



**St. Teresa of Calcutta
Parent Notes
February 26, 2018
Second Week in Lent**



Monday 2/26 Feast:

Bowling Club

Decision Point 6:30 PM-GAC

Tuesday 2/27 Feast:

Faculty Meeting with teachers in 3, 4, 5, and 6 3:20 PM

Decision Point 6:30 PM-GAC

Wednesday 2/28 Feast:

Stations of the Cross 2:00 PM-All are invited to join us in church. Thank you to Mrs. Loughnane and the 5th graders for planning this Lenten devotion for us.

8th Grade Graduation Meeting 7:00 PM-GAC

Thursday 3/1 Feast:

Mrs. DiBricida and the first grade students will attend the 8:00 mass today.

Staff Meeting 9:30 AM

Grades 5-8 Clubs 2:00 to 2:40

Science Explorers 3:00 to 4:00 PM-Today is the make-up day for the class that we missed earlier in the month. In addition: if you are interested - A new club will begin on Thursday, March 15th. It is called: **Marine Biology Mania**. You may still sign up for it. All registrations have to go through Science Explorers at: ScienceExplorers.com. Their number is: 877-870-9517. Classes are on March 15, 22, April 5, 19, and 26th.

Friday 3/2 Feast:

Grades 5-8 Clubs 8:00 to 8:55

School Mass is at 9:00 AM today. Mrs. Petrella and the second grade are planning mass today. All are invited to join us. Mrs. Richards and the first graders will attend the 9:00 AM mass today.

Pope John Paul Students are coming today to read to the Kindergarten and First graders in honor of Dr. Seuss' birthday.

FACTS Grant and Aid

If you are interested in applying for financial aid please apply online to: <https://onlinefactsmgt.com/aid>. It is very important to begin the application process now.



Cherrydale Farms-Order forms are due on Monday, Feb. 26th.

Looking Ahead:

State of the School Update Wednesday, March 7

Awards Assembly, Wednesday, March 21, 8:30 am

Mother/Son Dance is Saturday, March 24-flyer is enclosed today

Father/Daughter Dance is Saturday, April 14th



Basket Raffle Ticket Ripping Party

Do we have tickets to rip up, yes, we do!! On Friday, March 2nd at 6:00 PM we will begin the annual ticket ripping party to prepare for the Basket Raffle. If you don't have anything to do, come with your favorite snacks and drinks and we will get the party started. It is a major undertaking and necessary for the raffle.

Everyone is invited to come, last year we used one of the classrooms. Check your calendar and see if you are able to join us. Thank you, one and all!

The Basket Raffle Committee is gearing up for preparations for April 20th. The Theme of the Basket Raffle this year is CLUE. They now have their own site and you can find more information at www.stcbasketraffle.com **Tickets go on sale on March 3rd! Mark your calendar**

Parents of CARES students

Reminder: If there is a day you change the CARES schedule for your child, please notify Mrs. Jackie Stiles in the Child Care Office and your child's teacher. The CARES staff must be informed of a change in your plans. Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Dear Parents,

I want to thank all of you who wrote to me this week regarding the lockdown drills, procedures, and the concerns that you have regarding school safety. We did practice through the week and we had a practice drill today. In addition, I requested that the Limerick Police come to school to conduct a drill with us. We are requesting active shooter training for the faculty and staff and the police department are going to work with us. There are several devices that we will purchase to make doors more secure in the classroom and in the gym. I will share more information with you as we move continue to update our plans. There is a School Safety Symposium on April 5th. Mrs. Jackie Stiles, Mr. Maiale and I will attend the symposium. Thank you, again, for your support.

Ms. Dixon