

St. Edward's Catholic School

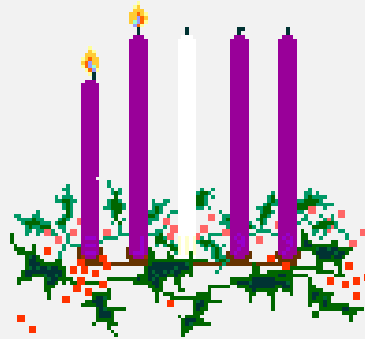
PTO Meeting:



Please join us for the PTO meeting on Wednesday, December 5th at 3 PM. Come get your volunteer hours and help our PTO support our school!

Advent Program:

Our yearly Advent Program is being designed by Jaime Thietten this year. Students need to be in their classrooms with their teachers by 5:45 PM. Preschool students may have costumes so please come by 5:30 PM so teachers can get them dressed.



Ski Meeting:

Parents of students in third, fourth and fifth grades need to attend a mandatory ski meeting on Tuesday, December 11th to get information regarding the ski days, fill out information sheets and ask questions ☺. If you cannot make it, please send a designated adult in your place so that we make sure to connect with all parents regarding our program.



Upcoming Events

December 5

Mass—8:45 AM
(5th reads/4th sings)
5th Grade Reconciliation
PTO Meeting 3 PM

December 6

Advent Retreat

December 7

Rosary 2:45 PM
Glanbia Luncheon 12:15 PM

December 8

Holy Day of Obligation
(Immaculate Conception)

December 10

Syringa Care Center 12:30 PM

December 11

3rd-5th Ski Meeting 6 PM

December 12

Mass 8:45 AM
(4th reads/3rd sings)
Our Lady of Guadalupe
4th grade reconciliation

Reminders:

Mark your calendar:

Mon, Dec 17th Advent/Christmas Program 6:00 PM
(students in classrooms by 5:30 PM)

Wed, Dec 19th Early release 1:15 PM (NO AFTER SCHOOL CARE)

Sat, Dec 24th Children's Mass 4:00 PM
(St. Ed's kids are reading!)

Thurs, Jan 3rd Back in school!

Dress Code Reminder:

As the weather is changing please make sure your child is dressed appropriately with hats, gloves, and winter coats!

Students go out to recess/P.E. everyday so they must be prepared for cold weather!



- 1) Clothing should be clean and in good condition (no major stains or holes).
- 2) Sneakers are needed every day for P.E.
- 3) Socks need to cover the ankle and be white, black or navy blue.
- 4) Any sweaters or sweatshirts worn inside the classroom must be white, navy blue or St. Edward's spirit wear.

Advent Wreath:

The Advent wreath is a popular custom in homes all over the world. Its origins go back to pagan times. Its Christian symbolism was introduced in Germany in the 1600s. The wreath is made of a circle of evergreens in which are placed three purple candles and one pink (rose) candle.

The circular shape of the wreath reminds us that the love of God is without beginning or end. The evergreens represent the hope of everlasting, or eternal, happiness. The candles remind us that Jesus, the Light of the World, came to Earth to overcome the darkness of sin and selfishness. The purple candles represent our need to prepare for the coming of the Savior, and the pink (rose) candle—lit on the Third Sunday of Advent—reminds us to be joyful, for the coming of the Lord is near!

Consider having an Advent Wreath in your home during the Advent season to bring prayer into the home.

