



September 18, 2017

Dear 7th and 8th Grade Parents,

Again this year we are partnering with Sts. Simon and Jude, Sts. Peter and Paul, and St. Agnes, the schools in our Church Cluster, to hold *Cluster Dances*. This year the students from Sts Philip and James are invited to the dances. The schools will take turns hosting the dances to provide a safe and protected environment for the students.

- Sept. 22- Sts. Simon & Jude
- Oct. 27 -Sts. Peter and Paul
- Nov. 17 - St. Agnes
- Jan.19 - - St. Max
- Feb. 9 - St. Max
- Mar 16 - Sts. Peter and Paul
- April 20 - St. Agnes
- May 18 - Sts. Simon and Jude

Cost: \$10.00 admission at each school.

Each school will provide snacks/beverages and may charge money for them.

The host school will retain profit from the dance.

Every student must have a signed parent permission form. The host school decides ***if the students from their school only are permitted to bring a guest.*** There is a special permission slip for the guest.

Time: 7:00 PM to 9:30 PM No student will be admitted after 7:30 unless the host school receives prior notification. The principal of each school will inform the principal of the host school of the students who will arrive late for the dance. Sometimes teams have practices or games and those children may arrive later. All students must leave the dance with an adult.

Dress code for all locations: Boys are to wear shirts with sleeves covering entire torso; Girls skirts must be a decent length, girls may not wear short shorts or spaghetti strap tops.

Chaperones: The host school principal will be present at the dance. Each school will send two chaperones to each dance. The host school will provide additional chaperones for the dance. *Margie Saunders has graciously taken on the task of coordinating chaperones for the dances. She will be contacting you shortly.*

A class list will be faxed to the host school prior to the dance. Chaperones will sign in students from their school. Chaperones from each site should remain until all students from their particular school have been picked up.

If there is a problem with a student, the student is suspended from at least the next dance. Appropriate behavior is expected from all. Grinding or suggestive dancing will not be permitted at any dance.

This will be a one year commitment for the 2017-18 school year. The principals will evaluate the dance partnership at the end of the school year.

There may be other dances throughout the school year, sponsored by schools not in this cluster. We will send information to you.

Thank you for your kind cooperation.

Respectfully,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Maxine Malsued".