



# Shamrock Newsletter

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## Upcoming Dates

- Mar. 8:** Pre-Registration begins for General Public  
**Mar. 8:** Due Date for Inventory and Survey  
**Mar. 9:** Spring Photos  
**Mar. 10:** Early Dismissal  
**Mar. 15-19:** Spring Break  
**Mar. 24:** PK-4 Parent Lunch  
**Mar. 24:** Early Dismissal  
**Mar. 24:** Report Cards go Home

## Lenten Service Project

Our Lenten Service Project this year is collecting money for the people in Haiti suffering from the recent earthquake. The money will be sent to Catholic Relief Services, an international relief organization. Please be generous in this effort to reach out to our brothers and sisters in Christ.

## Pre-Registration for 2010-2011 School Year

Pre-Registration for current families continues as we open our doors to the General Public today, Monday, March 8<sup>th</sup>. All registration is on a first come, first serve basis. It is VERY important that you submit both a Pre-Registration form along with the \$175.00 fee for your child to be registered. Extra forms are available in the office. The fee will increase to \$200.00 beginning April 1<sup>st</sup>.

Whether or not your child is returning next year, please submit a form indicating yes or no. **This is very important for our budgeting process.**

## PK-4 Parent Lunch

PK-4 Parent Lunch will be held **Wednesday, March 24<sup>th</sup>**. Please return your reservation form, if you have not yet done so. Keep the upper portion as a reminder to you, and return the bottom portion to the school. Thank you.

## More Important News on Back

## Irish Festival Success

A very special thank you goes to ALL for a wonderful Irish Festival day, especially to Adrian Perry for coordinating this annual 'fun' and 'fund' raising event!

## Raffle Winners:

The winners of the Irish Festival Raffle are:  
Necklace: Jimmy Dove  
Grill: Aaliyahmarie Singer  
Belk Shopping Spree: Joanie Hodge

## Stations of the Cross

During the liturgical season of Lent, the students in grades 3<sup>rd</sup> through 6<sup>th</sup> attend Stations of the Cross in the church beginning at 2:00 p.m. each Friday. Parents are welcome to join us.

## Regional Science Fair News

We will be thinking of our students attending the Regional Science Fair on **Thursday, March 11<sup>th</sup>**. May your travels be safe and your experience an enjoyable one. Review the lists given to you last week for necessary equipment and supplies you need for the day.

## Spring Photos

Stockton Photography will be here tomorrow, **Tuesday, March 9<sup>th</sup>** to take Spring photos. Uniforms are not required for these photos.

## Mailing to the Military

The Catholic Schools Week service project items have been sent. Thank you again for your generous response.

## Choir News

The Church Office has requested the choir to perform at Confirmation on Thursday, April 22<sup>nd</sup> at 6:00 p.m. Watch for news regarding a Spring Concert to be held in April.

### **Parent Opinion Inventory**

If you have not returned the **Parent Opinion Inventory and Catholic Identity Survey** sent to you last week, please do so by tomorrow, March 9<sup>th</sup>. Just fill them out and return in the same envelope in which they came. Thank you for taking the time to complete these forms. It is important and will remain anonymous.

### **Liturgical Dancer Update**

The Liturgical Dancers will perform at the 8:10 a.m. mass on March 25<sup>th</sup>.

### **Photos for Yearbook**

If you have any interesting photos you would like to submit for this year's yearbook, please copy them to a disk and leave at the school office attention to Joan Albert. Thank you.

### **Bad Weather Make-Up Day**

Our school calendar has two inclement weather days built into it. However, the snow day on February 12<sup>th</sup> was our third day off due to weather and will have to be made up. Therefore, **we will have school on Thursday, April 1<sup>st</sup>**. Please mark your calendar to reflect this change.



In accordance with the Civil Rights Act of 1964, there will be no discrimination on the grounds of race, creed, color, national origin, or handicapping condition in regards to student enrollment or staff employment.