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Dr. Cox Wants You to Know

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Dear Lee-Scott Academy Families,

I want you to know that we are entering **Holy Week**. Holy Week is a string of eight days that allow us an opportunity to reflect upon the shift in humanity Jesus' sacrifice on the cross launched. It starts with Palm Sunday when Jesus enters the city of Jerusalem. The week leads us through the Last Supper, His crucifixion, and ends on Easter Sunday with His resurrection. This is the basis of Christianity, His sacrifice launched the New Covenant God promised and many had prophesied throughout the Old Testament. Each day of Holy Week allows us to peek into the heart of our Savior at intently close proximity. His love for us is reflected in every significant step toward the cross, every breath up to the last, and His resurrection.

I want you to know that **this coming week** is very special for us at LSA. The following events will help usher us into Easter Sunday.

- <u>Easter Walkthrough</u>. Wednesday, March 27 at 5:30 pm in the front parking lot. Our 5th graders relay the Easter story. We hope this interactive, multi-sensory journey through the Passion Week will demonstrate how much God loves each of us.
- <u>Children's Easter Musical.</u> Thursday, March 18. PK 3 will perform at 8:30 am and Grades 4 6 will perform at 10:00 am. Each performance will be held in the gym. The Cross of Christ is a musical for kids that celebrates the death and resurrection of Christ. Children can understand the importance of the cross and celebrate the Easter story through worship songs and scripture-based narration. This musical will help create a special moment of worship to usher in the Easter season.
- Good Friday. LSA will be closed on Good Friday (3/29) to remember the day Jesus willingly suffered and died by crucifixion as the ultimate sacrifice for our sins (1 John 1:10). Easter follows it, the glorious celebration of the day Jesus was raised from the dead, heralding his victory over sin and death and pointing ahead to a future resurrection for all who are united to him by faith (Romans 6:5).
- <u>Easter Monday.</u> LSA will be closed on Easter Monday (4/1). The Monday following Easter Sunday is recognized as a time of reflection and reverence for Jesus sacrificing his life on the cross and rising again.

I want you to know that this Sunday is known as **Palm Sunday**. Palm Sunday recalls the story of Jesus' entry into Jerusalem, greeted by people waving palm branches. It also serves as a reminder for Christians to welcome Jesus into their hearts and to be willing to follow him.

Have a great weekend!

Go Warriors!

Dr. Stan Cox Head of School

"The next day the great crowd that had come for the festival heard that Jesus was on his way to Jerusalem. They took palm branches and went out to meet him, shouting, 'Hosanna! Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord! Blessed is the king of Israel!"

John 12:12-13

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