



St. Anthony School Celebrates the Christmas Season ~ Friday, Dec. 9

Students, families and friends are invited to stop up before the Concert for:

Penny Sale Cookie Walk Kids' Games Photo Booth

Doors will open at 4:00 PM. We are counting on your support. Please come!

Christmas Concert

The children will gather in the cafeteria with their teachers beginning at 6:00 PM. All children should be at school by 6:15 at the latest be in their "Sunday Best" (dresses, dress pants and button shirts or blouses). The program begins at 6:30.



Superintendent's Letter to Families

Enclosed you will find a letter from our Superintendent, Mr. David Thibault. It outlines a very special event that is scheduled for this spring. Over 6,000 Kindergarten - 12th grade students, faculty, and staff from 27 Catholic schools will gather together with Bishop Peter Libasci at the Delta Dental Stadium to celebrate Catholic education and to consecrate our entire system of Catholic schools to the Blessed Mother. In order for the stadium to be rented at no cost, each school is asked to sell tickets to the Saturday, June 24th, 2017 Fisher Cats game against the NY Mets affiliate team, the Rumble Ponies. There will be FIREWORKS after the game. Tickets are \$12.00 per person, and they make GREAT Secret Santa gifts or Stocking Stuffers. Order forms are also enclosed.

Reminders & Notices

◆ **Advent - Service Project** Please help us with this Advent service project. Food items are being collected from now until Dec. 20. Thank you to all the parents for your generous donations so far!

◆ **Last call for Raffle Tickets** Drawing will take place for the Cash Raffle, as well as the Penny Sale, immediately following the Concert. Please be sure to send in your raffle tickets by Thursday to be included in the drawing.

Other Important Dates:

Penny Sale Ticket Sales Continue!

Children will have an opportunity to purchase additional Penny Sale chances tomorrow and Friday.

BAKE SALE

Tues. 12/13 sponsored by Gr. 3
(Dress Down Day for Gr. 3)

Peeking Into...Music

Students in music class have been working very hard on preparing for our December 9th Christmas Concert. We are so excited to perform for you. During the first quarter students in Pre K to second grade have been working on beat keeping activities, singing games and playing percussion instruments. Grades three to six have been working on melody and rhythm reading and will use these skills for playing the recorder in the next few weeks. Band is off to a great start. We are very excited to be able to play some of our first songs together. I love watching the faces of the students as sounds turn into music. Looking forward to seeing you at the Christmas Concert!



Mrs. Langlois