

# TRINITY CATHOLIC SCHOOL

## THURSDAY BULLETIN

November 25, 2020



Dear Parents/Guardians,

As the holidays draw near, it is a perfect time to remember our many blessings. Although 2020 has been a year of great challenges, it has also provided us with the opportunity to rejoice in the little things. The school community is eternally grateful for our many supporters, our dedicated faculty and staff, the gift of our new buildings, and our guidance and educational opportunities. We celebrate the gift of family, friends, health, and community. During this holiday, please stop to say a prayer of Thanksgiving for the blessings you celebrate this year.

To celebrate the Thanksgiving holiday school and Educare will be closed on Thursday and Friday. School will dismiss early on Wednesday: grade 4 at 11:20, kindergarten and grade 3 at 11:25, and grade 1 and 2 at 11:30. Arrangements for child care must be made with Educare. As a reminder, please celebrate the holiday safely to minimize exposure within the school.

This coming Sunday, November 29, the season of Advent begins. This is a time of preparation and reflection. It is a season of hope, peace, joy, and love. We are including an Advent calendar so your family can count down the days together. Please find ways to celebrate this joyous season with your family. "May the God of hope fill you with all joy and peace in your faith, so that in the power of the Holy Spirit you may be rich in hope." ~Romans 15:13.

Happy Thanksgiving!

Stacie Holcomb





*Grace to you and peace from God our Father and the Lord Jesus Christ. I ask the Lord that he continue to pour his blessings and graces on you all as we give him thanks for all he has given us in Christ Jesus. Thanksgiving is a time to reflect how blessed we are. Father, open the hearts of all our children to receive the graces of your presence to the fullest you will allow so your Love is made present in them to others. I ask you this in Jesus. Amen. Most Holy Virgin Mary pray for us. St. Joseph pray for us.*

*Rev. Fr. Brian R. Sattler*

### **THANKSGIVING HOLIDAY**

School will dismiss at 11:30 a.m. on Wednesday, November 25. Both the school and Educare are closed November 26 and 27<sup>th</sup>.

### **LOST & FOUND**

Lost & Found bins are overflowing. They are located in the main entryway to the school. Items not picked up by the Thanksgiving holiday will be donated.

## **DONATIONS FOR EDUCARE**

The holidays are coming. If you are cleaning out your children's rooms to make space for new Christmas gifts or want to donate items for the holidays, we have provided a list of items (attachment) that Educare is looking for.

## **REMINDER**

School dismisses at 2:00 p.m. every Thursday.

## **CONFIRMATION**

The Sacrament of Confirmation will take place on **December 5**, 10:00 a.m., at Our Lady of Lourdes Cathedral (1115 W. Riverside). Due to Covid restrictions, only the student, sponsor, and two family members will be able to attend.

Practice for Confirmation will take place on December 4 at 6:00 p.m. at Our Lady of Lourdes.

On Friday, December 4, those 3<sup>rd</sup> graders and other students preparing for Confirmation will have a short retreat (1:30 - 3:00) at St. Anthony's (Parish) Church. You may pick up your student at 3:00 p.m. from there.

