

**SOAR WITH THE SPIRIT!**  
**Our Lady of Victory Catholic School - Weekly Update –May 24, 2010**

**Last Day of School – Tuesday, June 8 – Noon Dismissal**

**Annual Volunteer Appreciation Day** – On Friday, May 28, we invite all of our volunteers to attend Mass with the students at 9 am and then join us at school for some light refreshments courtesy of our OLV-PTG. A special project that has been prepared by our fifth grade students in honor of our volunteers will be unveiled in the library hallway. We look forward to celebrating with you and showing our appreciation for all of your time, talent, and treasure that you have generously donated to our school.

**Second Century Scholarships** – We are very pleased to announce that nearly \$50,000 will be available for tuition scholarships for the 2009 – 2010 school year. If you are in need of tuition assistance, you should have already completed the Second Century Scholarship application. If not, it is not too late. For more information, visit [www.factstuitionaid.com/facts/gaindex](http://www.factstuitionaid.com/facts/gaindex). A family of four with less than \$90,000 income may qualify for a scholarship.

**Congratulations to Former OLVCS Student** – Recently, Jennifer Thomas (OLVCS Class of 2009) was awarded the prestigious Judge Richard M. Sharp Memorial Award State College Area High School Award Night. Jennifer was selected based on her excellence in academic and civic achievement. The award was presented to her by the Honorable Kerry Benninghoff, our state representative. Jennifer also received a citation from the Commonwealth of PA House of Representatives. Another example of our OLVCS graduates doing great things!

**Gym Uniforms for Middle School** – Order forms for Middle School (grades 6 – 8) gym uniforms were sent home last week. The order form is also printed below. This is a requirement for gym class. Please note deadline to order is June 4.

**OLV-PTG (Parent Teacher Guild)** is looking for a parent to volunteer for the Secretary position beginning September 2010. The position would include taking minutes, distributing minutes to the officers, sending thank you notes, printing correspondence for sponsorships etc, and attending PTG meetings (typically monthly). The person applying must have basic computer skills in using a "Word" type program to produce minutes/letters. All paper supplies will be provided by PTG.

If you are interested or if you have questions please contact Maureen Jones ([maureen@psu.edu](mailto:maureen@psu.edu)/468-1310) or any other PTG officer (Lynne Cox, Becky Dunleavy, or Jen Scanlon)

**Notes from the Library -** I am sad to say that the PAWS donation boxes in the library remain empty. May is National Pet Month, so please open your hearts to the cats and dogs in shelters. A list of needed items for PAWS can be found in the library section under classes on the OLVCS website. I would like to deliver items to PAWS before school ends for the year. The volunteers at PAWS are very appreciative when I deliver donations from our students.

**Lost and Found** – Many lost items are looking for a home! The lost and found area is in the gym hallway opposite of the library. Please come in and check for lost coats, sweatshirts, lunch boxes, etc. At the end of May, all items will be donated to St. Vincent DePaul.

**OLVCS Summer Camp 2010 -** Spaces are filling up fast for Summer Camp 2010. To ensure that your child(ren) can attend, please return your registration materials as soon as possible to the school office. For more information contact Nan Casciola at 238-1592 or [casciolan@olvcs.org](mailto:casciolan@olvcs.org). Downloadable forms will be on the website ([www.olvcatholicsschool.org](http://www.olvcatholicsschool.org)) by end of the week.

**Upcoming events:**

Thursday and Friday, May 27 and 28 – Spring Musical – Godspell @ 7pm  
Friday, May 28 – School Mass @ 9 am sponsored by grade 6  
Friday, May 28 – Annual Volunteer Appreciation Day  
Monday, May 31 – Memorial Day – No School  
Tuesday, June 1 – Middle School All-Sports Banquet – 6:30 pm @ Celebration Hall  
Friday, June 4 – 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Graduation – 7 pm Mass  
Tuesday, June 8 – School Mass @ 9 am  
Tuesday, June 8 – Awards Assembly @ 10 am in the gym

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**Order Form for Middle School Gym Uniforms  
*REQUIRED FOR GYM CLASS FOR GRADES 6-8***

Name of student(s) \_\_\_\_\_  
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The gym uniform consists of a short sleeve grey t-shirt and navy blue shorts. All items will have the school name printed on it.

Sizes: Youth S. M. L and XL, Adult S. M, L, and XL other sizes available upon request

Prices:

Short sleeve t-shirt \$6.00 (XXL add \$1.50)

Shorts \$13.00

Item Description	Size	Cost per item	Quantity	Total Cost
		Total		

**PLEASE INCLUDE CASH OR CHECK (OLVCS)**

**\*\*ORDER FORM MUST BE RETURNED NO LATER THAN JUNE 4, 2010\*\*  
TO ENSURE DELIVERY BY FIRST DAY OF SCHOOL 2010-11**