

St. Edward's Catholic School

Sees candy orders are due tomorrow morning by 9 AM!

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CANDIES**

Lenten Retreat:

On Friday, March 23rd students will be working in their "families" to create a poster and a live action version of a given Station of the Cross. Students will be presenting their efforts from 12:30 PM to 1:15 PM in the church.



Early Release:

Please remember that Friday, March 23rd is an early release day with NO after school child care. Students should be picked up at 1:15 PM.

Benefit Dinner:

A HUGE thank you to everyone who helped make the Benefit Dinner the most successful since I have been principal! Those who helped get donations, set-up, and work the night of, clean-up as well as attended and bought items are why this dinner is so essential to our school!



Upcoming Events

March 12th & 14th

Kindergarten Swimming

March 13th & 15th

4th & 5th Grades Swimming

March 14

**Communion Service
(5th reads/4th sings)**

March 16

**Stations of the Cross 2:45 PM
First Grade leads**

March 18

Final Ski Day 3rd, 4th, 5th

March 19th & 21st

Kindergarten Swimming

March 20th & 22nd

4th & 5th Grades Swimming

March 14

**Mass 8:50 AM
(4th reads/3rd sings)**

Reminders:

- 2nd graders will be completing reconciliation with Father Mike sometime around March 20th, 21st or 22nd (due to his schedule it is not set in stone☺). Please make sure your student has reminded themselves of the Act of Contrition and



RECONCILIATION

to have in mind the sins for which they want to atone.

- 2nd graders will be attending their **First Communion Retreat on Saturday, April 28th. This is a mandatory retreat.**

2nd grade parents, please be sure to mark your calendars! All other parents, please hold these students in your prayers as they move through this sacrament!



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- Come join us for student-led Stations of the Cross on Friday, March 16th at 2:45 PM. **First grade is leading!**



A woman, Veronica, wipes Jesus' face.

Lent with kids:

Lent can be an interesting time for students to focus on prayer, fasting, and almsgiving. Here are a few ideas to try at home!

- Make an **Easter basket for a neighbor**. Fill it with treats and/or a plant.
- Plan and **cook a meatless meal together**....like macaroni and cheese!
- Fill a **bag to donate** with toys, clothes, books, housewares, etc.
- **Light a candle at church** and pray for someone with your child.
- Color **Easter coloring pages** together and name and discuss all that is in the scene.
- Start **of list of prayer intentions** with your little ones. You can encourage the traditional prayers but they may want to pray for "pets" or other things on their minds.
- Make a choice as a family to go **without a dessert** once a week.

