

Second Grade Happenings
November 2017

Mission Carnival

I would just like to thank all of you for volunteering at our Mission Carnival. The kids had fun and we made some money which will go to help the missions. Again, thank you!

Mass

Don't forget that Mass will be Wednesday, November 1 for All Saints Day and no Mass on Thursday, November 2. The Second Graders will be the leaders of the Mass on Thursday, November 16. Please join us if you can!

All School Sing & Bake Sale

On Sunday, November 5, we will have an All School Sing at the 11:00 Mass. The St. Mary's Relay for Life Team will also have a bake sale right after the Mass. All proceeds will go toward the American Cancer Society. Please support us in any way that you can.

Pilgrim Unit

Second graders will start a new unit about the Pilgrims. We will be learning about their foods, clothing, games, and daily activities. We will have a culminating celebration on Tuesday, November 21. This is our 11:30 dismissal day! At this culmination, we will be dressing as the Pilgrims would have dressed. We will be sharing some of the foods and we will be watching a video about the First Thanksgiving.

Parent Teacher Conferences

I look forward to meeting with all of you on Wednesday Nov. 15, Thursday Nov. 16, Monday Nov. 20, or Tuesday Nov. 21 for our parent teacher conferences. You will receive confirmation on your date and time.

Prayers

I will be testing the students on their prayers. I will have some results for you at the conferences. Please continue to work with your child to memorize all of the prayers.

Florinda's Night

Florinda will donate a percentage of her sales to St. Mary's on Wednesday, November 1. Just mention St. Mary's when you dine in or carry out. I hope to see you there!

Food Collection

We will have a food collection for our local food pantry. This collection will end at the Mass on Thursday, November 9. Please donate what you can.

Shoebox Items

We are once again collecting items to send to a child this Christmas. However, we are doing things a little differently this year. Each second grader is to bring in two coloring books before Thursday, November 16. That night we will be stuffing 50 boxes to be sent out to children around the world.

Jeans Day

We will have a free Jeans Day for the kids on Friday, November 17.

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Cooler Weather

Because it has turned cooler, please remind your children to bring a jacket to school with them every day. We will be going outside for recesses so they need to be prepared. If the weather warms back up, we'll just leave the jackets hanging on the coat hooks.

Scrip Orders

Miss Murray will be sending orders on Monday, November 13. Think Black Friday shopping!! I know I will be!

Thank You

We would like to thank our generous PIE sponsors for supporting our classroom this year. We are being sponsored by David & Jennifer Wayman, Jim & Jennifer Woodall, Tanya & Chad Michel, Dr. Joe & Mrs. Jan Smith, and The Graham Family. We are very thankful for their support.

Reminders

Friday, November 17—No p.m. bus

Tuesday, November 21—11:30 Dismissal, No p.m. bus

Wednesday, November 22—No School

Thursday, November 24—No School

Friday, November 25—No School

Happy Thanksgiving!