



# *Sister Thea Bowman Catholic School*

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**“BE A SHOOTING STAR FOR GOD”**

## **PRINCIPAL’S NOTE**

St Martin De Porres: “Martin’s childhood was spent in poverty. However, in spite of the poor surroundings his mother taught him the Christian virtues of modesty, humility, and charity. All his life Martin had great compassion for the poor and needy.” Our children learn the biggest lessons at home; are they learning Christian virtues from you, or are they learning non-Christian values from music, T.V., videos, or friends?

## **FISH FRY**

Volunteer and Tell Your Friends and Family: 2<sup>nd</sup> “Bi-Annual Fish Fry on Friday November, 17 from 3:30 – 7 PM. Eat-in or Take-out. \$10 per “loaded” plate and drink.

## **ROOM SPONSORS:**

Each grade has a Room Sponsor who will be contacting you to let you know how you can be involved in your school! Expect a call this week and get involved!

## **PICTURE RETAKES**

Your student can do Picture Retakes on Nov 16<sup>th</sup> if you return a form. Students may wear picture clothes, but will change back into their uniform immediately after the pictures.

## **CANDY FUNDRAISER**

It seems that the TJ’s Pizza just left, but we want to give one more opportunity to fundraise for the school. Our Candy Sale is just in time for people to shop for that “delicious” chocolate Christmas Gift!

## **ANNUAL FUND DRIVE**

Last week you received an Annual Fund Drive Letter and envelope. We ask that 100% of envelopes be returned. This is your chance to give a little extra, ask a friend or family member to support your student, or send us back prayers for peace and success in our school. Thank you for your support!

## **FAMILY READING NIGHT**

Our annual Family Reading Night is Thursday, Nov 16, from 5 – 6:30, 5<sup>th</sup> – 7<sup>th</sup> grade High School Presentation starts at 6:30. Plan to join us for this fun event!

## **FASTDIRECT**

Add your e-mail or text option to FASTDIRECT, and receive important messages like SNOW DAYS!

## **CALENDAR**

### **NOVEMBER**

- 10 Mass (Grade 6)
- 13 Veteran’s Day. School is open, but No Buses
- 16 Family Reading Night 5 – 6:30. 5<sup>th</sup> – 7<sup>th</sup> grade presentation 6:30 – 7:30.
- 17 Fish Fry. GYM 3:30 – 7:00 PM.
- 22-24 Thanksgiving Break

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