

St. Teresa of Calcutta School Week of December February 7, 2022 Parent Notes



Monday, February 7, 2022 Feast: Saint Colette

Tuesday, February 8, 2022 Feast: Saint Josephine Bakhita

Wednesday, February 9, 2022 Feast: Saint Jerome Emiliani

Thursday, February 10, 2022 Feast: Saint Scholastica

Friday, February 11, 2022 Feast: Saint Gregory II

Thank you

Thank you to all for your support during the last two weeks. We experienced dramatic weather changes and schedule changes due to the activities of Catholic Schools Week. It is so appreciated knowing that the parents of STC support the faculty and staff amidst all the changes, transitions and decisions that need to be made for the good of all students and STC school community.



Thank you for Catholic Schools Week Donations

Thank you to all our STC families for their generosity in reaching out to others this past week. Over \$500 was raised for our Hero's lunch to feed our hero hospital workers at Pottstown Hospital. A van load of supplies was collected for Variety Club in our Children Helping Children Outreach Campaign. The kindness and goodness of our families is greatly appreciated.

Thank you to the Home and School Association for providing snacks for our students and lunch and gifts of appreciation for our teachers. Their enthusiasm and love of STC is apparent in all their time and efforts.

Email Change

The email for the front desk has changed to frontdesk@school.stteresacalcutta.com
Please use this new email going forward.

Pretzels

Pretzel orders from Friday, January 7^{th} will be distributed on Monday February 14^{th}

Health Corner

<u>Vaccines-</u>Parents, as your children receive the vaccine, it will be very helpful for us to know who is vaccinated and who is not vaccinated in the event we need to conduct any contact tracing. I am asking you to send in a copy of your child's vaccine card. You are welcome to send a copy or a picture of it. Thank you! Send to: rjohn@school.stteresacalcutta.com or cfalciani@school.stteresacalcutta.com

<u>Uniform</u> https://www.stcschool.com/uniforms

Please review and follow the dress code per the handbook. The link above contains the information. The cooperation among the parents and students to ensure the dress code is followed has been apparent these past two weeks and is greatly appreciated. Thank you for your continued support.



Lunch/Recess Volunteers

We need as many lunch/recess parents as possible. We need volunteer parents on the recess yard as well as in the APR for supervision. A Sign-Up Genius is sent out for you each week to use if you are able to volunteer to be a lunch parent. If you are able, please consider being a lunch parent as this is a definitive need.

Recess Procedures

Students are taken out for recess if the temperature is above freezing and there is no precipitation. Please have your child prepared with the proper outerwear as deemed by the weather and temperature conditions. It has been a tough few weeks and outdoor recess has been sporadic. Winter is not over, unfortunately. During indoor recess students are allowed to move around, play games and talk to one another. Proper and respectful behavior is expected as it would be for any type of recess. The students still have gym and the teachers get them out of there desks for breaks. With space constraints we are doing the best we can, and we truly appreciate your understanding especially with things beyond our control.

Free Throw Competition

The Knights of Columbus Council 15456 is hosting the annual Free Throw Championship on Sunday February 6, 2022 in the STC Gym from 11:30-1pm. This is a Free Event and is open to all boys and girls ages 9-14. Past Council winners, Anya Bator, Brianna Lewis.

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL AT SAINT TERESA OF CALCUTTA

Rocky Railway Totally Catholic VBS - July 18th - July 22^{nd f} from 9:00 AM to 12:00 PM for children who are graduates of Kindergarten to 4th grade and also preschoolers ages 4 and 5. A sneak preview of this year's VBS and the opportunity for a discount on the registration fee will take place on February 6th at the Education Center from 9:00 AM - 12:00 PM. The registration fee will be \$50.00. To register after February 6th, download a form from the P.R.E.P. website (access the STC website, then click on PREP); include a \$60.00 registration fee and return to the P.R.E.P. office. The fee includes a t-shirt (note size on form).

Adult station leaders are needed, as well as crew leaders who have completed 6th grade and will be working on service hours for Confirmation. If interested in being a part of this wonderful adventure, volunteers can sign up on Sunday, February 6th from 9:00 AM to 12:00 PM, in person, at the Education Center.

Little Kids Depot Preschool VBS

Our Vacation Bible School has a program for children who are four or five (must be potty trained), but have not graduated from Kindergarten. The maximum number of students for this program is 20. The registration information and dates are the same as above. There will be crafts and games geared to their age level.

Looking Ahead

February 14- Saint Valentine Classroom Celebrations February 21- No School/ Presidents' Day

