



St. Ann School

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April 27, 2017

Dear 4th - 6th Grade Parents,

What does it mean to be made in God's image? Our faith-based **Human Growth and Development units**, "Purely You" (4th & 5th gr.) and "Theology of the Body" (6th gr.) guide students in our belief that each child is unique, that physical and emotional changes are coming, and those changes are a part of God's plan for their maturity into becoming an adult. These programs are designed to reinforce parent's role as the primary educators of their children, this is especially important with the subject of Human Growth and Development.

The boys and girls in 4th - 6th grades will have Human Growth and Development lessons on Thursday, May 3, with parishioners, Dr. Brandon Peltier, and Parish Nurse, Dawn Ewald, RN on the physical aspects of puberty and sexuality.

This is a great opportunity for you and your child to spend some quality time together discussing this important subject. You may reflect on topics of what it means to be part of a family loving one another, what it means to be male or female and/or what it means to love and be loved. These topics and others are looked at from the perspective of what Jesus has taught about being truly human – a child of God.

If you are interested in previewing the "Purely You" and/or "Theology of the Body" materials you are welcome to read the material and/or watch the DVD's here at school at your own convenience.

If you have questions, please feel free to call your teacher or me at 775-1301.

Together in Christ,

Robert Kellogg, Principal

Human Growth & Development OPT-OUT

To opt-out your child, please complete the following Opt-Out form, and return to the school.
The form is also available in the info rack outside the School Office.



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Human Growth & Development OPT-OUT 2018

I would prefer that my child not participate in the Human Growth & Development Lessons in *Purely You*, for the 4th/5th gr. and *Theology of the Body* for the 6th gr.

Student's Name _____ Grade _____

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Parent Signature _____ Date _____