

St. Dominic School

WHERE MIND, BODY AND SPIRIT ARE AWAKENED

Thursday, November 17, 2011 by Administrative Staff

PARENT NEWS:

- **There is no school November 23rd, 24th or 25th. Have a blessed Thanksgiving.**
- **GIVE TO THE MAX DAY** was a great success. We had over 55 donors giving over \$2000... in just one day. Thank you to all of you for your interest, your support and your kind words about your experiences at the school. We are truly blessed.
- **Magazine Drive Kick-off was held today.** It runs until December 7th. Your child received a special packet of information at the kick-off, included was a list of customers who purchased magazines from you last year. To be eligible for the iPod Nano drawing, he or she MUST complete the post card booklet and return it to school TOMORROW.
- **The PROGRESSIVE CASH RAFFLE, "Cool Cash for Education"** will be held again this year as part of the St. Dominic School Saints Night Out event! The grand prize is \$4,000 if all 300 tickets are sold, plus there are opportunities to win many other cash prizes. Last year the Cash Raffle netted the School over \$17,000! Success of this raffle requires a school-wide effort. Each family is asked to buy or sell at least 1 raffle ticket. Complete information for the Raffle is included in this week's communication packet!
- **Family Fun Night** is tomorrow beginning at 5:30. Come for pizza, bingo, prizes and fun!
- **Turkey Bingo is also at the church Friday evening** beginning at 7:00 pm.
- **Save the date: Breakfast with Santa** will be Saturday, December 10th. This is a Scholarship benefit for Northfield Preschools. Tickets are available in the school's office.
- **Librarian Assistant still needed.** Contact Kim Bobert with questions: library@churchofstdominic.org.

STUDENT NEWS

- **Congratulations to the 4th graders** upon receiving their bibles at last week's masses.
- **Mass on 11/20:** All 2nd – 5th grade students are invited to sing this Sunday at the 10:30 Mass. We have practiced during Music Class and hope to see students participate and support our congregation through their musical talents.
- **Singers needed:** K – 8th grade students singing "Children of God." Father Denny is speaking this year at the Thanksgiving Service held on Thursday (Thanksgiving Day) at 10:00 am at St. Peter's Lutheran Church located at East Sumner Street. After his presentation, he would like the students to come up and sing "Children of God." All are welcome and invited to attend. Please contact Lorilee Malecha with any questions: lorileemalecha@churchofstdominic.org.
- **Reconciliation** will be Sunday, November 20th. Congratulations to all of our second graders as they receive the Sacrament.
- **Black Friday Childcare:** Do you have your eye on something on sale Black Friday? Looking for childcare? Drop your kid(s) off at St. Dominic School! The 8th graders (and parents) will play games, make crafts, and supervise your children, anytime from 7 a.m. - 2 p.m. \$20 / child. The 8th graders are raising money for their class trip to San Antonio this year. Details are enclosed in the packet.

LITURGY SCHEDULE:

- Mass will be led by 2nd grade on Wednesday, November 30th at 8:20 am.
- Mass will be led by 7th grade on Thursday, December 8th at 8:20 am. Please note the day change.

NOVEMBER	DECEMBER	JANUARY
Nov. 1 – Special Guest Day	Dec. 15 – Christmas Concert	Jan. 3 – School resumes
Nov. 11 – End of 1 st quarter	Dec. 23 – Jan 2 – Christmas Break	Jan. 16- No school – Teacher Workshop
Nov. 12/13 – 4 th Grade Bible Distrib.		Jan. 20 – End of second quarter
Nov. 23 – 25 – Thanksgiving Break		Jan. 23 – No school – Teacher workshop