

# ST. ANTHONY SCHOOL NEWS *Dec. 13, 2017*

## Important DATES:



**CHRISTMAS VACATION**  
**NO SCHOOL - 12/25-1/1**  
Note: Friday, Dec. 22nd  
is a full day of school  
We return to school on Tuesday,  
Jan. 2

## Reminders

- ◆ **SCHOOL CLOSINGS & DELAYED OPENINGS:** St. Anthony School follows the Manchester Schools. If Manchester is closed, St. Anthony will be closed as well. Thank you!
- ◆ **LUNCH:** January orders due **FRIDAY DEC. 15**
- ◆ **CRAZY 8'S MATH CLUB GR. K -2** - begins Tuesdays after Christmas vacation -get your registration in!

## Save the Date ~ Join Us!

*St. Anthony of Padua School*



*Friday*  
*Dec. 15<sup>th</sup>*  
*6:30 PM*

*Celebrating The*  
*Christmas Story*  
*in Song & Verse*

## *Children's Penny Sale*

*Will be open for parents, parishioners and friends*  
*from 4:30-6:00 PM (before the concert).*

*Also available: Cookie Walk*  
*Christmas Photo Booth*  
*& Children's Games*

*Raffle and Penny Sale Drawings*  
*will follow the concert.*

- ◆ **CONCERT** ~ Students may be dressed in "Holiday Best"
- ◆ **PENNY SALE** ~ All classes have had a chance to visit the penny sale and purchase chances. Time will be made available on Thursday and Friday mornings for any absent students or those wishing to purchase additional tickets. Tickets will also be sold before the concert on Friday from 4:30 to approximately 6:00.
- ◆ **CASH RAFFLE** ~ Be sure to get your tickets in to us before the drawing!
- ◆ **COOKIE WALK** ~ Please drop off cookies to the main office on Friday, Dec. 15<sup>th</sup>. A disposable container is preferred. Please label any container you wish to be returned to you.
- ◆ **SCRIP** order will be placed as usual this week. No order next week.
- ◆ **ADVENT FOOD DRIVE** - just a reminder we will be collecting food items for the St. Vincent de Paul Food pantry throughout the Advent Season.

## *Peeking into PreKindergarten*

Pre-K has been eagerly anticipating the Birth of Baby Jesus. We are enjoying the Advent Season. We have been busy making our Advent wreaths. We look forward to coloring a new candle each week. We also love doing our Advent calendar every morning. Reading stories about Mary, Joseph and Baby Jesus is one of our favorite things to do. In Math we have been learning our numbers 1-10, doing simple patterns and working on some basic shapes. Every week we have been learning a new letter and its sound. In Handwriting we have been learning how to write our names, numbers and letters. Christmas is such an exciting time for us! We would like to wish everyone a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year!



♥ *Mrs. Halle & Mrs. Raymond*