

## St. Stanislaus Kostka School

"Do not walk through time without leaving worthy evidence of your passage." Saint John XXIII

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"We can do hard things."

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Dear St. Stanislaus Kostka Families,

Next week we will be celebrating Thanksgiving with our families. We will have two full days and an 11:50 AM dismissal on Wednesday, November 22, with **NO AFTERCARE**. Please continue to make sure that your child has a jacket each day, and is following the uniform guidelines in the handbook. Below is look ahead at important dates until Christmas.

- Nov. 22 11:50 AM dismissal/NO AFTERCARE
- Nov. 23-24 Thanksgiving Break
- Dec 1 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Ring Ceremony/9:00 AM Mass Tree Lighting Ceremony 6:30 PM
- Dec. 3 Christmas Bazaar
- Dec. 4 11:50 AM dismissal
- Dec. 6 Picture retakes/Class Pictures
- Dec. 8 Immaculate Conception Mass 9:00 AM
- Dec. 13 Jesse Tree Ceremony
- Dec. 14 \$3.00 Dress Down Day
- Dec. 19 Christmas Show 7:00 PM

With regards to dress down days, if your child dresses down they should have the money with them on that day. In many cases, the funds are donated to a specified organization, and the check is being sent before all the funds are received. It is understandable that sometimes things are forgotten, but it should come in the next school day if that is the case. Please also remember that dress down days are of course, optional. Thank you in advance for your cooperation!

St. Stan's students will again be participating in the Christmas Card Project **December 7**. Information is going home in this white envelope. Please use the QR code to nominate people to receive cards. Thank you to Mrs. Pagnotta for organizing this, and to all the volunteers for making this wonderful Christian service project happen.

I wish you all a very Happy Thanksgiving, and that you are able to spend it with those you love. I am forever thankful for all of you who help make St. Stanislaus Kostka School such an amazing place. May God continue to bless all of you.

Warmest Regards,

Lori Hodder Principal