



*St. Charles Catholic School*  
*Wednesday Newsletter*

November 19, 2008

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**EARLY RELEASE (11:45) – November 25<sup>th</sup>**  
**NO SCHOOL – November 26<sup>th</sup>**

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One sentence sermon: Prayer – Don't give God instructions, just report for duty!

**PRINCIPAL'S DESK...**

How to Observe Thanksgiving

Count your blessings instead of your crosses: Count your gains instead of your losses.

Count your joys instead of your woes: Count your friends instead of your foes.

Count your smiles instead of your tears: Count your courage instead of your fears.

Count your full years instead of your lean: Count your kind deeds instead of your mean.

Count your health instead of your wealth: Count on God instead of yourself.

-- Author Unknown --

**HAPPY THANKSGIVING!**

We wish all of you a blessed Thanksgiving.

School Principal  
*Doug Dunlop*

**OFFICE NOTES/REMINDERS**

Parent / Teacher Conferences:

Tuesday, November 25<sup>th</sup> – 2:00p.m. to 8:00p.m.

Wednesday, November 26<sup>th</sup> – 7:30a.m. to 12:00p.m.

.If you have any questions, please give us a call or contact your child's teacher.

WebGrader for Parents

If parents lose their child's username and password they must come to the office and ask for the information again.

**\*\*\*Passwords will not be given out via e-mail, over the phone or to students!!!\*\*\***

If you need to send the teacher a note:

From the WebNotes menu, select Inbox Subject column to read the WebNotes.

Click the Compose button to write a WebNote to your child's teacher. You can setup your inbox to forward WebNotes to your e-mail address. From the Options menu select E-mail Address. Click the checkbox and enter your e-mail address. Click **Save**.

Grades will be updated approximately midmonth and the end of the month. Larger projects may take more time for grades to be entered.

If you do not have your passwords, please come to the school office to pick it up.

## COLD WEATHER TIME OF YEAR

Parents remember to dress the kids according to the weather conditions. The students will go out for recess everyday. Please put their name inside of their apparel.

When we have school closed due to inclement weather, watch our local television and AM radio stations.

We always follow the Arrowhead school district closings.

## HOT LUNCH MENU is AVAILABLE ON – LINE

Parents please complete your order and send in your payment promptly.

All orders and payments are  
**due by Monday, November 24, 2008.**

## COMMITTEE NEWS/Fundraising

### SCRIP ORDERS

Remember, the holidays are just around the corner and everyone loves a gift card for their birthday.

Congratulations to the winner of our SCRIP raffle last week - Julie Heyrman won a \$ 10 certificate for the SCRIP of her choice.

Paper orders due to School Office by NOON <Tuesday, 11/25>,  
Either email order to [scripforschool@msn.com](mailto:scripforschool@msn.com) or ShopWithScrip by 5PM <Sunday, 11/30>  
**Pick Up** on Thursday, December 4<sup>th</sup>, 2008 after school.

Be sure to check out the [shopwithscrip.com](http://shopwithscrip.com) website for all of your Christmas shopping. There are a lot of different retailers on the website that we aren't able to offer because we don't have room on our form. One of our school families recently purchased a \$14 Domino's large Pizza and 2 liter bottle of soda - and our school earned 25%! The St. Charles enrollment code is 8F6L51D1476L.

### Breakfast with Santa

Saturday, December 13, 2008

It's never too early to start thinking about Christmas.

Registration forms will be available soon.

Many volunteers are needed to make this breakfast a success.

A list requesting donations of syrup, applesauce and orange juice is included in this week's envelope.

We are also looking for an individual to play Santa.

Please contact us with any questions: Jennifer Ostermann 369-0318 or  
Kristin Iverson 367-4481.



## STUDENT COUNCIL

Dress Down Day - December 4, 2008

### CIRCLE OF LOVE TREE

We will be collecting money for the purchase of a gift request from the Circle of Love Tree in the Parish. We would like to give the gift of gift certificates to a person in need this Christmas.

Please send a monetary donation to school with your child if they are going to participate with dressing down.

Thanks for all your support.

We would like to wish everyone a very Merry Christmas from all of your Student Council members.

## NEWS, ANNOUNCEMENTS & UPCOMING EVENTS

### MUSIC CLASS

Dear Parents,

We have already finished our 1<sup>st</sup> quarter of school! The Model Student Award Parties for this quarter will go out to the following classes:

Kindergarten - 1<sup>st</sup> grade - 2<sup>nd</sup> grade - 4<sup>th</sup> grade - 5<sup>th</sup> grade - 8<sup>th</sup> grade

We will be celebrating our parties on Thursday, November 20<sup>th</sup> (This week!!!)  
I will provide root beer floats for the Kindergarten through 2<sup>nd</sup> graders.

I am asking for willing 4<sup>th</sup>, 5<sup>th</sup>, and 8<sup>th</sup> grade volunteers to bring snacks for their class party. Thank you so much in advance for your help! We are going to have a lot of fun!

Students may bring their own beverages, as long as there is a closeable lid. Soda is also allowed.

Sincerely,

Tiffany Pencak—Music Teacher

### **FOOD PANTRY NEEDS YOUR HELP – STUDENT DRESS DOWN DAY**

The Student Council is planning a **Packer dress down day** for **Monday, November 24<sup>th</sup>, 2008**.

To participate in the dress down, send a food donation in for our St. Vincent de Paul food pantry. The pantry is in need of toothpaste, toothbrushes, toilet paper, detergent, canned meats and canned pasta.

## Crusader News

### JEFF EAVES' MEMORIAL BASKETBALL TOURNAMENT

The St. Charles basketball tournament begins on Monday November 24. For those parents that have children participating in the tournament, you will be asked to help work the tournament at concessions, admissions, or the scorer's table. These volunteer hours are above and beyond the normal 5 hours of season help. This is stated in the handbook. For those parents that do not have children participating in the tournament, you can volunteer to work at the tournament and use these hours to fulfill your school volunteer requirement. If you would like to work at our tournament, please contact Dan Taylor at

[etaylor@danmary@aol.com](mailto:etaylor@danmary@aol.com).

## Miscellaneous

.St. Charles School Christmas Concert 2008 – The Magic of Christmas  
December 11<sup>th</sup>, 2008 at 6:30p.m. – Recreation Center

### 1<sup>ST</sup> QUARTER HONOR ROLL STUDENTS

**6<sup>TH</sup> Grade:** **High Honors** – Brady Pinkerton   **Honors**; Alana Arens and Erik Johnson

**7<sup>TH</sup> Grade:** **High Honors** – Sarah Olson, Billy Sheaffer and Marisa Ulrich

**Honors** – Dana Dobbe, Liz Dominski, Brittany Hamer, Brian Kohr, David McLeod, Ellen Moyer, Teddy Sibilsky, Samii Taylor and Zachary Zimmermann

**8<sup>TH</sup> Grade:** **High Honors** – Maggie esser, Vanessa voss

**Honors** – Bri Alexander, Ben Bierman, Christian Carew, Brenna Fischer, Eric Heyrman, Andy McWilliams, Casey Skowron, Greta Stawicki, Meghan Supple, Jacob Dubnicka, Clinton Plowman

## Parish News

### ADVENT CANDLE LIGHTING - November 29 and 30

Families are needed to participate in the ADVENT CANDLE LIGHTING during mass this weekend. We still **need families for the 7:30a.m and 10:30a.m. Masses on Sunday, November 30<sup>th</sup>, 2008.** Please call the school office to volunteer. We really appreciate all your help.

CYM Basketball Sign Up is happening now.

Please contact the parish office for details, 262-367-0800.

### “JESUS AND ME” BIRTHDAY PARTY

You are invited to attend on Wednesday, December 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2008 from 9:30a.m. to 11:00a.m.

Registration forms are available in the Parish bulletin or at the Parish office.

The cost is \$5.00 per child (adults are free).

Please bring an unwrapped gift for baby Jesus. (gifts will be donated to our St. Charles ministries)

TEEN MASS – Sunday, November 23, 2008 at 6:30p.m.

### DIRECTORY UPDATE

**Albea**, Scott and Elizabeth

E-mail address: [eealbea@wi.rr.com](mailto:eealbea@wi.rr.com)

New Family – Post, Michael and Laury (November 24, 2008)

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Bella   1<sup>st</sup> Gr.

### SCHOOL CALENDAR CORRECTION:

#### **GOLF OUTING DATE CHANGE:**

**The St. Charles annual golf outing will be held on Wednesday, June 24, 2009**

Please keep this date available and gather all your friends and family for a fun day.