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St. Gregory Parish School strives to create and foster a safe learning environment where a child may grow spiritually, academically, emotionally, and socially through a quality education, a living relationship with God and a respect for themselves and others. We strive to recognize that each person is sacred and unique, and we encourage each student to explore and meet their full potential, so that they may successfully respond to the challenges of life and the call to become leaders for Christ, America and the world.

THANKSGIVING BREAK – NO SCHOOL – Wednesday, November 22nd through Monday, November 27th.



Finding Nemo The Musical

St. Gregory Students will be performing the musical "Finding Nemo" tonight and tomorrow. We are looking forward to another fun musical event!

Students should arrive at school by 6:00 p.m. The performance will begin at 6:30 p.m. There is a cast party on Friday after the musical until 8:00 p.m. Students may bring in something to share for the party. Healthy options are appreciated!

Report Card Conferences 11/20 and 11/21/23

You will received your scheduled conference time in Thursday folders today. The schedule is also posted on Class Dojo. If you selected a zoom conference, your child's teachers will be emailing you a link to your scheduled zoom on the morning of your conference. If you do not receive that link, please reach out to the homeroom teacher via email or classroom dojo. If you are unable to attend your conference, please contact the office or your child's teacher immediately so adjustments can be made.

LEVEL 3 AND 4 STUDENTS ARE STRONGLY ENCOURAGED TO ATTEND THE CONFERENCE WITH THEIR PARENTS.

RETAKE- Picture day

School retakes will be taken, <u>Wednesday</u>, <u>November</u> <u>29th.</u>



If your student was absent on the original picture day, please plan on them being photographed for our school records.

This is a dress-up day ONLY for the students

having their pictures taken or re-taken; uniforms are required for all other students.

LITURGY

The Feast of St. Gregory Thaumaturgus Liturgy is tomorrow at 9:15 a.m. in the school gym. All are welcome to attend.



CANOE RAFFLE

The Canoe Raffle Tickets are due by this Friday, November 17th. The drawing will be held this Sunday, November 19th at the Pancake Breakfast hosted by the Knights of Columbus in the parish family room (lower level of the church) following the 7:30 and 9:00 a.m. Masses. The menu includes, Pancakes, Sausage, Egg Omelet, Juice and Coffee. There is no price set for the breakfast but donations are appreciated and will go towards the youth of the parish attending the NCYC – National Catholic Youth Convention.

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Operation "Shoe Box" for Children

and Kids Café donations for

Christmas Service Projects are due on Friday, November 17^{th.} Each family was asked to bring in an item or a small donation to fit in the shoe box for this project.

Pizza with Santa Donations

PTO has also asked that each student donate an item for the silent auction that we will have at Pizza with Santa. If you cannot do an item then \$1.00 per child can be sent in to the homeroom teacher and PTO will do the shopping for you. The classroom with the greatest donations based on percentage since some classes are larger than others will win a free pajama day.

NO Extended After Care

There will be no extended after care on Monday and Tuesday, November 20th and 21st due to parent teacher conferences and also on Tuesday, December 5th due to a faculty Christmas Party.

Raise Days - Let us help you with all your shopping gift card needs and earn \$\$ back towards your school tuition! Order forms are also being sent home with your children tomorrow.

Shop the biggest eGift card bonus event of the year Make your spend go further and earn on all of your holiday shopping with 150+ bonuses on eGift cards and reloaded gift cards.

Things to know:

Limited-time bonuses, Nov 16 - 17 only Bonuses apply exclusively to eGift cards and reloaded gift cards

Participants must have an online account to participate at www.raiseright.com use enrollment code: 5A8L979D13L16



Mass on Thanksgiving Day, November 23, 2023, will be celebrated at 9:00 AM in Church.

Non-perishable food items and monetary

donations from that day will be given to the North East Food Pantry.

Checks may be made payable to St. Gregory Parish. Thank you for your continued generosity!



Tuesday November 21st



Sports or Jersey
dress down day
50¢ to wear
Jeans and your favorite
Sports team clothes

Sponsored by St. Greg's Student
Council

Hot Lunch Order – December 2023 – DUE 12/1/23

Name:	Grade:
12/7/23 Macaroni &Cheese,	Veg x \$4.00 \$
12/14/23 Meatloaf, Potato,	Veg x \$4.00 \$
12/21/23 Pasta, Salad, Roll	x \$4.00 \$
	x\$4.00=\$Enclosed
TACO Lunch Order Form –December 2023 – DUE 12/01/23	
Name:	Grade:
12/19/23 #slices c or p x \$4.00 \$	
Total Lunches Ordered	x\$4.00=\$Enclosed
SUBWAY Order Form –De	ecember 2023- DUE 12/01/23
	ccember 2023- DUE 12/01/23Grade:
Name:12/5/23Ham1	
Name: Ham Total Subs Ordered	Grade:Cold Cut Combo
Name: 12/5/23 Ham T White Total Subs Ordered	Grade:Cold Cut Combo e BreadWheat Breadx\$5.00=\$Enclosed
Name:	Grade: FurkeyCold Cut Combo BreadWheat Bread x\$5.00=\$Enclosed
Name: Ham Table 12/5/23 Ham	Grade: FurkeyCold Cut Combo 2 BreadWheat Bread x\$5.00=\$Enclosed

Teacher's Wish List

PreK: Ziplock Bags (any size)

Kindergarten: Board Games of any kind for 6 years and under.

Art: Baby Wipes and Regular Paper Towels

Level 1: Paper Towels and Snacks for Classroom

Level 2: Glue Sticks and Paper Towels

Level 3: Lined Paper, Composition Books, Paper Towels,

Gallon & Sandwich Size Zip Lock Bags

Level 4: Lined Paper, Paper Towels, Sandwich Size Zip Lock

Bag



St. Gregory School Crusade for Kids Win a \$1000 TUITION DISCOUNT!

As a special incentive to procure goods and services for the Crusade for Kids auction on Saturday, April 27, 2024, we are raffling off a \$1000 discount towards next year's K-8 tuition.

If your family has procured \$500 worth of new items or services for the auction by the <u>early procurement deadline</u>, you will receive 1 entry ticket into the tuition discount raffle. *You will earn an additional entry ticket into the raffle for every additional \$100 worth of new items or services you procure.* The more you procure, the more chances you have to win!

The deadline for entry into this raffle is <u>February 1, 2024</u>. Procurement forms must be turned in by this date to be included in your procurement total and to be eligible for the raffle. All procurement forms are due by March 1, 2024 as per your tuition contract.

Discounted tuition will be applied to the 2024/2025 school year unless winning family is a preschool family who would like to apply their tuition to Kindergarten for the 2025/2026 School Year. Discounted tuition may \underline{not} be applied to preschool tuition or to existing tuition for a graduating 8^{th} grade student.



Journey to Bethlehem! Part 1.

Advent Evening

Food to nourish

your Body and Soul

When: Wednesday, November 29th

Where: Parish Family Room (church lower level).

Time: 6:00PM

What the evening offers:

Supper of Assorted Casseroles, Antipasto Salad, Beverages.







Spiritual presentations for Advent:

Corey Hansen and Cindy Riefstahl





Journey to Bethlehem! Part 2.

Advent Evening

Food to nourish

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When: Wednesday, December 13th

Where: Parish Family Room (church lower level).

Time: 6:00PM

What the evening offers:

Supper of Soup, Glider Sandwiches Antipasto Salad, Beverages.









Spiritual presentations for Advent :

Stacy Malesiewski



