

# ST. THERESE CATHOLIC SCHOOL NOTES & REMINDERS

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September 4<sup>th</sup>, Monday – **NO SCHOOL** – Labor Day



September 7<sup>th</sup>, Thursday – **Family Rosary - 5 P.M**  
**Potluck – 5:30 P.M.**  
**Back to School Night - 6:30 P.M.**



September 12<sup>th</sup>, Tuesday – **School Pictures** – Wear your dress-up clothes or school uniform.

Please follow dress-up guidelines.

**\*\*NO short skirts, skin baring tops, or tight pants\*\***

**IMPORTANT:**

*If you are ordering pictures, Van Gogh recommends that you **ORDER ONLINE**. See instructions on the order form. If you are ordering with the envelope, please have the exact amount in your order envelope, the school office does not have cash to make change.*



September 12<sup>th</sup>, Tuesday – **7<sup>th</sup> & 8<sup>th</sup> Grade High School Night with Arrupe Jesuit High School**



September 13<sup>th</sup>, Wednesday – **7<sup>th</sup> & 8<sup>th</sup> Grade High School Night with Machebeuf High School**



September 20<sup>th</sup>, Wednesday – **8<sup>th</sup> Grade Shadow Day at Arrupe High School**



September 26<sup>th</sup>, Tuesday – **8<sup>th</sup> Grade Shadow Day at Machebeuf High School**



September 28<sup>th</sup>, Thursday – **1<sup>st</sup> Mid-Trimester Ends**  
- **Spirit Night at Urban Air Adventure Park** (see flyer attached)



September 29<sup>th</sup>, Friday – **NO SCHOOL** – Teacher PD Day

## **A Note from our Principal, Mr. Vaughan:**

*Please plan to join us for our Back to School Night on Thursday, September 7<sup>th</sup>!*

- 5:00 P.M. - rosary in the school chapel
- 5:30 P.M. - potluck dinner in the school cafeteria
  - K-2nd grade families: bring a side dish to share
  - 3rd-5th grade families: bring a drink to share
  - 6th-8th grade families: bring a dessert to share
- 6:30 P.M. - Back to school Night in the gym and in classrooms

*A quick reminder about uniforms: ALL 2nd-8th grade students must wear a black or brown belt with uniform pants or shorts. Also, students may only wear jewelry if it is Catholic/Christian in nature (i.e. a saint medal, crucifix, etc). Non-religious jewelry must be left at home. We would greatly appreciate your help in making sure all of our students meet these uniform requirements.*

*You are all in my prayers every day.*

## **Meg Beckman joins St. Therese this year as our school counselor -**

Meg has her master's degree in counseling from Franciscan University and has served as a Catholic school counselor for over 4 years in Denver and as a Behavior Interventionist and Community Liaison at a school for children with autism and neurological disorders in Oklahoma City for 5 years. Meg will be in our school on Mondays and Wednesdays from 7:30 A.M. to 3:30 P.M. Meg can work with students individually, in small groups and by doing whole class guidance lessons on a variety of social, emotional or behavioral topics affecting your child at school. A student can be referred to the school counselor by a teacher or administrative staff, a parent or the student themselves. On a personal note, Meg has been married to Jim for 28 years and has 5 children and one daughter-in-law. She looks forward to getting to know the students and families of St. Therese!

**ENCLOSURES IN THIS WEEK'S THURSDAY FOLDER: (any flyer enclosed with this newsletter that is not a St. Therese Flyer is not a St. Therese sponsored event).**

- Order Form – St. Therese Spirit Shirt
- Sycamore Education Login Information Sheet
- Order Form for Student Pictures – **RECOMMENDED TO ORDER ON LINE**
- Flyer – Spirit Night at Urban Air Adventure Park
- Middle School Flyer – Fall Sports Registration Information
- Flyer – Colorado Rockies Catholic Schools Appreciation Series

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The Catholic schools of the Archdiocese, under the jurisdiction of the Archbishop, and at the direction of the Superintendent, attest that none of the Catholic schools discriminates on the basis of sex in its admission policies, its treatment of students or its employment practices.

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