

# St. Timothy's Times

St. Timothy's School Newsletter - October 26, 2023

*St. Timothy's Parish School is committed to providing quality Catholic Education through the cooperative efforts of the faith community.*



## Marathon Lock-In Party is Tomorrow!

Students worked really hard to earn their Lock-In Party! Our Marathon Lock-In Party for K-8 will be held at school tomorrow, Friday, October 27th. Preschoolers will have their own party during the school day on November 3rd. Please see the Marathon informational flyer in your Thursday envelope for times and more detailed information. This is a non-uniform event.

### Lock-In Times

- ⇒ **5:30-6:00pm - Check in:** Parents need to check their children in inside the school. Dinner will be provided for all of the students. Pizza, fruit and snacks. There will also be a dance in the gym during this time.
- ⇒ **6:00-8:45pm- Activity Rooms are open for all students:** Kindergarten, First Grade and any new interested students will get a tour of the Lock-in, we want to ensure the students know where all of the activities are.
- ⇒ **8:45-9:00pm- Students gather for closing of event**
- ⇒ **9:00pm- Parent pick up of K-5th grade students:** Parents, please come inside and checkout your children and collect their Event bag.
- ⇒ **8:30-10:00pm- 6-8th grade Students Only Bonfire:** In keeping with our Lock-in tradition, Middle School students will have a bonfire outside, enjoy snacks and games.
- ⇒ **10:00pm- Middle School Pick up:** Parents please pick up your 6-8th grade students from inside the school. You must come in to check out your child.



### Items to donate for the Event- Bring to school on Friday morning

*Families are asked to bring in the following:*

- **Families A-H:** 2 liters of pop/beverage no caffeine (ring toss game)
- **Families I-P:** Individual snack bags-chips, pretzels, etc.
- **Families Q-Z:** Strawberries and grapes
- **Everyone:** Prizes for the games, fun prizes ages PreK-8th
- **7th Grade:** each family bring Fudge stripe cookies
- **8th Grade:** each family bring one bag regular marshmallows



## Marathon Goal Met!

Thank you to everyone who worked so hard to help us reach our Marathon Goal of \$24,000! We are still working on our final tally but we surpassed our goal! Great job families! Thank you so much for all of your hard work to collect pledges for our great school. It is because of these fundraisers that we are able to keep tuition low at St. Timothy's. Thank you!

## LOCK-IN VOLUNTEERS STILL NEEDED!

The Marathon Lock-In is tomorrow, Friday, October 27th. We still are in need of several parent volunteers. Please see the Sign-Up Genius link below.

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/70A0B4EACAD2CA4FF2-45331200-2023#/>

### Our main needs are:

#### Volunteers 5-9pm

- Check in Table - 1 spot
- Craft Room - 1 spots
- Movie Room - 1 spot
- Open Gym - 1 spot
- Face Painting/Hair Spray - 3 spots
- Photo Booth Room - 1 spot

#### Middle School Bonfire 8:00-10:30pm

- Bonfire Help - 3 spots

**NO SCHOOL**  
Friday, November 10th  
**LATE START**  
Tuesday, November 14th



## Picture Retakes

**Thurs. Nov. 9**

Picture Retakes will be on Thursday, November 9th. Tues/Thurs. preschoolers will also have their pictures taken on this day. If you need your picture retaken, please bring your old picture package with you on retake day. If you need new order forms, they are available in the school office.



## Fall Conferences

**Nov. 10, 14 & 16**

We will be having Fall Parent Teacher Conferences on Friday, November 10th from 10:00am-4:00pm, Tuesday, November 14th from 7:30am-10:00am and Thursday, November 16th from 3:00pm -7:00pm.

**SAVE THE DATE!** Signs ups will be going out soon.

# Thank You!

Thank you to the wonderful volunteers who have stepped up to come and help serve lunch to our students each day. We are so grateful for your willingness to serve in this way!

## DATES TO REMEMBER

- Fri. Oct. 27 -Marathon Lock In 5:30pm
- Nov. 1 -All Saints Day Mass 9:00am
- Fri. Nov. 3 -Preschool Marathon Party
- Thurs. Nov. 9 -Picture Retakes; Tu/Thur. Preschool pictures
- Nov. 9 -School Mass 9:00am, grade 8  
End of 1st Quarter  
Eucharistic Procession 2pm
- Fri. Nov. 10 - **NO SCHOOL**
- Fri. Nov. 10 -Teacher Conferences 10am-4pm
- Sat. Nov. 11 -Shopping Extravaganza
- Tues. Nov. 14 -Late Start, school begins 10:10am
- Nov. 14 & 16 -Teacher Conferences
- Thurs. Nov. 16 -School Mass 9:00am, grade 7  
-Report Cards posted online
- Sat. Nov. 18 -Alter Server Training 9am-12pm at Church for 4th grade and up
- Wed. Nov. 22 -Thanksgiving Dance



## NOVEMBER FOOD DRIVE

Help those in need by donating to our Food Drive! We will be collecting non-perishable items during the month of November. Boxes are available for students to drop off their donations. We will be collecting through Tuesday, November 21st. Thank you for your donations!

## Bookfair for Students

**Thurs. Nov. 9th**

Students will be attending the Paperpie Book Fair during the school day on Thursday, November 9th. (Formerly Usborne Books) See the flyer in this week's

Thursday envelope for more information and the online catalog link. Shop online now through Friday, November 17th.

<https://1104072.paperpie.com/2580346>

Students are welcome to bring spending money with them. Books range in price from \$5-\$20.

The Book Fair will also be open during our Shopping Extravaganza Saturday, Nov. 11th.

\*Please send money with each student rather than as a family. The students will visit the book fair with their class.



## Prayer for Peace of Heart

*Almighty and Eternal God,  
Give me, I beseech You,  
the great gift of inward peace.  
Command the winds and storms  
of my unruly passions.  
Subdue, by Your grace,  
my proneness to love  
created things too much.  
Give me a love of suffering for Your sake.  
make me forbearing and kind to others,  
that I may avoid quarrels and  
contentions.  
And teach me constantly to  
seek after  
and to acquire that perfect  
resignation  
to Your Holy Will  
which alone brings interior  
peace.*

Amen.

*Prayer Corner*





## St. Timothy's Shopping Extravaganza on Saturday, November 11th

9:00am-1:00pm @ *St. Timothy's School gym*

*Local Vendors - Handmade crafts - Bake Sale - Raffle and more!*

**Attention Parents:** We will also be seeking donations of **BAKED GOODS**, which can be dropped off **Fri. Nov. 10** at the school or **Sat. Nov 12** before **9:00AM**.

**Extravaganza Help Needed!** We need just a few hours of your time to make the Shopping Extravaganza a success! This Fundraiser is a great way to interact with the local community, as we welcome vendors to St. Timothy who will donate a portion of their proceeds to the school. We have a large bake sale as part of the event, which is a huge success thanks to your donations of homemade breads, muffins, pies, cakes, and other goodies! Please sign up to commit to bring baked goods or to fill a slot on November 11th! Even if you cannot help in those ways, please share the word with your friends and family or drop by to shop! Contact Alyssa at 563-581-5518 with any questions. Sign up to help at the link below.

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/4090448AFAB2AA6FC1-45511580-sttimothy>



Middle School Science Lab Fun!





**Service Day Pictures!**  
Last week students gave back to the community with Service Day, raking leaves for the community and washing headstones at the graveyard. They also enjoyed their Ice Cream reward from What's the Scoop!

