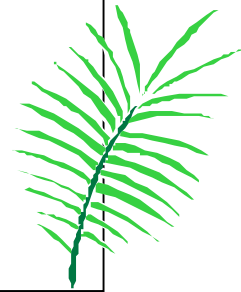


St. Emydius School Newsletter



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Dear Parents,

The Lenten Season is more than half way completed and Easter is quickly approaching. In preparation for Easter, our students will receive the Sacrament of Reconciliation on Tuesday, March 30.

Palm Sunday is Sunday, March 29 and begins Holy Week. Please see the attached schedule for Holy Week and Easter services. Our students will be presenting the Live Stations of the Cross on Monday, March 29, 2010 at 8:30 a.m. in the auditorium. Parents are invited to attend the performance.

Congratulations to our 2nd graders and several students in grades 3-8 who received the Sacrament of Reconciliation for the first time on Thursday, March 11. Thank you Miss Williams for preparing them so well for this sacrament and to receive First Holy Communion in May.

Thank you, also, to all families who attended the Family Mass last Sunday and for returning your collection envelopes. Thank you to Grades 6 and 5 and to their teachers, Mr. Kekula and Mrs. Alvarez, who were in charge of this month's Mass.

Our World's Finest Candy Drive is well under way and ends on Thursday, March 25. All payments must be in by that date, whether you have chosen to sell the candy or have chosen to pay the buy out. Thank you for supporting St. Emydius School and your children.

I am attaching a beautiful Lenten prayer for you to share with your family. Let us take these last few weeks of Lent to better ourselves so that we may celebrate a joyous Easter.

Sincerely,

Miss Socorro Mendoza
Principal

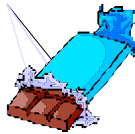


PALM SUNDAY....

Sunday, March 28 is Palm Sunday and begins the sacred time of Holy Week. Enclosed in this newsletter is the schedule for the Holy Week and Easter services. Please bring your family to church in preparation for Easter Sunday.

FAMILY MASS....

Thank you to all families who assisted at our Family Mass last Sunday. A big **THANK YOU**, also, to those families who returned their collection envelope.

ORLD'S FINEST CANDY DRIVE.....

The last day to return payment for the candy drive is Thursday, March 25. This payment date is for all families, those who opted for the buy out and those who chose to sell the candy. Thank you for your support.

PENNIES FOR PATIENTS.....

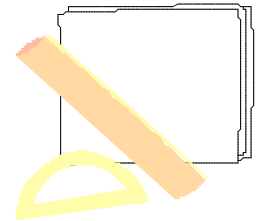
The Pennies for Patients Drive, sponsored by the Lymphoma Society, is progressing nicely. We are still short of our last year's collection. Please send in whatever change you can by Thursday, March 25, the last day of the drive. All proceeds go to the Lymphoma Society to help children with cancer.

RE-REGISTRATION.....

This is a reminder that, if you have not re-registered your child/ren for the 2010-2011 school year, please do so as soon as possible. We are currently accepting new students for the next school year.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO.....

Andrew Herrera	2	3/22
Ivan Encarnacion	3	3/23
Jorge Rios	5	3/24
Christopher Rodriguez	7	3/23
Joshua Francis	7	3/26

MATH @ HOME**Super Sums**

Use only the 2's, 3's, 4's, 5's, 6's and aces (1's) from a deck of cards. Each player writes the numbers 1-12 on a piece of paper. Then each player picks two cards and adds up the numbers on them. The player can mark off the sum on the paper or cross off the two numbers on the cards. Who will be first to cross off all 12 numbers on the list?

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LUNCH.....

Please make sure your child/ren bring lunch each day or money to buy one. **If your child is purchasing lunch, he/she must bring the money when entering class each day. Please bring the correct change.** The lunch count is taken in the morning and lunches prepared according to the amount of lunches purchased. Please note in the *Parent Handbook* that fast food lunches are not permitted.

