and Greet with Fr. Jim Baraniak.

More information will be forthcoming as well as a Sign-up Genius for you to choose break-out session(s).

"To one who has faith, no explanation is necessary. To one without faith, no explanation is possible" - Thomas Aquinas

The Lourdes Way,  
Jeffrey Young

## School News

### LOLO COVID Site Plan for 2021-2022

Dear OLOL Families,

It was so great to see the students and families at Back-to-School Night. I am hoping all of you are excited as me to start the 2021-2022 school year.

I wanted to confirm some quarantine guidelines that we will be following. If we do have confirmed cases we will be quarantining for 10 days any student that has been in close contact. We will have assigned seats but that doesn't guarantee the class may need to quarantine. We will do our best to determine close contact but it is difficult with what we need to do in terms of educating your child.

It bears repeating that the biggest thing you can do is to keep your child home if they are not 100% healthy. I thank you in advance for adhering to this most important step in keeping our kids healthy while educating them in what data shows is the most effective way to educate children.

My last request is that we remember that we are all created in the image of kids. That is a big deal and that is our guiding principle for this school year and all school years.

One of the saddest parts of COVID is how it seems that we have lost a little bit of our humanity. I have seen how COVID has caused the breakdown of relationships and how we interact with each other.

We need to come together as a school community for the sake of educating our children. We did it last year and we can do it again.

"One way or another, we all need to find what best fosters the flowering of our humanity in this contemporary life, and dedicate ourselves to that" - Joseph Campbell

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Below is the Board approved OLOL Site Plan.

[OLOL COVID Site Plan](#)

## SCHOOL PICTURES - Order by September 6



**It's Picture Day!**

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**Our Lady of Lourdes**

**Monday,  
August 23rd**

Bring your best smile!

No need to bring money.  
No order forms will be sent home. Your student will be given a card with their online order code. Images will be available to order online within 3 business days after picture day.

 \*Scan QR code with your phone or go to [ambrosiusstudios.com](http://ambrosiusstudios.com)  
\*Click on School Photo tab  
\*Enter your online code  
(Located above barcode on student's QR code card)

If you have any questions,  
please call our studio.  
(920)494-2294

*Ambrosius Studios*

The pictures have been taken, now it is up to you!

No order forms with images will be sent home.

This year the school pictures will be available ONLINE for you to view and order. Your son/daughter was given a QR code code at the time of pictures to bring home. The card will also have information for Ambrosius Studios [website](#).

Images will be on their website 3 days after photos are taken. Each student will have two images online to view and select from.

Please review your son/daughter images within 14 days of picture day to ensure no retake is necessary. If a retake is necessary, this must be indicated online.

Picture retake day is September 16th.

From the Library - Mrs. Brys





Our Lady of Lourdes students, don't forget to turn in your summer reading challenge.

It is due Sept. 1. Will your class have the highest participation? It's up to you!

## School Fundraisers



- Magazine and Cookie Dough Sale
- Monday, August 23 – Friday, September 17
- GRACE Calendar Raffle
- 4th Annual Night of Keys
- Save the Date: November 13

## News from GRACE Food Service



### Free and Reduced Meal Eligibility Program

All GRACE students will receive free meals (milk must be purchased separately) as the result of a USDA/DPI Federal Funding Grant called Seamless Summer Option (SSO). But normal program requirements and options remain the same. So if you typically applied for the Free and Reduced Meal Eligibility Program please continue to do; that information is used for other program benefits such as Pandemic Food Share (P-EBT).

The Free and Reduced Meal Eligibility Program forms and additional details are available here: [English](#) | [Spanish](#)

Paper copies also are available at the GRACE Riverside Office, 1822 Riverside Drive, Green Bay, and at all school offices.

If you have any questions, please contact Wendy Gierczak, GRACE Food Service Administrative Assistant, at (920) 499-7330, ext. 1004.

## Community Events/Activities

West De Pere: Pom and Dance Kiddie Clinic



The West De Pere Dance Team would like to invite all 4K-8th grade students to join us for the 2021 West De Pere Dance Experience! Participants will engage in learning a variety of dance skills as well as learning a fun pom routine to be performed for half time at the West De Pere Varsity Football Game! 6th through 8th graders will also be invited to a bonus pre-game performance learning a team sideline!

When: Friday, October 15, 2021

4K-5th Grade Location: West De Pere High School Commons/Multi-Purpose Room

6th-8th Grade Location: West De Pere Dance Team Studio located in the New Indoor Athletic Facility

Registration & Check In: 4:00-4:30 PM

Registration postmarked/received before 9/20/2021: \$20.00

Late Registrations postmarked/received after 9/20/2021: \$25.00

Registration includes clinic participation, rooster poms, dinner, & participant game entry

REGISTRATION

LINK: <https://forms.gle/S2P5TgfWjJ9KVs6R7>

T-SHIRTS (optional) must be purchased separate ONLINE by 11:59 PM, 9/20/2021

ONLINE STORE LINK:

<https://westdepkids21.itemorder.com/sale>

Walk-ins are welcome however shirts will NOT be available for purchase the day of the event.

## Our Lady of Lourdes Parish Family



All Are Welcome!

We invite you to join us for our first school mass of the 2021-2022 school year on Wednesday, September 1 at 8:45AM.

There will be a procession of students from school to church.

We ask you to wear red.

If you are an alumni of St. Boniface, St. Joseph's, Marquette or Our Lady of Lourdes Schools, we

invite you to join us! These schools/parishes together are Our Lady of Lourdes resulting in 152 years of Catholic Education in West De Pere!

Please join us for weekend mass.

- Saturday, 4:30PM
- Sunday: 8:15AM & 10:15AM

[Visit our parish website](#)

## GRACE News



GRACE 5K Fun Run/Walk is this weekend!

The GRACE school system is excited to announce that the GRACE Community 5K Wellness Fun Run/Walk will be returning this summer. The event is scheduled for Saturday, August 28, 2021.

For more details and to register, please [click here](#). The registration fee is only \$5 per person and includes a T-shirt, post-race activities and a prize drawing.

This wonderful, non-timed event promotes wellness and strengthens our GRACE community of schools and parishes. We look forward to seeing you there when we gather together to help kick off the 2021-2022 school year!

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