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Christ the King Sunday November 21

"Jesus, remember me when you come into your kingdom." – Lk 23

This week's highlights...

- ✦ Jesus said, "For I was hungry and you gave me food..." The Thanksgiving Canned Food Drive is until Nov. 30. Our School Goal is 500 cans. As of Friday, Nov. 19, we have received 123 cans which is 24.6% of our school goal.
- ✦ Mrs. Fey Barles participated in the Lock-Up for the Muscular Dystrophy Association (MDA). Students, parents, staff, teachers and parishioners helped raise a total of \$528.24 which was 81.27% of the target \$650! You are all amazing... THANK YOU! A complete list of donors and amount donated will be posted in the school website.
- ✦ Mrs. Morris and all the students especially in the Fine Arts Classes worked on the Christmas Lane on Main Card. The students painted the words and did hand prints to form a big Christmas Tree. Great work, St. Patrick Knights! Thank you to Mr. Kirk Fickel and the H/SA for taking care of the registration, wood, hinges and transport.
- ✦ MidTerm Reports were sent out this week. Please contact your child's teacher by email or by setting an appointment if you have any concerns, suggestions or need extra resources for your child.
- ✦ The School Council completed the Diocese of Wichita Strategic Planning Viability Instrument for Catholic Schools. The Profile Rating score indicated that the School is stable in the areas of Mission Effectiveness, Academic Quality and Financial Viability. The School Council is putting together a Survey instrument for the school and parish.
- ✦ We NEED students and parents to help build our Christmas float on Saturday, November 27 at 9:00 AM. We will meet at the school gym and bring all our materials to the Luebbering warehouse at Advanced Systems, 4711 South Santa Fe. We really need more parents to come and help. Please call Mrs. Barles at 620-212-0778 to confirm that you can help.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY, Father Bernard Gorges on November 28!

- December Birthdays**
 2 - Mrs. Allison Bauer
 3 - Emily Larkin
 17 - Jay Brown
 19 - Alyssa Andoyo
 25 - Jesus
 26 - Mrs. Danielle Forbes
 26 - Isela Lupita Ayala
 January 1 - Mr. Herb Wood

***December 10, Friday @ 9:30 - 10:30 AM - Dress Rehearsal open to parents, families and friends
 ***December 12, Sunday @ 4:00 - 5:00 PM - Christmas Program for the whole Parish and School families; @ 5:00 - 6:00 pm - Reception

✦ Student Attendance is required on December 12, Sunday from 4:00 - 6:00 PM for our Christmas Program and Reception. All the students have important roles in the program and need to be present. Please contact Mrs. Barles if you have questions.

✦ Accelerated Reader Stars update: as of Nov. 19 AM

- Gr 5 -Hayden Matlock (4), Lupita Ayala (3), Emily Larkin (3), Paul Bollig (2)
 - Gr 4 -Hannah Hugo (4), Michael Aylward (4), Melanie Hallacy(6*), Lane Harvey (3*), Xavier Bauer (3), Paul Falkenstien (2)
 - Gr 3 -Jay Brown (2), Brendon Gahagan (2), Jaquelin Mendez (2), Jayln Tobin (2), Maria Morgan (1), Jarren Gant (2), Carson Brownfield(1),Vittorio Kwek(1),Cameron Akins(1)
 - Gr 2 -Alyssa Andoyo (4), Dane Hartwig (4), Landon Woodyard (2), Bryan Ayala (1)
 - Gr 1 -TevynJames(3), Rheniah Toledo(3),Corey Akins(1), David Ortiz(1),XochitlVargas(1)
- When a student is halfway to the annual goal, the student picture is added on the name tag. The following are halfway to the annual goal:
 Gr. 4 - Angelo Andoyo (87.9), Mikayla Kwek (76.4), Taylor Thompson (69.7)
 Gr. 3 - Rosebelle Toledo (51.1)
 Gr. 1 - Natalie Brownfield (41.5), Hunter Bauer(34.4), Mia Godinez (24.4), Camden Hugo(21.1),Ty Galemore (20.1) Nathan Matlock (19.9) Gabriel Gahagan (19.2), Logan Fickel (19.5), JakobAguilar(22.8),

When a student has reached the annual goal, an annual goal star is placed on the name tag. Students who reach the annual goal get a certificate and an AR Party. These students have reached the annual goal:
 Gr. 5 - Huntyr Schwegman (174.1) Gr. 2 - Florence Barles (63.3)
 When a student achieves 150% of the annual goal, an Excellence sticker is placed on the name tag and a trophy will be awarded to the student at the end of the year. These students have reached the trophy level:
 Gr. 5 - Kristin Umbarger (257.6) Gr. 3 - Lorenzo Barles (130.4)

The MICROSOFT Home Use Program is back!

Enjoy significant savings on the Microsoft applications that you use everyday. Orders and money must be turned in to the School Office no later than November 30, 2010 @ 12 noon.

- Microsoft Office 2010 for PC Professional Edition (Word, Excel, Powerpoint, Outlook, Access, Publisher) for \$25.—
- Office 2011 for Mac for \$20.—
- Windows 7 Upgrade Professional (32 / 64 - Bit) for \$20.—
- Windows 7 Upgrade Ultimate Edition (32 / 64 - Bit) for \$25.—

Order NOW if you would like delivery before Christmas!
 Contact SISTER AGNES LERO at the school office or email at alero@stpatrickchanute.org

Did you know...

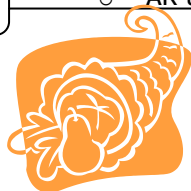
- ✦ That we need stewards and parent volunteers to prepare costumes and props for the Christmas program? Please visit the school office to choose from a list of "To do" items or email Mrs. Barles at fbarles@stppatrickchanute.org to sign up. Thank you for giving your time and talent.
- ✦ That there are only 36 days until Christmas? What are we planning to give Jesus on His birthday?
- ✦ That we are going to provide Leadership and Team Building Training to interested 4th and 5th Graders? We need parent volunteers to help organize this for our student leaders. Please contact the school office if you can help.
- ✦ That all families will NEED to CREATE A NEW POWERSCHOOL PARENT/GUARDIAN ACCOUNT in order to receive emails and view student information? Our Powerschool Coordinator, Mrs. Kathy Butler, will be sending home on November 30 a How-to-create-a-parent/guardian-account flyer. Feel free to contact Mrs. Butler in the school office if you have questions.
- ✦ That starting November 29, 2010, students who are tardy or not wearing the correct uniform will turn their discipline cards? Help us instill self-discipline and school spirit by making sure the students wear the correct school uniform properly and that they come to school on time!
- ✦ That Teachers' Christmas Wish Lists will be posted in the school website and will be printed in the school newsletters? Thank you for asking what the teachers would like for Christmas. Two teachers' wish lists will be featured in every newsletter from Nov. 19 - Dec 10.

Wish List #1 : Mrs. Danielle Forbes

- Playdough
- Stamps of the letters of the alphabet
- Expo markers
- Post it notes
- Pencils
- Erasers
- Small toys or books for the prize box
- Stickers
- Gift cards to Amazon or Barnes and Noble for books for our classrooms

Wish List #2 : Mrs. Jean Cross

- A USB jump/flash/thumb drive
- Printer cartridges HP12A Q2612A
- AR tests



HAPPY THANKSGIVING!

Looking Ahead...

- Week 15 November 22-26
Week 16 November 29 - December 3
Week 17 December 6-10
Week 18 December 13 - 17
- St 11/20 - Christmas Lane on Main Card deadline
Sn 11/21 - Christ the King Sunday
M-T 11/22-23 - Regan Institute for Teachers
T 11/23 - Elle Kreighbaum's Birthday
M-F 11/22-26 - K-5 Thanksgiving Break No School
Th-F 11/25-26 - Preschool Thanksgiving Break No School
St 11/27 - Christmas Float Building at 9 AM
Sn 11/28 - First Sunday of Advent; Fr. Bernard X. Gorges' birthday and Cameron Akins' birthday
M 11/29 - 7AM Adoration, Lauds, Benediction, 8AM Mass, Advent Wreath Service, Christmas Program practices in PE and Fine Arts Classes all week. SEK Principals' Sectional Meeting @ the Parish Center
T 11/30 -
W 12/1 - Rosary and Confession after Holy Mass; Teacher evaluations of Principal due at CSO; Mid-year Principal Review by the Pastor
Th 12/2 - Mrs. Allison Bauer's birthday
F 12/3 - First Friday Holy Mass; Student Mission Envelopes; Mr. Frank Kennedy visit; Emily Larkin's Birthday
St 12/4 - Pastoral Council Meeting @ Parish Center
Sn 12/5 - Second Sunday of Advent
M 12/6 - 7AM Adoration, Lauds, Benediction, 8AM Mass, Advent Wreath Service, Christmas Program practices in PE and Fine Arts Classes all week
T 12/7 - Program Practice at 8 - 8:40 AM
W 12/8 - Immaculate Conception; K-5 NO School; 8 AM Mass; Solutio Meeting for Faculty and Staff 9-11 AM
Th 12/9 -
F 12/10 - Dress Rehearsal 9:30-10:30 AM
St 12/11 -
Sn 12/12 - Third Sunday of Advent; Christmas Program and Reception 4-6 PM
M 12/13 - 7AM Adoration, Lauds, Benediction, 8AM Mass, Advent Wreath Service, Flag Raising Ceremony and Morning Exercise
T 12/14 - 6 PM H/SA Meeting @ Library
W 12/15 - 5 PM School Council @ Rectory; Catholic Mutual School Safety Inspection Survey
Th 12/16 -
F 12/17 - FREE DRESS day; Christmas Parties; 12noon dismissal
Dec 18 - Jan 3 - K-5 No Classes; Christmas break
Dec 24 - Jan 3 - Preschool No Classes; Christmas break