

**Parent Update
January 19, 2010**

Our Parish School Mission

The mission of Our Lady of School Counsel Parish School is to form young minds and hearts in the image of Jesus spiritually, academically, physically, and socially through authentic Catholic teaching within a faith community of respect and compassion for others.

Upcoming Dates

January	21	Class Mass	Grade 5A	9:00 a.m.
	22	Class Mass	Grade 6A	9:00 a.m.
	25	Class Mass	Grade 4B	9:00 a.m.
	26	Class Mass	Grade 4A	9:00 a.m.
		Market Day		
	27	Class Mass	Grade 2A	9:00 a.m.
	29	Class Mass	Grade 2B	9:00 a.m.
		Progress Reports		
	31	ECC Open House		12:00 – 3:00 p.m.
February	1-5	Catholic Schools Week		

Progress Reports Delayed

Due to computer problems that the Diocese of Trenton is experiencing we will not be able to generate progress reports for this Friday. Progress reports will be issued next Friday, January 29.

Clothing for Haiti

Our school is collecting the following items for the people of Haiti:

Flip Flops/sandals

Light weight shirts/ Light weight blouses

Light weight skirts/dresses

Shorts/pants

Underwear

Baby Blankets

These items will be collected during the week of January 18-23. We are asking the students to bring clothing that would be appropriate for their age group. Donations should be brought to the students' classrooms. Thank you for your help and generosity.

Market Day

There is still time to place your order for Market Day. Orders can be placed online until 11pm on Wednesday 1/20. Internet orders can be placed online at www.marketdav.com.

Sale/pick up date: **Tuesday January 26th**

Sale/pick up time: 3:00-4:00 pm & 5:30-6:30 pm in the cafeteria

Orders must be pre-paid if using the evening pickup. You can pre-pay on-line at www.marketdav.com. or send in a check to Carol Tanzola c/o Anthony 2B. Please notify Carol if you plan to use the evening pickup.

If you have any questions, please contact Carol Tanzola at 856-234-6442 (gtanzola@verizon.net), or Colleen Mackuse at 856-778-3180 (mackuse1@comcast.net).

A Big Thank you from SCRIP!

The scrip committee would like to thank everyone who purchased scrip gift cards, grocery cards, and East Gate Car Wash cards this year!

So far we have raised **\$3,243** for our school!!! We wanted to let everyone know that you can still buy gift cards and grocery cards all year long. Please contact Lisa Beretzki c/o Madalyn 1B at saberetzki@comcast.net or 856-778-1957 or Jamie Manall c/o Nicole 7A at daddydog9@comcast.net or 856-787-8498.

Church Street Closing

OVER THE COURSE OF THE NEXT THREE MONTHS, THE WATER MAIN WILL BE REPLACED IN CHURCH STREET BETWEEN MAIN STREET AND ROUTE 38. ON OR ABOUT JANUARY 18, 2010, CHURCH STREET WILL BE CLOSED TO THROUGH TRAFFIC AND A DETOUR PROVIDED SO THAT WORK MAY BEGIN.

ACCESS TO CHURCH STREET WILL BE AVAILABLE FOR LOCAL AND EMERGENCY TRAFFIC DURING THIS TIME, HOWEVER, THE ACCESS POINT TO CHURCH STREET WILL VARY DEPENDING UPON THE LOCATION OF THE WORK ZONE. IF THE WORK ZONE IS AT THE ROUTE 38 END, ACCESS TO CHURCH STREET WILL BE AVAILABLE FROM MAIN STREET AND WHEN WORKING AT THE MAIN STREET END, ACCESS WILL BE FROM ROUTE 38.

Catholic Schools Week: "Dividends for Life" – January 31- February 5

Sunday

Noon-3:00 p.m. - ECC Open House for prospective families for pre-school and kindergarten for 2010-2011

Monday

9:00-11:00 a.m. Open House for School Parents

9:00-11:00 a.m. Open House for Prospective Families

1: 15 p.m. Assembly: Installation of Student Council

Graduate of the Year Award: Mr. Joe Wondoloski '36

Tuesday

Spirit Day

10:00 a.m. Puppet Show (Grades K-4)

12:00 p.m. Buddy Lunch (Grades K and 8)

1:15 p.m. Assembly: Classes Compete playing Jeopardy

Wednesday

10:00 a.m. School Mass (presentation of the Sr. Michael Vincent Award: Mrs. Lorraine Turowski)

1: 15 p.m. Assembly: School Spelling Bee Contest

7:00 p.m. PTA Meeting (Speaker: Father Damian, Mr. McGowan)

Thursday

9:00-1:00p.m. Student-Teacher Day

Friday

1:00 p.m. Student Pep Rally