



# St. Bernard News

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*By Faith and By Learning*



## Message from the Principal

I have to say, the All Schools' Mass this week was beautiful! I am thankful to God for all the drivers, and that we all traveled safely to and from Ft. Wayne. I am filled with joy every time I get to celebrate Mass, and it is extra special with Bishop Rhoades. He asked that we pray for him and all of the priests to live their vocation. Thank you!

We are already in the second 9-weeks, and soon it will be time to set our clocks back an hour (Nov. 1). I am reminded how precious life is and the importance of spending time with those we love, especially our children/parents. I am blessed to have both of my parents close enough to see a few times a week. I pray that you all get time together with your families and hope you enjoy every minute with them.

Oct. V.I.P. focus ~ *Admirable*

*In the service of Christ,*

*Mrs. Carroll.*

## Prayers



Please pray for people who have lost a loved one, especially a child. Thank you!



## Trunk -or-Treat

Join us at the Knights of Columbus Hall on Friday, Oct. 30 for Trunk-or-Treat, hotdogs, a hayride, and fun 6:00 – 8:00PM.



Thank you, Ball & Auction Committee and all who helped or attended this year's event. We made more on the raffle this year, because people tried to sell all of the tickets.

## Principal's Challenge

The October Principal's Challenge is to say the sign of the cross prayer. PK & K: English and Sign Language; 1 & 2: English, Sign Language, and Spanish; 3, 4, & 5: English, Sign Language, Spanish, Latin, and Hebrew. (If you need it written out for practice, ask Mrs. Carroll)



## Kroger Rewards

If you ever shop at Kroger/Owens and have a Kroger Rewards card, you could be supporting St. Bernard School. With just 28 households participating, we earned \$239.84 this quarter. Register your card at [www.krogercommunityrewards.com](http://www.krogercommunityrewards.com) and help us earn even more! Thank you!!! Our NPO #10580 is needed after selecting St. Bernard.



## Red Ribbon Week

Students and staff at St. Bernard are celebrating Red Ribbon Week. We want students to respect themselves and be drug free! Talk to your child about the hazards of drug abuse and how to avoid it.

## VOLUNTEER OF THE WEEK

Our volunteers of the week are Mr. Bryant, Mr. Penrod, Grandma & Mrs. Perkins, Mrs. Cordill, Mrs. Poston, Mrs. Bailey, Mrs. Hadley, Mr. & Mrs. St. John, and Mrs. Tracy. We couldn't have gone to the All Schools' Mass without you! Thanks!

## Thank you

**T**hank you for packing lunches for four days this week. The children seemed to enjoy the picnic atmosphere each day. The next time no lunch is served is the Wednesday before Thanksgiving. Watch for information about this day in the coming weeks.



## SCRIP

Starting Saturday, **October 31**, Scrip will have a limited number of special small denomination gift cards available, perfect for stocking stuffers and holiday gift-giving! These cards will only be available while supplies last, so don't wait to place your orders. The following cards will be available:

- Albertsons \$10
- Amazon.com Gift Cards \$10
- AMC Theatres® \$10
- Applebee's \$10
- Barnes & Noble \$5
- CVS/pharmacy \$10
- Groupon \$10
- IHOP \$10
- Meijer \$10
- Outback \$10
- Panera Bread® \$5
- Regal Entertainment Group \$10
- Starbucks \$5
- Target \$10
- Supervalu \$10
- Walmart \$10

These low denomination gift cards make great gifts for the special people in your life. Order now for Black Friday shopping!



## Art Needs

Mrs. Walter has requested white paper towel and small containers (like yogurt) for the Art Room. If you can help, please send in a roll and/or containers for her. Thank you!



## Picture Retake Day

If you missed picture day or need to have pictures taken over, please return your packet and be ready to have a picture taken on Thursday, Oct. 29. The photographer will begin at 9:00 AM.



## Community Days

Carson's stores are celebrating Community Days Nov. 11-14. They are offering a \$10 coupon, a 30% off coupon, and many online and other sales for a donation of \$5 to St. Bernard. See Mrs. Carroll for the booklets or to ask questions.

## Reminders



- 10/24 Trivia Night  
Red Ribbon Week
- 10/26 SCRIP order due
- 10/29 Picture Retake Day
- 10/30 Harvest Parties  
Trunk-or-Treat
- 11/1 All Saints Day  
Daylight Savings Ends
- 11/3 School Board
- 11/6 Popcorn Sale
- 11/9 Scrip order due
- 11/10 HASA meeting

*Reminder: Tuition payments were due Oct. 15<sup>th</sup>. Please make payment Monday!*