


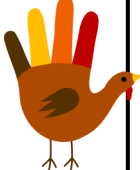










# St. Thomas More Catholic School Home & School Association Newsletter

## Hands

*Hands of service, hands of support & hands of praise*

 <b>Upcoming Dates</b> to keep handy!	<b>Applause</b>  Let's give them a hand!
<p>Friday, Nov. 3: <b>First Friday Spirit Day/Candy Sale</b> </p> <p>Tuesday, Nov. 7: <b>Family Night at the Book Fair</b></p> <p>Thursday, Nov. 9: <b>Home &amp; School Meeting</b></p> <p>Nov. 20-24: <b>No School Happy Thanksgiving!!</b> </p> <p>Friday, Dec. 1: <b>First Friday Spirit Day/Candy Sale</b> </p> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-around; align-items: center;">      </div>	<p style="text-align: center;">A special thanks to:</p> <p>Each and every person who helped out with Mission Day! Whether you sent supplies, loaned out a tent, worked a booth or just showed up to help out with whatever needed - you made it happen! It is amazing what we can pull off when we come together and work as one. We are certainly blessed to have such an amazing STM Community!!</p> <p>Tammy Feduccia and Laura Holloway for Chairing Mission Day!</p> <p>Joanne Harvey, Karen Hayden, Kristen Johnson, Sheri Parker, Alicia Quebedeaux, Michele Terrell and Leigh Zimmerman for helping with Pizza &amp; Sprites on Mission Day!</p> <p>All Room Mothers for their helping getting their Mission Day information out to the grades! Beta Club members &amp; CIA members for working Mission Day!</p> <p>Kelley Lachney hosted the First Nine Weeks Principal Party! Congratulations to all of our scholars!</p> <p style="text-align: center;">And congratulations to Ms. Davis' and Ms. Babin's homerooms for submitting the most lables! Enjoy your donut and chocolate milk party!</p>
<h3><b>President's Letter</b></h3>	

November is the time of year to give thanks for all of our blessings. It is a blessing to work with all of our wonderful volunteers in Home & School. The energy and excitement from Mission Day was truly a great way to move into November and into Thanksgiving! If you are not active in Home & School, come join the fun!

Mission Day! What can I say...beautiful day, great weather and awesome people! The next time you see Tammy Feduccia and Laura Holloway give them a big thanks! I also want to thank anyone who chaired a booth, worked a booth, baked or cooked, or donated soft drinks, candy or stuffed animals. We could not have done Mission Day without you!

Lastly, I would like to acknowledge and thank our quiet committees that have been busy over the past month. They are Green Thumb, Room Mothers, Labels and Spirit Shop.

Happy Thanksgiving to you and your family!

*Joanne Harvey*

# What is Teacher Resource?

Teacher Resource provides special educational days for the students to participate in fun, hands on activities that enhance the curriculum. Lesson plans and materials are provided. Volunteers help to make these days run smoothly. Karen Saunders is looking for someone to assist with Teacher Resource this year. Please let her know if you can help this easy and exciting Home and School committee. Her email is

[khs97@cox.net](mailto:khs97@cox.net) or text her at 225-921-4936.

The dates for this year are as follows:

2/12	3rd Grade Colonial Day	7:30AM—10:45AM
01/24	1st Grade Simple Machines Day	7:45AM-12:00NOON
01/26	6th Grade Cajun Day	12:00NOON- 2:30PM
02/21	5th Grade American History Day	7:30AM-10:30AM
03/21	2nd Grade Human Body Day	7:45AM-11:30AM
04/11	3rd Grade Math Olympics	7:30AM- 12:00NOON
04/25	Kindergarten Science Day	8:30AM-12:45PM
05/10	4th Grade Taste Fair	11:15AM-2:30PM



## MISSION DAY NEWS

Mission Day 2017 was a big success!! The weather was amazing and fun was had by all. We are still looking for someone to take over the Mission Day Booth Chair for 2018. Tammy & Laura will be available to work with you each step of the way. Get together with your friends and consider doing this as a group. It is very rewarding! Contact Tammy Feduccia ([tfeduccia@yahoo.com](mailto:tfeduccia@yahoo.com)) or Laura Holloway ([lholloway@cox.net](mailto:lholloway@cox.net)) if you are interested in learning more. Blessings, Tammy & Laura

JOIN IN!

## Anyone interested in getting involved with STM?



Dr. Armstrong will host a Principal's Coffee meeting on November 10<sup>th</sup>. She will host small groups (or large groups!) in her office on Friday, November 10<sup>th</sup>. These are for anyone who wants to learn more about the volunteer opportunities at St Thomas More. We know coming into this community can be overwhelming and we tend to drop terms like "Mission Day" and "Teacher Resource" like everyone knows what they mean. Posted times are 7:45am, 10:00 am, 12:00pm, 2:00pm and 4:00pm. However, if anyone needs a different time, please let us know and we will add it.

## Home & School Meetings

All meetings are held on the second Thursday on the month in the Activity Center Coffee Shop following carpool.

Thursday, November 9

Thursday, December 14

Thursday, January 11



## In Label News!



The next contest is for Pizza and Coke party for the most Community Coffee labels!

The deadline to turn in labels is **January 19th** and is for both labels!

## 2017-2018 Home & School Officers



Joanne Harvey, *President*

Alicia Quebedeaux, *Vice President*      Karen Saunders, *Secretary*

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