

# St. Bernadette School

# November 2009

## Newsletter

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### Security Door/Pick-Up

Please call the school before 12:00 if you intend to pick up your child or make any dismissal time changes. The secretary is not here at the end of the day and therefore an early notification is very helpful.



### Student of the Month for October, Virtue of Faith

On November 5<sup>th</sup> we will be celebrating our student of the month for October. This month, we focus on JUSTICE.



### Bingo Training

If you are interested in volunteering at the BINGO, there is a training session at Boardwalk Bingo at 6:00 p.m. on November 2<sup>nd</sup> at Boardwalk Gaming Centre located on Notre Dame Avenue.



### How Will Your Child Learn Math?

Children learn more easily when they can connect mathematics concepts and procedures with their own experience. By using common household objects (such as measuring cups, bathroom scales, a deck of cards) and observing everyday events (such as weather trends over the course of a week), they can "see" the ideas that are being taught.

### Change of Last Recess

Due to the later arrival of our busses, please note that our last recess will move to 2:45-3:00 p.m. Dismissal continues to be at 3:00 p.m.



### How Can I Help My Child Read?

For your child, learning to read can begin with listening to you reading stories and newspaper articles aloud. Before long, your child will show interest in reading stories and other materials on his or her own. It is very important to talk about the ideas in a book or magazine, to ask questions that encourage your child to think, and to let your child talk to you about his or her responses to what has been read.



### Parent Booklets to Help at Home

We are sending home three GREAT parent booklets on helping your child read, write and do math at home. Please go through them and use them at home. Your support and encouragement is key to student success.



### Accommodation Review Committee (A.R.C.)

We have had several working meetings and one public meeting. This process is a consultative one and all parents are welcome to attend the meetings. The St. Bernadette Committee is comprised of Nicole Snow (principal), Colette Perrin (teacher), Dan Bronicheski (school council chair) and Mike McKeever (parent rep.).

Notice there are four meetings this month. On Thursday November 5<sup>th</sup> we will be presenting our school's report. All school reports will be presented at the PUBLIC MEETING on November 25<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 p.m. at St. Charles College.

All are welcome!



### St. Andrews

Please join us for mass on Thursday November 19<sup>th</sup> at 9:30 a.m. for mass.



