St. Columbanus School 122 Oregon Road Cortlandt Manor, NY 10567

February 1, 2016

Dear Parents:

Who can believe that we have already completed one full semester? During this week we have been celebrating Catholic Schools Week. There are some dates to keep in mind that appear on the calendar: First Friday Mass and the grade 8 Pin Ceremony is February 5, February 8 is Pre-K registration and February 9 is K-6 registration. Family Mass is February 7. On Friday, February 12, there is an 11:00 dismissal followed by a Faculty meeting. A "Winter Social" is on the evening of February 5 for students in grades 6-8. School will be closed on Monday, February 15 for the President's Day holiday. February 27 is the Penny Social. Friday, February 12 is a free "wear red" dress down day.

At this time I would like to congratulate all the 62 students who received High Honors and Honors for the second quarter. We are all very proud of you for a job well done.

Wednesday, February 10 is Ash Wednesday. All students and teachers in grades K through 8 will be attending a service at 9:15 a.m. in St. Columbanus Church where ashes will be distributed.

If you are currently enrolled with SMART TUITION and have a chid(ren) in K through 7 this year, you do not have to enroll again for the upcoming 2016-17 year. You will automatically be rolled over. The only people who must enroll are families with students new to our school for September 2016, and those going from PreK 4 year olds into Kindergarten.

Tuition rates were set by the region and are attached to this newsletter. Please let us know if you plan to return to our school or not this following September so we can plan accordingly.

Thank you so very much for being part of our St. Columbanus family and be sure to drop by our Penny Social on February 27.

Sincerely,

Frank A. Disanza, Principal