

THE THURSDAY POST

November 17, 2016



MPORTANT DATES

Sunday, November 20th: Family Mass, 10:00AM Chapel

Monday, November 21st: Girls Basketball Game, 6:30PM, Gym. Support our team!

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Wednesday, November 23rd—Friday, Nov. 25th: Thanksgiving Holiday, NO School,

NO BEFORE OR AFTER SCHOOL CARE

Thursday, December 1st: Progress Reports Issued

<u>Sunday, December 4th:</u> Rite of Inscription for Confirmation Candidates, 10:00AM, Chapel Parent Meeting immediately following

Sunday, December 4th: Visit With Santa, 9:00AM—1:00PM, Activity Center

Tuesday, December 20th: School Christmas Program, 7:00PM, Chapel

December 22 through January 3: NO SCHOOL, CHRISTMAS VACATION



NEWS

- ☑ Wear Red Tomorrow: Students are asked to wear red tomorrow in honor of Archbishop Cupich becoming Cardinal.
- Family Mass: Please celebrate Family Mass with us this <u>Sunday, Nov. 20th</u>, at **10:00AM** in the Chapel. Bell Choir and School Choir will be participating in the music for this Mass; students belonging to these groups should be in attendance.
- \$\$ <u>Up-to-date Accounts</u> \$\$ If you have a past due *Extended Care* or unpaid *Chocolate* invoice, these amounts will be transferred to your FACTS account along with a \$20 late fee on *November 21, 2016*.
- ☑ <u>Thanksgiving Break</u>: There will be **No School** starting <u>Wednesday, November 23rd</u> through <u>Friday, November 25th.</u> Extended care will also be closed at this time.
- World's Finest Chocolate: We are excited to announce the winners for our fundraising raffle prizes! The winner of the 5 lb. World's Finest Chocolate bar is Jaelyn Clark (K). The winner of the \$75 AMC gift card is Izel Sotello (Pre-K4). The grand prize winner for the \$200 Best Buy gift card is the Hernandez Family- Jayden (4th), Joel (5th), and Alyssa (8th). Congratulations to all of our winners! Thank you to everyone who helped make our fundraiser a success.
- ☑ <u>Volunteers Needed:</u> Parents, do you still need to fulfill your required service hours? Help is needed in working our fundraiser "A Visit With Santa" on <u>Sunday, December 4th</u> between **9:00am-1:00pm**. A letter with more details is enclosed in this week's folder. If you are interested please turn in the volunteer form or contact Kathy DeMaira directly at <u>773-622-3022</u> or by emailing <u>kdemaira@saintferdinand.org</u> Thank you in advance!
- ☑ Looking for donations: We are looking for items to place in our gift bags for our Visit With Santa. Do you have a business that could make a donation? Fliers that include coupons are welcome in addition to fun, small gifts the students would enjoy. Items are requested by *Nov. 22nd*. Please contact Kathy DeMaira if you are able to donate at 773-622-3022.
- ☑ <u>Save the Date:</u> St. Ferdinand School will hold an Open House to kick off Catholic School's week on <u>Sunday, Jan. 29th.</u> More information coming soon!
- ✓ Volunteer Opportunity: Mrs. Hernandez is looking for a parent to help hang up art work during the day, from 12:15PM—1:15PM on Wednesdays. If you have completed a Virtus training and are interested in this opportunity, please contact the School Office or email mbrumann@saintferdinand.org

SOX TOPS

Don't forget: Turn in your BoxTops found on products you use to earn free \$\$ for our school!