

Principal's News

Dec. 16, 2011

Your children are truly gifts from God!!

Thank you to Miss Peters, Miss Waid, and to all the teachers/staff that guided the children through weeks of practice that culminated in a beautiful program last night. To your children, who provide us with so much joy on a daily basis, we thank them for their wonderful gift of song and praise to celebrate the joy of baby Jesus. What an incredible gift last night. We wish every family a peaceful and blessed holiday. Stay safe, pray together, and share the love that God has blessed us with.

Thank you to Ms. Hatridge, Mrs. Thomsen, and our 6th grade class for collecting and organizing all the donations from the school and parish. The generosity of our school families has been very humbling. We thank you for helping so many families in need!!






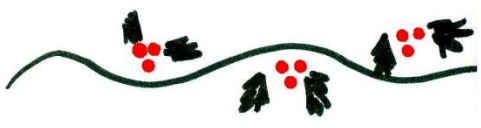
Thank you to Cole Benton, 3rd grader, who spearheaded the Pajama Drive!!
The children at the Crisis Nursery will be snuggled in warm pj's for quite some time.
Thank you to all the wonderful families for their donations!!



Immediately after school today, we will be taking your shoe donations to Mustardseed School.
We thank you for your generosity.

Please see below.

Today our 1st graders were surprised with very, very cold letters that arrived from the North Pole. This was in response to their letters from Santa. I have attached one letter that will warm your heart. I think the elf is around the same age as their 7th grade buddies!! (wink, wink) We just love these kids!!

 Dear **Peyton Wade**, 

My name is **Noel** the Elf! I enjoy getting your letter! Great questions! Mrs Clause has been sick once. She was only a little bit sick but she felt better after eating some Christmas cookies! One year Comet did get sick near Christmas. Comet and I are close friends so I helped take care of him. He was feeling yucky so the elf choir and I sang him "Jingle Bells" and he felt better! I got sick once because I forgot my slippers and mittens when I went with my friend Holly to make a snowman! Santa took me and showed me children around the world and the joy and I felt great! So when us elves, or Comet or Mrs. Clause gets sick, the way we feel better is Christmas Spirit! I have put in a good word for you to get that La La Loopsie or American Girl Doll! But remember to always keep Christmas Spirit in your heart!

Merry Christmas!

 **Noel** the **Elf** 