

**RAMS NEWSLETTER**  
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Faith. Academics. Service.  
**Catholic Schools**

Dear Parents:

Next week is Catholic Schools Week! Faith...Academics...Service... Our service project is for the Timmy Foundation. We are collecting medical supplies. Please send in band-aids, toothbrushes, toothpaste, hand sanitizer and Kleenex. We will send more information on Monday; this is only a small list. You can Google the Timmy Foundation to learn more.

ISTEP for grades 3-8 is only a few weeks away! We need your help! Please make sure your child is on ALEKS every day for 15 minutes. In looking at ALEKS results, our students are not using ALEKS enough. If you want your child's math achievement to increase, use ALEKS everyday!

Catholic Schools Week (CSW) will be held January 29th—February 3rd. Next week, we will have theme days and activities. The 8th grade versus Staff Volleyball Game will be held on Friday, February 3rd at 10:30 am. We will celebrate our All School Mass on Friday, February 3rd, the feast of St. Blaise, Blessing of the Throats.

Open House is this Sunday, January 29th from 3:00 pm—5:00 pm. Please invite a new family to take a tour and learn more about Holy Spirit School.

May God Bless,

**CUSTOMER SATISFACTION SURVEY COMING NEXT WEEK...**

Keep a look out for the Holy Spirit School Customer Satisfaction Survey. You will be able to complete the survey through Survey Monkey online or a printed copy. We want to hear from you!

**CYO REVERSE RAFFLE—All are invited!**

The CYO Reverse Raffle will be held on Saturday Feb. 11, 2012. Doors open at 6:30 p.m. and dinner starts at 7 p.m. Please join us for an evening of Chance and Fun. Tickets are \$35 per person. Adults only! \$1000.00 given away. Organize a table of friends and have a great time. For ticket information contact Rozanne Crump, 352-1394.

**SUPPORT PTO SCRIP CASH CARDS FUND-RAISER**

SCRIP is back in full force. Send your order on Monday and get your SCRIP on Friday.

**THOUGHT OF THE WEEK**

*Everyone thinks of changing the world, but no one thinks of changing himself.*

**DATES TO REMEMBER**

**January**

29 Open House 3-5 p.m. Café  
1/29-2/4 Catholic Schools Week

**FEBRUARY**

3 All School Mass 8:30 a.m.  
Professional Day (Noon Dismissal)  
6 Super Bowl Monday NO SCHOOL  
8 All School Mass 8:30 a.m.  
11 CYO Reverse Raffle 6 p.m. HS Gym  
14 Classroom Valentine's Day Party  
15 All School Mass 8:30 a.m.  
16 Spring Picture Day  
17 Spring Picture Day  
20 Presidents' Day (School in Session)  
22 Ash Wednesday  
28 Roller Cave Skating Party 6:30-8:30 p.m.  
29 All School Mass 8:30 a.m.  
P.T.O Meeting 6 p.m. Café

**HOLY SPIRIT LUNCH BOX**

**JANUARY**

30 Pancakes, Warm Maple Syrup, Sausage Patty, Strawberry Yogurt, Fresh Oranges  
31 Cheese Quesadilla, Salsa & Sour Cream, Refried Beans, Mixed Veggies, Applesauce

**FEBRUARY**

1. Pepperoni Bosco Sticks, Cheese Dunk Cup, Italian Salad, Strawberry Cups  
2. Chicken Tenders, Mashed Potatoes, Corn on the Cobb, Sliced Peaches  
3. NOON DISMISSAL NO LUNCH

**This institution is an equal opportunity provider.**

**WEEKEND SERVERS**

**Saturday, Jan. 28th 5:30 P.M.**

Natalie Donlan, Andrew Smith, Julia Donlan

**Sunday, 29th 7:30 A.M.**

Devon Armes, Shellie Armes

**Sunday, 29th 9:00 A.M.**

Mitchell Struewing, Sam Taylor, Emily Taylor

**Sunday, 29th 10:30 A.M.**

Ben Clifford, Nick Clifford, Nate Bowman

**Sunday, 29th 12:00 P.M.**

Ben Golab, Chris Golab, Nick Golab

## **PTO President's Corner**

**Next PTO meetings are 2/29 (this is a change from 2/7) and 3/13 from 6-8pm.** Please join us to learn what is happening at school. We will discuss Special Persons Day, Teachers Appreciation, and do a call out for new volunteers/chairs for next school year.

**Box Tops**—\$900 dollars in Box Top money earned so far. New contest goes until April 1st. The class with the most Box Tops gets 1 full week of dress out, PLUS 1 full week of extra recess!! WOW!! Thanks Mrs. Yaggi and Mrs. Parsons for that idea and incentive. Send your Box Tops in and have your friends and family collect for you too. Mrs. Flynn's preschool class won last time and enjoyed Taco Bell and a free ½ day off for the teacher. Did you know you can go to the Box Tops website and register to earn Box Tops without purchasing anything? **Go to [www.btf.com](http://www.btf.com).**

**CYO Reverse Raffle Baskets**—Parents, the Room Moms will be sending out info to request donations of items/money for the CYO reverse raffle baskets very soon. These baskets are prizes at the CYO Reverse Raffle dinner on February 12 from 6:30 p.m. to 11:00 p.m. Parents this adult-only night is fun to mix and mingle while your \$35 ticket fee per adult covers dinner, drinks, and entry to raffle. Tickets can be purchased in the office. Please plan to come and help out by donating items to the themed baskets.

**Classroom Valentine Parties**—celebrated on Tuesday Feb. 14<sup>th</sup>. Please look for more info on the actual party time for your class. Room reps will get info out. Parents can help or make a treat.

**A New Year is looking for new volunteers and chairs for the following:**

A New PTO President and Vice President to shadow then take over in 2013.

Kiddie Booth Coordinator for Parish Festival 2012.

Silent Auction/donation Coordinator for Parish Festival 2012.

### **HOLY SPIRIT SPELLING BEE**

**Our Spelling Bee Winner for this year is Julia Donlan with runner up Natalie Donlan. Well this looks like a "Family Affair." Congratulations to you both. Julia's next competition is the Marion County South Bee at Franklin Township Middle School on February 15th. Good Luck Julia!**

**PASS THE WORD  
THIS SUNDAY, JANUARY 29TH  
HOLY SPIRIT CATHOLIC SCHOOL  
3:00-5:00 P.M.**

