

# St. Theodore Catholic School Weekly Newsletter



## St. Theodore Catholic School Mission Statement:

St. Theodore Catholic School promotes excellence through well-rounded academic curriculum in a Christ-centered environment for children of all faiths.

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WEEKLY NEWSLETTER

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Albert Lea, MN

### Upcoming Events:

**Aug. 25: Frist day of Pre-K**

**Aug. 28: Flocknote test at 4:00pm**

**Aug. 29-Sept. 1: No School Labor Day**

**Sept. 8: Fundraising Committee Meeting**

(6:30pm Marian Hall, all are welcome)

**Sept. 16: School Board Meeting**

(6:00pm Marian Hall, all are welcome)

**Sept. 23: Picture Retakes**

(Done during the school day)

**Sept. 29: School Marathon**

(Sponsored by Knights of Columbus)



It's going to be a GREAT YEAR!



### Wednesday Mass 9:00am:

**Aug. 27:** 4th/5th Grade Read, 3rd Grade Choir Box

**Sept. 3:** 3rd Grade Read, 2nd Grade Choir box

**Sept. 10:** 2nd Grade Read, 4th/5th Grade Choir Box

**Sept. 17:** 4th/5th Grade, 3rd Grade Choir Box

### Sept. P.A.K.E.T Days Link:

<https://volunteersignup.org/78EJJ>

**Link changes monthly**



### Fundraising Committee Meeting

Monday, Sept. 8, is the first Fundraising Committee Meeting at 6:30pm in Marian Hall. All families are welcome to attend. Parents are welcome bring their students along, the gym will be open for them.



### Knights of Columbus School Marathon

On Fri., Sept. 26, our K-5th grade students will participate in our marathon walking around Fountain Lake. We will send pledge sheets home with students next week. Each family is required to collect a minimum of \$150. If you have any questions, contact the school office at 507-373-9657.



### Lunch Helper

We are in need of lunch helpers. Helpers arrive at 11:30am, serve lunch at 11:50am, and clean up at 12:30pm. You can pick a specific day to come in weekly or serve at least 3 time to count towards your volunteer requirements. You can have other family members sign up, such as grandparents, to count towards your volunteer requirements. Contact Kristina at [kgarcia@sttheoschool.org](mailto:kgarcia@sttheoschool.org) or 507-373-9657. \*Must have Virtus Training\*



### K-5th Grade Classroom Parties

If you would like to be a room parent for classroom parties, please email Kristina at [kgarcia@sttheoschool.org](mailto:kgarcia@sttheoschool.org) no later than September 30. We will randomly choose 3-4 parents per grade to participate.

Room parents are responsible for all 3 classroom parties on Oct. 31, Dec. 19, and Feb.13. Party classroom prep is from 1:00pm-1:30pm and the parties are from 1:30pm-2:45pm. If you sign up you are volunteering to help with all three parties. This will count towards your volunteer requirements. \*Must have Virtus Training\*

## **In the News: Featured Students**

Starting in September we will feature 3 students in each weekly newsletter. Our Pre-K-4th grade students will be randomly selected, we will finish out the year featuring our graduating 5th graders. The start of each week a form with questions will be sent home with the featured student. Students will choose 10 questions to answer from a list of 20.



### **Volunteering**

Each families is required to participate in the School Marathon (this excludes Pre-K), the Catholic United Financial Raffle, and 2 other events/fundraisers during the school year. You may volunteer to serve lunch weekly (you may sub a minimum of 3 days to count towards volunteer requirements), help with Art class, be a classroom parent for parties, we will have many options to choose from throughout the school year. Contact the school office at 507-373-9657 with any questions.



### **Summer Scrip Ordering**

Order forms for Scrip cards are sent home every Wednesday. Each family is required to purchase a total of \$750 in Scrip Cards during the school year. You may also pick up Scrip cards in the parish office, Monday-Thursday from 8:00am-4:00pm. An online ordering portal is available at [www.MyScripWallet.com](http://www.MyScripWallet.com). Our enrollment code for MyScripWallet.com is 67F6B6DL1751.

If you have any questions about Scrip, you can contact our Scrip coordinator Mandy at [agrzybow@me.com](mailto:agrzybow@me.com) or the school at 507-373-9657.



### **P.A.K.E.T. Days**

Parents And Kids Eat Together days! Starting in September until April parents may sign up to come eat lunch with their student/s. You may bring in fast food, a meal from home or order a school lunch at a cost of \$4.00 per meal. Each day 5 families may sign up to come eat lunch. Each family may sign up for 1 day per month. Families will get a table that seats 5 people. A link will be sent monthly to all families via our Flocknote messaging. The link can also be found at the top of each newsletter, on the monthly Activity calendars, and on the monthly Lunch calendars.

Here is the September P.A.K.E.T. Days link: <https://volunteersignup.org/78EJJ>



### **Art Class Helper**

We are in need of Art Class helpers. This is an all day requirement, you arrive at 8:15am, lunch is from 12:00pm-1:00pm, and your day ends at 3:00pm.

Here is the link to sign up: <https://volunteersignup.org/M37KB>

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**Have a great weekend!**