



# Our Lady of Lourdes Newsletter

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## From the desk of Kathy Bogataj

Dear Parents,

Our school year is off to a super start here at OLL! Watching the students arrive and make the adjustment to their new teachers and routine, is always enjoyable. Change can sometimes be intimidating, but our students have handled themselves quite well.

We are so blessed to have the opportunity to work and grow in such a caring, faith-filled environment. I believe you have made an excellent choice in sending your child to OLL. Our faith community continues to grow, and working together we will build a strong future for our school. Blessings on your upcoming week.

*Kathy J. Bogataj*

## Campus Events

**September 7–** Labor Day—  
No School

**September 8–** School Open  
House 7:00 PM

**September 18–** No School—Teacher  
Professional Day!



## This and That

- All visitors and volunteers must sign in at the front office!! We are adapting to the updated Raptor system and we appreciate your patience when you sign in.
- Car line has run very smoothly this week—thank you for following our directions so well! Just a reminder that if car line is finished when you arrive, you will need to come into the cafeteria to pick up your child. Three late pickups will result in a late fee.
- Please make sure that you have turned in all of your required paperwork. Page 6 from the acceptable use policy form needs to be downloaded and returned. You may cross off the student user name and address as we do not issue these. If you have any questions, please contact Toni in the office.



# School News

Reminder: Our Open House is Tuesday September 8th at 7:00PM



## MISSION IMPOSSIBLE!

How do I thank all the families, faculty, staff, children, and friends in the OLL parish\school community for all the cards and remembrances gifted me on my retirement? MISSION IMPOSSIBLE!

How do I thank the many parents who planned my fun and memorable picnic as I do not have their names? MISSION IMPOSSIBLE!



How do I express my ever-so deep appreciation for the many of you who touched my life so grace-fully all the years while being part of the greatest school and Parish community ever known? MISSION IMPOSSIBLE!

Then I remembered what Scripture: "With God, ALL THINGS ARE POSSIBLE!"

and so, THANK YOU to all of you for enriching my life, touching my heart, and leaving an indelible mark on my memory which reads: WE ARE OLL!

I AM BLESSED - I HAVE BEEN GIFTED - BECAUSE OF YOU!

MISSION POSSIBLE!

lovingly IN OUR LADY,  
MS . JEANNE

## Fall Festival News

The flea market trailers will be arriving this week! Donations will be accepted starting Sept 12<sup>th</sup>. The hours for donation drop off are **Saturdays from 3-7 PM** and **Sundays from 8-12 Noon**. Please consider using this opportunity to clean out the garage and closets, etc. and donate any unneeded items (from clothing to furniture)! **PLEASE DO NOT LEAVE ITEMS AT THE TRAILER IF IT IS**



**UNATTENDED.** For pick-up of large furniture items, please contact Victor Myerscough at (727) 781-1382. *Note that we are unable to accept larger appliances, computers and console television sets.*

Our other festival booths also need your donations. We're looking for donations to the **CRAFT BOOTH**; new plants and trees for the **PLANT BOOTH**; and signed memorabilia, event tickets, weekend getaways, gift certificates, etc. for the **SILENT AUCTION**.

We are looking for advertisers in our Fall Festival Booklet. Please contact Linus Lukas at 799-2121 if you are interested.



This year we will be having an **OKTOBERFEST CELEBRATION** on Friday evening with a Polka Band and plenty of Brats and sauerkraut. Come join the fun!

Our Fall Festival **SUNDAY BREAKFAST** will be Oct 18<sup>th</sup> from 7:30 to 11:30 AM.



Last year's festival was a huge success – this year has the potential to be even better!!!