



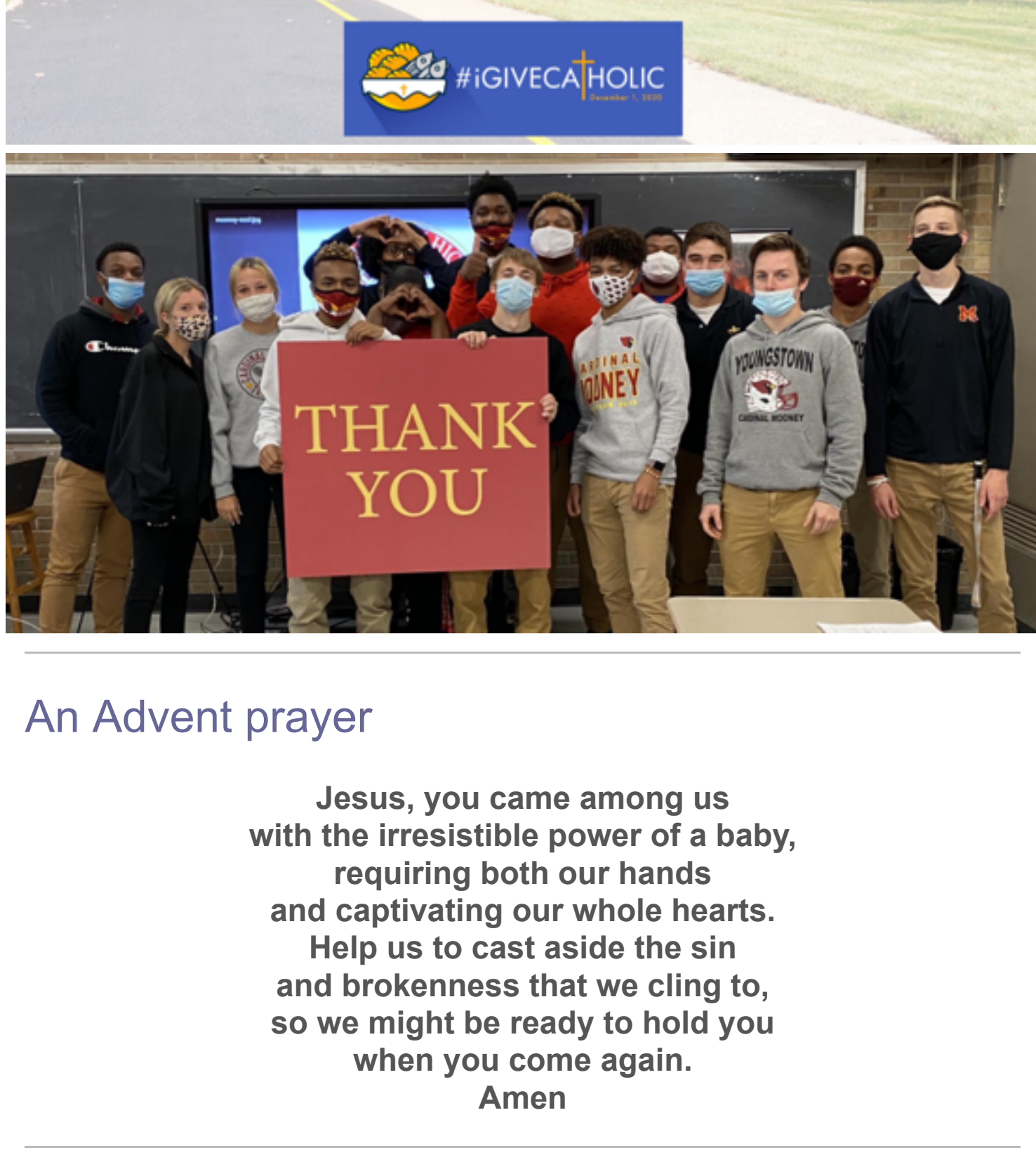
# Cardinal Mooney High School CMHS



## 'I Give Catholic' was a big success

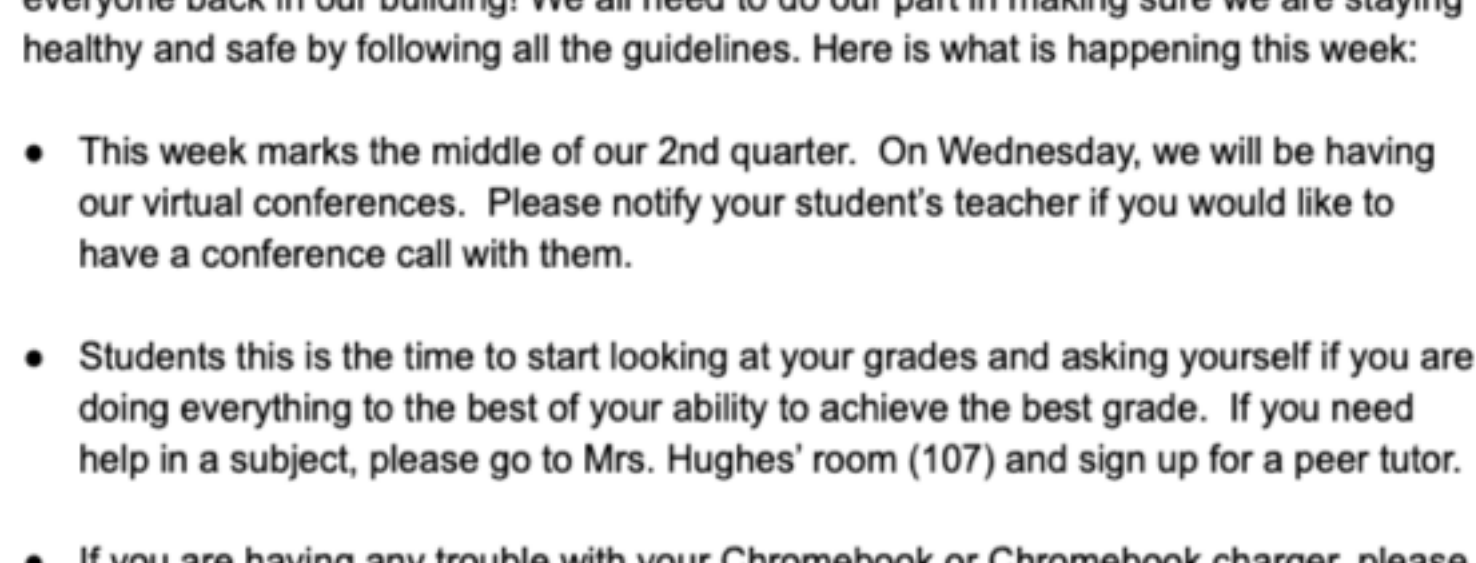
On behalf of the faculty, staff, and students of Cardinal Mooney I want to thank you — our parents, alumni, and friends — for support of our inaugural I Give Catholic/Giving Tuesday. Because of your generosity, we raised \$22,608, including a matching contribution from Jim and Gloria Golladay. A total of 57 donors helped make Mooney 96th on the leaderboard of the Top 100 Catholic institutions from the east coast to Kansas. Your financial commitment will have an impact on every student, most important of which is your confidence in them.

*Cardinal Mooney President, Thomas Maj*



## An Advent prayer

Jesus, you came among us  
with the irresistible power of a baby,  
requiring both our hands  
and captivating our whole hearts.  
Help us to cast aside the sin  
and brokenness that we cling to,  
so we might be ready to hold you  
when you come again.  
Amen



## CADDY'S CORNER

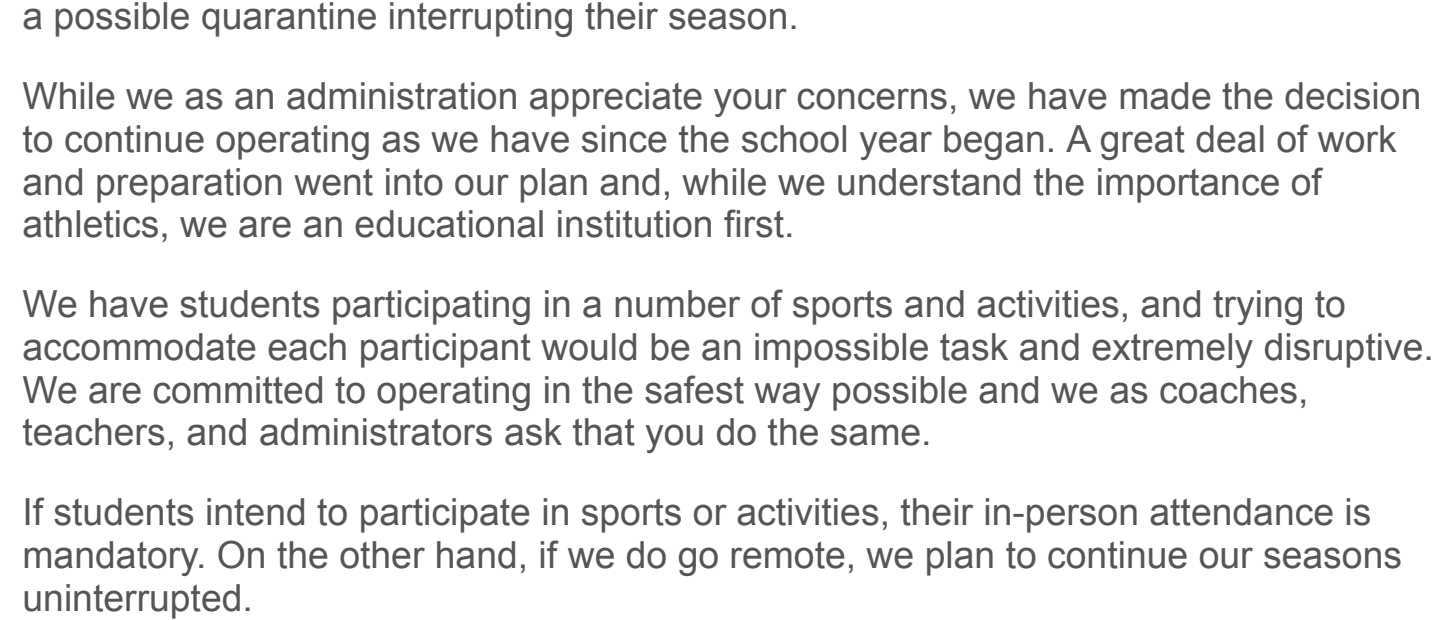
A MESSAGE FROM OUR DEAN OF STUDENTS,  
MRS. JANET CADMAN

Hello! Happy Sunday! Welcome back to being in-person! I am very excited to see everyone back in our building! We all need to do our part in making sure we are staying healthy and safe by following all the guidelines. Here is what is happening this week:

- This week marks the middle of our 2nd quarter. On Wednesday, we will be having our virtual conferences. Please notify your student's teacher if you would like to have a conference call with them.
- Students this is the time to start looking at your grades and asking yourself if you are doing everything to the best of your ability to achieve the best grade. If you need help in a subject, please go to Mrs. Hughes' room (107) and sign up for a peer tutor.
- If you are having any trouble with your Chromebook or Chromebook charger, please see Mrs. Cadman in the main office. Just remember, **the Chromebook you are using is your responsibility. Please take care of your Chromebook.** Make sure you are carrying it in your backpack and it is charged for the day.
- It is very important that your student arrives on time for school. **The warning bell is 7:55 a.m. and the tardy bell is at 8 a.m.** We are noticing more students that are arriving late to school. Please call the office if your student will be late. If your student is late to school and they are driving, please remind them that they will need to park in the tennis court parking lot and enter the school through the main doors.
- If you or your student is having any trouble logging into Powerschool, please send an email to [jjcadman@cardinalmooney.com](mailto:jjcadman@cardinalmooney.com).
- A friendly reminder from the main office: If your student is leaving early, please have the student drop a note off in the main office before 8 a.m. They can pick up their early dismissal slip after the first period. Unfortunately, we are not able to accept phone calls for students leaving. If a student would need to leave, please email the dismissal to [jjcadman@cardinalmooney.com](mailto:jjcadman@cardinalmooney.com).

Welcome back Students! Keep your grades up, do your best work, and have a wonderful week! Smile and make a new friend everyday!

- Mrs. Cadman



We have had a number of parents ask that certain accommodations be made for athletes competing in winter sports. More specifically, parents have asked that their student-athletes be physically separated from classmates in order to lessen the risk of a possible quarantine interrupting their season.

While we as an administration appreciate your concerns, we have made the decision to continue operating as we have since the school year began. A great deal of work and preparation went into our plan and, while we understand the importance of athletics, we are an educational institution first.

We have students participating in a number of sports and activities, and trying to accommodate each participant would be an impossible task and extremely disruptive. We are committed to operating in the safest way possible and we as coaches, teachers, and administrators ask that you do the same.

If students intend to participate in sports or activities, their in-person attendance is mandatory. On the other hand, if we do go remote, we plan to continue our seasons uninterrupted.

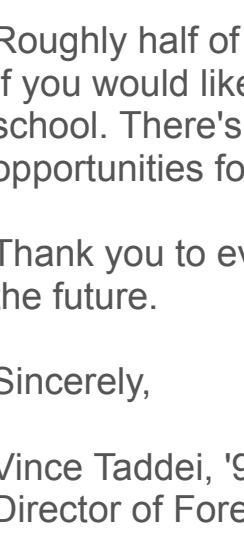
While we cannot promise that there will be no transmissions within the school building, we are confident that little to none of the Covid cases to date have been transmitted during the school day.

Therefore, as always, we hope you will discourage social gatherings outside of school and, as much as possible, limit interactions to family, classmates, and teammates.

We are confident that with your help we can have a successful winter season for all sports and activities.

Thank you for your cooperation.

*Carl Pelini  
Head Football Coach  
Associate AD for Advancement*



## Speech & Debate

Just when I think I can't love Speech & Debate any more, yet another way emerges before me.

Most, if not all of the time, the daily motivation comes from carrying the torch lit by Diane Mastro Nard, Denny Barrett, and the hundreds of people whose accomplishments are the bricks of our tradition. It's a flame that burns brighter every time a young mind is awakened by the knowledge and experience our program provides.

That is a flame unlike any other, because it does not cast a shadow — it only lights the way to more inspiration. It's the reason we chose a torch as the centerpiece for our new logo this season.

Recently, I have realized that there isn't anything more powerful than someone who can think and speak with great articulation. And by "power" I mean the best kind: Empowerment through the highest skill ... articulated speech.

No matter what category our students compete in, they learn to formulate arguments, and when they do that, they WIN — and then everyone around them WINS.

I believe in every corner of my heart and soul that Cardinal Mooney's mission is to empower young people. It's deeply personal to me, because our school, and the Speech & Debate program, did that for me. Like so many others, I share in the idea that without Cardinal Mooney — and this program — I don't know where I would be.

It's because of this that the coaching staff spends hours preparing our students to compete and harness a strength they may never have known existed within themselves.

Roughly half of this season is complete, but that doesn't mean our doors have closed. If you would like your student to be a part of this legacy, please contact me at the school. There's still a long way to go this season, and with that time rests many opportunities for growth and personal empowerment.

Thank you to everyone who has built this program, and to those who help it forge into the future.

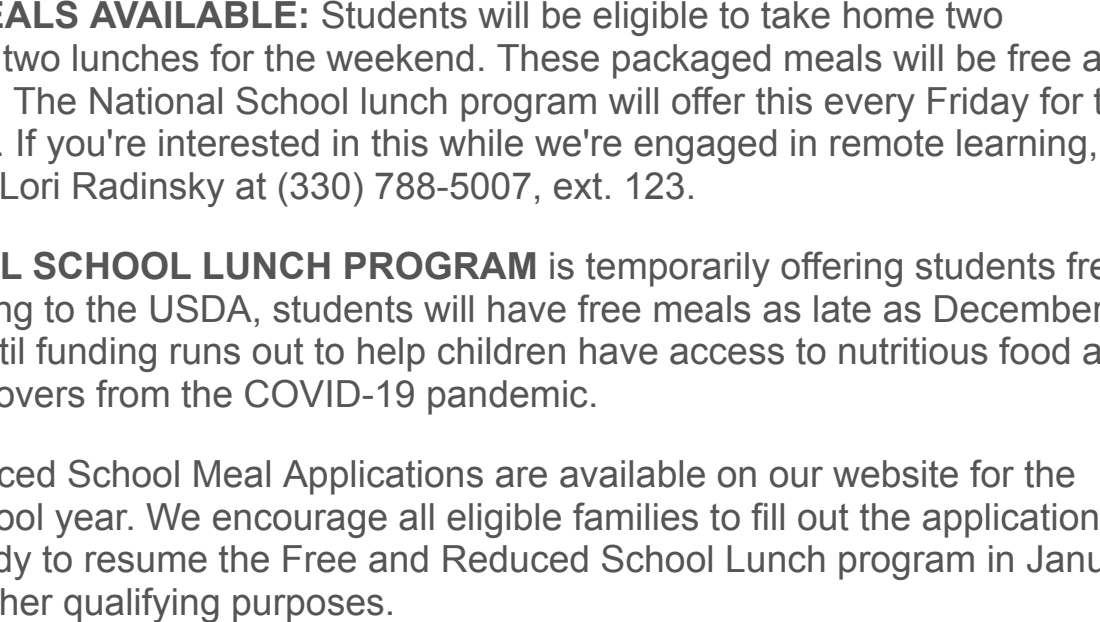
Sincerely,

Vince Taddei, '92  
Director of Forensics



## CMHS Speech & Debate

NICK PREGIBON - INTERNATIONAL EXTEMP - 6TH  
ED DRISCOLL - LINCOLN DOUGLAS - 5TH  
MILLIE HESCHMEYER - DRAMATIC INTERP - 3RD  
MAUREEN BAKER - UNITED STATES EXTEMP - 1ST  
OLIVIA DECESARE - LINCOLN DOUGLAS - 1ST  
MITCHELL BOGAN - UNITED STATES EXTEMP - 5TH



## SOUTH RANGE 2020

*Graphic designed by sophomore Mitchell Bogan*

## Christmas coloring challenge

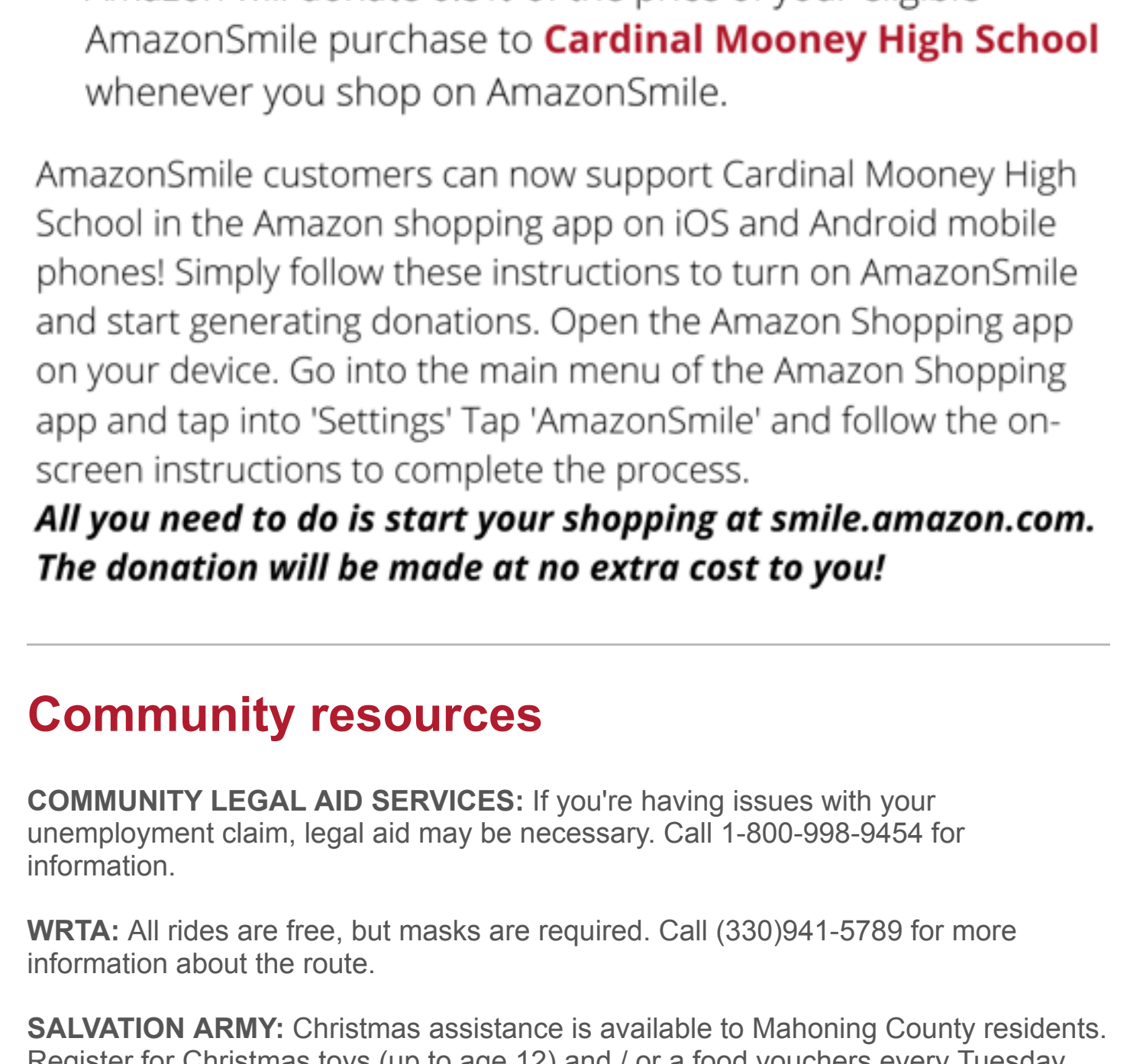
EXTENDED THROUGH DEC. 7

Grade school students ... JOIN US FOR A FESTIVE HOLIDAY ART CHALLENGE!

Submit your coloring page or original Christmas drawing to CMHS by Friday, December 4th.

Prizes will be awarded! Sponsored by the Cardinal Mooney Art Department!

Visit [this page](https://www.cardinalmooney.com) on CardinalMooney.com for details!



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ART DEPARTMENT  
PRIZES FOR EACH COMPETITION

## School notes

**WEEKEND MEALS AVAILABLE:** Students will be eligible to take home two breakfasts and two lunches for the weekend. These packaged meals will be free and come with milk. The National School lunch program will offer this every Friday for the rest of the year. If you're interested in this while we're engaged in remote learning, please contact Lori Radinsky at (330) 788-5007, ext. 123.

**THE NATIONAL SCHOOL LUNCH PROGRAM** is temporarily offering students free meals. According to the USDA, students will have free meals as late as December 31, 2020, or until funding runs out to help children have access to nutritious food as the country recovers from the COVID-19 pandemic.

Free and Reduced School Meal Applications are available on our website for the 2020-2021 school year. We encourage all eligible families to fill out the application in order to be ready to resume the Free and Reduced School Lunch program in January 2021 and for other qualifying purposes.

**CAFETERIA NOTES** — Mooney families can access important cafeteria information, including this week's menu [here](https://www.cardinalmooney.com). For any questions, please contact Lori Radinsky at [LRadinsky@youngstowndiocese.org](mailto:LRadinsky@youngstowndiocese.org) or by phone at (330) 788-5007, ext. 123.

**SENIOR PICTURES** are due December 7th. The pictures need to be head and shoulders, color and done by a professional photographer. No homemade pictures will be accepted. Boys need to be clean shaven, cannot be wearing earrings and cannot have visible tattoos. Girls cannot have other piercings than their ears, no visible tattoos and cannot be showing cleavage. The yearbook staff reserves the right to deny photos not meeting the set criteria or are not in good taste or quality. Email pictures to [jpolicy@youngstowndiocese.org](mailto:jpolicy@youngstowndiocese.org).

**WRTA BUSSING:** For our Youngstown families in need of transportation, WRTA is free through the end of 2020. Passes are not required at this time. Should the situation change, we will let you know immediately.

## Help while you shop



Earn money for Cardinal Mooney every time you shop at Rite Aid. [Sign up](https://www.riteaid.com) and get started.



- Amazon will donate 0.5% of the price of your eligible AmazonSmile purchase to **Cardinal Mooney High School** whenever you shop on AmazonSmile.

AmazonSmile customers can now support Cardinal Mooney High School in the Amazon shopping app on iOS and Android mobile phones! Simply follow these instructions to turn on AmazonSmile and start generating donations. Open the Amazon Shopping app on your device. Go into the main menu of the Amazon Shopping app and tap into 'Settings' Tap 'AmazonSmile' and follow the on-screen instructions to complete the process.

**All you need to do is start your shopping at smile.amazon.com. The donation will be made at no extra cost to you!**

## Community resources

**COMMUNITY LEGAL AID SERVICES:** If you're having issues with your unemployment claim, legal aid may be necessary. Call 1-800-998-9454 for information.

**WRTA:** All rides are free, but masks are required. Call (330)941-5789 for more information about the route.

**SALVATION ARMY:** Christmas assistance is available to Mahoning County residents. Register for Christmas toys (up to age 12) and / or a food vouchers every Tuesday through Thursday from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Call (330) 270-5999 for more information.

**FINANCIAL HELP** is available for Mahoning County residents behind on rent, mortgages, and utility bills starting Nov. 2. Call MYCAP 330-747-7921 ext-1177.

**JOB:** Ursuline Sisters HIV/AIDS Ministry is looking for an RN/LPN. Send Resume to [info@ursulinesistersaids.org](mailto:info@ursulinesistersaids.org).

The TJX Homegoods distribution Center is accepting registration for the more than 300 job candidates at the Lordstown location. Walk-ins are welcome.Registration location is 6 Federal Plaza Cantral, 7th Floor, Downtown Youngstown, 44503. For information, call (330)797-3995.

**MYCAP** is now paying first month rent, security deposit and mortgage payments. Call MYCAP and leave a message. Ex: 1177