

December 12, 2016



UPCOMING...

Monday, December 12	Pre-Orders for Christmas program videos due. See order form below. Please turn in by 3:30 so that we can contact Mineral Point.
Monday, December 12	Draw winning tickets in the "Children Feeding Children" Advent Project.
Wednesday, December 14	Christmas Program, 12:30 and 7:00 PM Please have students in pews by 6:50 PM for the evening performance.
Thursday, December 15	Fruit Delivered, Pick up noon – 6 PM
Sunday, December 18	Basketball Games at Cuba City. All four teams play starting with B boys at noon.
Monday, December 19	7/8 Grades visit Nursing Homes
Thursday, December 22	Festive Sweater Day (or Ugly Sweater – beauty is in the eyes of the beholder) Christmas Party for Students – movies in the afternoon with treats provided.
Friday, December 23	No School – start of Christmas Break

FRUIT SALE

Delivery: Thursday, December 15, Noon – 6:00 PM

FRUIT SALE VOLUNTEERS STILL NEEDED

We still need several adults to help with the fruit sale on Thursday, December 15. We need the most help from 7:30AM until Noon while we are sorting and arranging the fruit. We then need people in two hour shifts (you can sign up for more if you want) Noon-2:00, 2:00-4:00; 4:00-6:00. Call the office or send an email if you wish to work. We will respond to the email to confirm you are signed up. Calling would probably be best.

CHRISTMAS WISH LIST

The Education Committee thought it would be nice for the teachers to make a wish list for Christmas. There will be a display on the door by the office listing some of the needs for our school. Take a peek at it if you are thinking of getting something for the school/teachers for Christmas. If you see something you plan on purchasing, please remove the ornament, so we do not have duplicates.

CHRISTMAS PROGRAM

The students are all excited to present their Christmas program on Wednesday, December 14. The name of the program is "The Tale of the Drowsy Shepherd." The programs will be presented at 12:30 and 7:00 PM. Please have the 8th grade cast to school by 6:30 PM, and the rest of the grades should be in their places by 6:50 PM.

COOKIES ALL GONE

Thank you for the wonderful support for the cookie sale. We sold enough cookies to donate \$475 to the Homeless Coalition from St. Joseph School. What a wonderful gift during the Christmas Season.

CHILDREN FEEDING CHILDREN

We are all so proud of the students for being so enthusiastic about our Advent project of "Children Feeding Children." They raised enough money to feed 12 children through "Food for the Poor." We will be sending \$541.90 to that organization this week. Thank you to all the students for their GENEROUS donations.

7/8th GRADE STUDENTS TO NURSING HOMES

Permission slips went home today to students in grades 7/8 for singing at the nursing homes on Monday, December 19. Please return the slips by Friday.

NEEDED – STORAGE TOTES

Mel could use storage totes to help her organize for the rummage sale. She would appreciate totes WITH covers (such as rubbermade) in a variety of sizes. If you have any around that you are not using she would appreciate if you would donate to St. Joseph to use for this project. Bring them to her in the kitchen. Thank you.

INFORMATION FROM THOSE IN CHARGE OF FISH FRIES

Students in grades 5 – 8 may sign up to work at the fish fries. They sign up with Virginia in the office. Only the 7-8 grade students receive credit for volunteer hours. No other students should come unless they are signed up to work. It causes a distraction for those who are working. Also, they must commit for a shift when they sign up and not come and go as they please. They only receive credit for the shift they sign up for and cannot add hours unless asked by the lead adult. They must follow the lead adult instructions. They do not eat until after their shift. They cannot eat during their shift because that is when they are expected to work. THEY REALLY APPRECIATE THE STUDENT HELP, BUT THESE RULES MUST BE FOLLOWED SO THAT THE FISH FRIES RUN SMOOTHLY.

NOON SUPERVISION

M – N. Scheckel; T- P. James; W- Gollon/Prochaska; Th- Qualley; F- Komplin; M- Slusser



CHRISTMAS PROGRAM VIDEOS
\$15.00 for both performances
(afternoon and evening)

Name _____

Number of Videos _____

TOTAL \$ ENCLOSED _____

Please return with payment by 3:30 PM
Monday, December 12.

The videos must be pre-ordered and pre-paid.
Make checks payable to St. Joseph School and we
will write one check to Mineral Point High School.