

THE SHINING KNIGHT NEWSLETTER

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Dear Parents,

Happy Mardi Gras!

The beginning of Lent is tomorrow with Ash Wednesday. We will be attending the 12:00 Mass tomorrow; Mass uniform required. We will not be going to Mass on Thursday. During Lent the students will be taking part in the Catholic Relief Services' Operation Rice Bowl. Each student will receive their own rice bowl (bank) to save their change for those children in need throughout the world. The rice bowls will be turned in before the Easter break. The season of Lent would be a means of a good discussion during dinner and what the family can do to help others or give up something special during this time.

During Lent pepperoni pizza will not be served. We observe no meat on Fridays during Lent. The cheese and alfredo pizzas will continue being served.

With the better weather this week Sister Lucy's Prayer Garden will be close to finished. Our bricks are all in and ready to be placed this week. I want to thank Roy Edgar for transporting the extra bricks to the school and even getting some extra ones for us. Mr. Guerrero and his crew have graciously put in the cement border, prepared the area with sand and will lay the bricks this week. They have done a beautiful job.

Have a great week. Talk about the meaning of Lent with your family and pray for those in need.

Ms. Volker



Sims Library

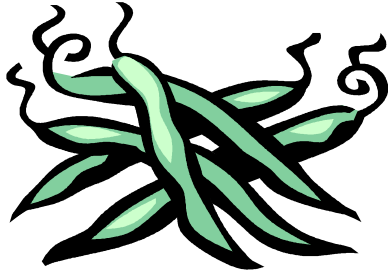
Wednesday, February 22 - Teen Book Club - 4:00pm to 5:00pm
Friday, February 24 - Teen Room - 3:30pm to 5:00pm



Box Tops submission deadline
MARCH 1st

Box Tops

St. Joseph collects Box Tops year around. The Box Top program sends out checks two times a year. The deadline to submit Box Tops for the next check is March 1st. So check out your pantry! Send in the Box Tops!



FOOD FOR THE POOR, Wednesday (Ash Wednesday), February 22, 2012

Bring food for the poor to Mass on Wednesday, February 22; please bring beans, canned or dried. Please bring at least one item as your contribution to the food pantry this week.

Remember, all donations go to St. Joseph Food Pantry. Anything you can donate will be appreciated. The suggested item is usually the item or items that are needed the most. Next week, the suggested item is peanut butter.

SCRIP NEWS



March is National Reading Month! Stock up on your spring booklist and reading materials with a Scrip Gift Card. We have a wide variety of participating retailers available including Amazon, Barnes & Noble, Family Christian Stores, iTunes and more.

Thanks for supporting our Scrip Program!



Please remember that Friday, February 24th, is Jump Rope for Heart. Do not forget your collection envelope and permission form! Remember even \$1 is beneficial.

Volunteers are needed; please contact Mrs. Sivinski.



<i>STUDENT</i>	<i>GRADE</i>	<i>BIRTHDATE</i>
<i>Christian U</i>	<i>3^d</i>	<i>2-24</i>
<i>Kade M</i>	<i>5th</i>	<i>2-25</i>
<i>Rachel H</i>	<i>6th</i>	<i>2-25</i>
<i>Kyla C</i>	<i>8th</i>	<i>2-26</i>
<i>Camryn G</i>	<i>7th</i>	<i>2-27</i>



Pepperoni Pizza will not be served during Lent. We will abstain from meat during this period.

*Molly and Katy's
Words of Wisdom*



If you can't fix it with duct tape you haven't used enough.