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Principal's Corner

I am excited to share with you that St. Dominic School has received two generous grants. The first is from the Catholic Service Appeal Foundation for over \$15,000 to purchase new student desks and chairs for our 1st-4th grade classrooms.

Our second grant is from the Catholic Community Foundation for \$8,400 to purchase new signage around the school and new marketing signage to promote our school at church.

We are very grateful to these two organizations for their generous support of Catholic education!

Blessings, Dawn Biren

All Saints Day Mass

Our school mass next week will be on Monday, November 1 in observance of All Saints Day. Please note: all students (Preschool-8th Grade) will attend mass on Monday. The teachers and



students leave school by 8:10am to walk over to church. Please make sure your child arrives at school around 8am this day.

WE DID IT!

Congratulations St. Dominic School...we made our Marathon goal! Thank you to the few last chance donors who pushed us over our \$29,000 goal.

Dress for the Weather

Fall is upon us and the colder weather sure has settled in on us. Please make sure that your child brings a warm coat and possibly hat and gloves to school now that it is turning colder. All students go outside everyday for recess and even PE some days.

November Lunch Menu



Halloween Dress Up and Parties

Tomorrow, October 29, we will celebrate Halloween at school. Students may be out of dress code and wear: orange, black, purple, or their favorite Halloween clothing. Please do NOT wear costumes to school, please bring them instead.

Each classroom is planning their own Halloween celebration. Please look for an email from your child's teacher with specific information about their classroom celebration.

Family Night Postponed

Due to the Visitation and Vigil for Fr. Denny at our parish this Friday, we are postponing our movie and popcorn night to a later date, to be determined.

Facebook Contest Winners!

Thank you to everyone who participated in our Facebook contest. Our winners of the \$25 Target gift cards are: Paula McCrea, Christian Prinzing, and Andrea Redder. Congratulations!

Unpaid Meal Policy

Please review our <u>Unpaid Meal/Lunch Policy and</u> <u>Debt Collection</u> process. This policy is a requirement of our participation in the Federal Lunch Program.

Dates to Remember

- October 28 3-5:30pm Flu Vaccine and Covid Booster Clinic at school
- November 1 All Saints Day School Mass (PS-8)
- November 8 No Bussing (AM & PM)
- November 24-26 Thanksgiving Break
- December 16 6pm K-8 Christmas Program at church
- December 17 1:30pm Preschool & Pre-K Christmas Program at school
- December 22 Last day before Christmas Break

St. Dominic School inspires children to excel as confident leaders, critical thinkers, and responsible citizens in a Catholic, values-based community.