



# ST. ANTHONY SCHOOL NEWS

Sept. 27, 2017



**Bishop Libasci**  
**will be visiting our school!**  
**Mark your calendars so you can join us!**  
**October 11<sup>th</sup> ~ 8:00 AM Mass**

## VERY IMPORTANT PLEASE READ



**WE ARE COUNTING ON YOUR ASSISTANCE  
TO ENSURE THE BEST COMMUNICAITON  
BETWEEN THE SCHOOL  
AND OUR FAMILIES**

### Important DATES:



**Fri, 9/29 NO SCHOOL**  
Teacher Professional Day

### FIELD TRIPS

**Be sure to return your  
permission slips!**  
**Thursday, Oct. 5**  
Gr. 5 & 6  
Lowell NH  
**Friday, Oct. 6**  
Field Trip PreK & K  
Fire Station  
(permission slips going  
home tomorrow)



**Wednesday  
Oct. 18, 2017**

### School Photos

**Order Forms will be sent  
home soon!**

## Welcome to Option C School Management & Student Information System

As we explained in our summer letter, Saint Anthony School has adopted an online portal for parent communication that provides parents (and students eventually) the ability to retrieve important information. OptionC works exclusively with Catholic schools across the country to provide a modern, 100% cloud based system accessible from home, school, office and mobile device.

To ensure a smooth implementation of this system, we will be introducing the various tools slowly and in stages. This month we will begin by providing parents with log in information, verify and update family contact information and access to homework assignments. The attached instructions will walk you through the log in process. Every family should log in as soon as possible.

Also attached is the current contact information for your family. **Please verify this information, make any needed changes or add missing information.** You may also send us the corrections and we will do the updating for you. Please call us if you have any questions or need help.

*Thanks you*

*Over →*

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## Reminders:

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**Last call** for students interested in 3<sup>rd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> grade basketball. Please contact Mrs. Dionne.

**October Lunch Menus** have been processed. In order to maintain an accurate count, orders received going forward may not be accepted. If we feel we can add your child's order, please anticipate a delay of at least a week. During that time your child should be provided a cold lunch from home.

**Box Tops Dress Down Day:** There's still time to earn a dress down day... just bring in at least 10 BoxTops for Education. If our goal is met, the dress day will be Oct. 19<sup>th</sup>. Let's feed poor Mr. Fillmore! Please be sure to help us out by trimming each coupon. Thanks!!

## Please support our founders:

Sisters of  Holy Cross

**SISTERS OF HOLY CROSS FALL FAIR**

**Sat., Oct. 14 9AM-3:30PM**

*Raffles, Prizes, Crafters, Penny Sale & MORE*

Join us at :      Holy Cross Hall  
                         357 Island Pond Rd  
                         Manchester, NH

FREE Admission & Parking



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## Peeking into...Grade 1

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We love  
First Grade! 

The First graders have made an amazing transition from Kindergarten. There are many new routines to remember and so much is already expected academically. I'm so very proud of my class. We have been making word families with short a and short i vowel sounds. The children have just finished their third story in their readers and have enjoyed using "reading fingers" and "finger lights" to guide them. Reading is fun! We have been reviewing calendar skills and skip counting by two's, fives and tens. We have been working on basic addition sentences and understanding the terms plus, equals, sums and addends. In Social Studies the children have been discussing culture and giving examples of how they celebrate their own cultures. It's been fun and interesting to learn more about them! We have been reviewing prayers and discussing what a church community is in Religion. We love our St. Anthony Church community and learning in First Grade!

♥ Mrs. Lescrinier