

WEEKLY NEWS

NOVEMBER 8, 2023

TEACH BY WORKS MORE THAN BY WORDS. ST. TERESA OF AVILA

November's time change and shorter days remind us we are preparing to celebrate Thanksgiving.



We have conferences on November 20 and 21 which you may schedule here. Conferences allow parents/guardians, students, and teachers to meet and talk about student success and opportunities for improvement. Parents/Guardians only will meet with teachers in PS?PK and K-2. Parents/Guardians and students in grades 3-8 will meet with teachers. Conferences remind student that we all care about their academic and social growth. If you have not signed up for a conference, please do so today.

Our annual fall food drive is underway! Please see the last page for needed items. Classes are again competing to see who brings the most donations. Thanks to our Student Leaders for helping coordinate this important service for our neighbors in need.

Please remember to send your student with a raincoat or jacket every day. Students go outside for recess daily, even if sprinkling. Coats are important for warmth and keeping dry.

Get ready to <u>Give Big</u> on Tuesday, November 28! All donations directly benefit students. If you would like to provide a matching gift for the day, please contact Mrs. Flohr.

Blessings, Mrs. Thomas



Hello

Vietnamese Pho Dinner is back!

We are excited to hold this wonderful dinner on Saturday, December 16.

Help is needed to make the event a success.

Tickets on sale here.

Sign up here to help. Sign up here to be a sponsor.

CALENDAR The most up-to-date school year calendar is here

Through December 30 Families seeking Financial Aid for Next School Year must apply now.

November 9 1:05 Veterans' Day prayer service - please join us

November 10 Veterans' Day, school closed

November 14 King County ECOconnections visit grades K-5

November 15 Medic One CPR and Choke Saving visits grades 6-8

November 17 8:45 AM School Mass - please join us

November 17 School Photo retakes

November 20-21 Conferences – <u>sign up here</u> – please be sure to choose your student's grade

November 22-24 Thanksgiving break

December 1 First Trimester ends

December 1 8:45 AM School Mass - please join us

December 13 6:00 PM Christmas Concert with Band

December 15 Noon dismissal for Christmas break

December 16 Annual Pho Dinner

December 30 Financial Aid Applications due

Weekend Mass schedule: 5:00 PM Saturday, 9:30 AM Sunday

The 2023-24 Calendar is here St. Bernadette Family Handbook

Order milk here Order your uniform CYO Pizza Lunch order due Wednesday 6 PM

St. Bernadette Parish School teaches Gospel values in a Catholic environment by nurturing academic excellence, fostering diversity, and developing compassionate stewards in our community.

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After School Karate! Karate meets from 3:10 PM to 4:10 PM on Mondays and Wednesdays in the Parish Hall. We have five slots available for students ages 5 and older. Please call Joelle White, Operations Manager for NW School of Karate (206) 697–3629 or sensei Greg Sommers-Herivel at (206) 412–4363 for more information.





We had a great time cheering on our Star Hockey team last weekend. Next home game is Saturday, November 18 at 6:00 PM at Kent Valley Ice Center. Come see a hockey game and support our Star athletes!

RaiseRight Scrip



Scan this code to get your Scrip!

Every family needs to generate \$150 in profit for Scrip every year.

Signing up is easy to do using this QR Code – just scan it, complete the registration process, and get your scrip on your mobile device.

Parish News

Family Programs - Faith in Action | Knights of Columbus

We are currently accepting applications from students in grades 3 - 8 who would like to be Altar Servers. Servers must be baptized and have received First Communion. Training sessions will be scheduled soon. sign ups are in school and parish office.

Partners in the Gospel information is available in English, Spanish, and Vietnamese. We encourage you to read about upcoming changes in the Church in Western Washington. We presented information about this on September 30 and October 1 after weekend Mass.

Parish Volunteer opportunities - contact Angela Cropley: angelac@saintbernadette.net or (206) 242-7370x3086

Operate a tablet to run the live stream of Saturday Mass. All equipment provided. Dates of service can be negotiated. This job may be shared.

Log on to the SVdP database daily and assign the jobs to a volunteer. This job takes about 15 minutes each weekday (M-F). All training is provided.*

Serve as Treasurer for the SVdP ministry. Basic math skills needed; all supplies provided. This work can be done at home.*

* These jobs may be done without Virtus requirements.

From your CYO Directors

CYO basketball registrations are open for 4th - 8th grade players. register here.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!!

Help keep our CYO program while earning your parent volunteer hours!

Volunteers needed for:

Pizza Friday - Help setup and handout pizza lunches

Field Chalking- Line the fields for Saturday soccer games

Field pick up- Help clean up after games on Saturdays at 12 noon.

Italian Dinner- We are are looking for a Coordinator, Sponsors, and raffle donations.

To help with any of the above please contact: athletics@saintbernadette.net

Annual Fall Food Drive

St. Vincent de Paul needs your generous donations in order to provide food to our neighbors in need.

Items on the list below are given out regularly. Those in bold are needed the most.

Rice, Pancake Mix, Crackers, Shampoo,

Tuna, Spaghetti, Pasta Sauce, Canned Fruit, Canned Meats, Instant Potatoes, Cookies, Soup, Rice-A-Roni, Mac & Cheese, Peanut Butter, Jelly/Jam, Pudding Mix, Jell-O, Dried Beans.

We accept pre-packaged, non-perishable food only. Please place donations in the bins in the hallway of the upper building.

Thank you!