



WEEKLY NEWS

DECEMBER 6, 2023

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

The Advent season and second trimester have begun, and report cards will be ready to send next week. This is a good time to consider our strengths, challenges, and goal setting for the New Year and new trimester. We have a week and a half until we are out for Christmas break.

Please take 5 minutes to [complete this survey](#) about our school. Your help is appreciated!

Our annual Snowshoe Trip is scheduled for Monday, February 19. Cost is \$55 for students and \$30 for chaperones and includes transportation to and from school and gear rental. [Reserve your spot here.](#)

Volunteer hour scrip profit statements and were sent home yesterday. Please contact the office if you have questions about your statement.

May we be in the world a ray of that Light which shone forth from Bethlehem, bringing joy and peace to the hearts of all men and women. Pope Francis

Mrs. Thomas



The School Band, grades 6-8, and K - 5 students have been hard at work preparing for the Christmas Concert, Wednesday, December 13. The performance is graded; attendance is required. Students need to arrive at 5:30 PM in their classrooms (band goes to the church). We look forward to sharing this festive musical season with you! **For safety, students are released from classrooms.**

We are again being asked for input on the Partners in the Gospel parish family configuration. A change is being considered which would include Our Lady of Lourdes and St. Francis in our family. [Please see this information](#) for more details and to give your input.



VIETNAMESE PHO DINNER TICKETS ON SALE NOW!

Only 2 weeks until our annual Pho dinner on Saturday, December 16!

Join us for delicious food and wonderful company.

Help is still needed to make the event a success.

[Tickets on sale here.](#) [Sign up here to help.](#) [Sign up here to sponsor.](#)

CALENDAR [The most up-to-date school year calendar is here](#)

December 7 Cookie Dough and Gift Wrap delivery! Orders will be picked up after school.

December 8 9:30 Mass - Feast of the Immaculate Conception - Holy Day of Obligation

December 10 [Second week of Advent - How do you bring peace to our world?](#)

December 13 6:00 PM **Christmas Concert with Band** - details above

December 14 Confession for grades 3-8

December 14 Report Cards emailed home and available in Alma

December 15 Giving Tree gifts due - get your tag from the tree in the church

December 15 Noon dismissal for Christmas break Extended Day will be open until-6:00 PM

December 16 Annual Pho Dinner - see information above [Get your tickets here](#)

December 30 [Financial Aid Applications due](#)

January 2 Return to school from break

January 27-February 2 Catholic Schools Week - schedule and information coming soon

[Advent Activity Calendar is found here.](#) [Parent Club News is found here.](#)

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

[The 2023-24 Calendar is here](#) [St. Bernadette Family Handbook](#)

[Parish opportunities](#)

[CYO INFO](#)

[Friday Pizza Order](#)

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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Give the gift of MUSIC

THRILL YOUR STUDENT THIS WINTER WITH THEIR VERY OWN VIOLIN, KEYBOARD OR GUITAR!

1 ENROLL YOUR STUDENT FOR ON-SITE CLASSES AT SCHOOL WITH MUSIC KIDS BY 12/10	2 MUSIC KIDS CONFIRMS WHEN YOUR STUDENT RECEIVES A CLASS TIME AND START DATE	3 RECEIVE INSTRUMENT RENTAL THE WEEK OF 12/18, IN TIME FOR CHRISTMAS MORNING	4 WEEKLY CLASSES BEGIN IN JANUARY. NO TUITION IS PROCESSED UNTIL FEBRUARY!
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All Scrip on line orders made through RaiseRight need to be submitted/ ordered by **December 8th** to guarantee they will be received in time for Christmas, any orders placed after December 8 cannot be guaranteed to arrive on time.

How do I order Scrip? Use Your Cell Phone and/or Computer!

Raise Right allows you to purchase scrip directly from your phone or home computer. Scrip can be loaded directly to your phone by downloading the **myscripwallet** app, or can be printed from a computer.

The St. Bernadette enrollment code is: 9D5F3CF55849.

At this point you should be able to order directly from your phone and receive gift cards within minutes.

Scrip is also sold at the parish office Monday through Thursday 8:30 am-4:00 pm and Friday 8:30 am- 12:30 pm.



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