



St. Hilary of Poitiers School TUESDAY NEWSLETTER

January 5, 2010

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- Snow Closing Information!!!
- Market Day Update
- Paperless Notice

ENVELOPE CONTENTS:

- SHS Newsletter
- Notes From Mrs. Fagan
- Market Day-January Order Form

LOOKING AHEAD:

- Jan. 6 Happy Birthday Mrs. Fagan!!!
- Jan. 7 H&S Board Meeting – 7:00 p.m.
- Jan. 8 First Friday Mass – Noon Dismissal
- Jan. 13 St. Hilary of Poitiers Feast Day
- Jan. 18 Martin Luther King, Jr. Day – **NO SCHOOL**
- Jan. 22 MLK Young Audience Performance at SHS
Father Daughter Dance
- Jan. 25 Happy Birthday Mrs. Carlo!!!!
- Jan. 27 First Reconciliation Parent Mtg. -7:00 p.m.
- Jan. 31 SHS Open House
Catholic School’s Week Begins!!!



COMING SOON:

**Father Daughter
Dance**

**Fri., January 22, 2010
7:00 to 9:30 p.m.**

**(more details will follow
in next week’s
Tuesday Envelope)**

WELLNESS WEDNESDAY WALKERS

Wed. 1/6:

DiBonaventura
Coates

Wed. 1/13

Serpiello
Rehiel

Want to become a Wednesday Walker? Contact Cathy
Congdon @ cac1207@comcast.net.

Next Week’s Lunch/Yard Duty Schedule

	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
	11 – JAN	12 – JAN	13 – JAN	14 – JAN	15 - JAN
YARD	O’Neill	Savidge	Dougherty	Zeidler	Serpiello
YARD	Moore	Robbins	Mulvihill	Barcza	Loeffel
BOX	McGrogan	Woltemate	Vassallo	Burke, Kate	Romano
KITCHEN	Drumm	Rossiter	Karen O’Brien	Metro	Hopkins
KITCHEN	Calabrese	Dominiak	Muldowney	Sestito	Morrissy

PLEASE VISIT OUR SCHOOL WEBSITE (www.sainthilaryschool.com) FOR MORE UP-TO-DATE INFORMATION.



NOTES & NEWS



SNOW DAYS/EMERGENCY CLOSINGS

The One Call Now Service will be sent out to all families when St. Hilary School is closed.

The following will also indicate St. Hilary School is closed:

- 1) St. Hilary's School Emergency #382
- 2) Abington School Dist. Emergency #301

If we must close the school because of inclement weather, the One Call Now Service will go out to all families. Please establish a plan for your children. They must know what to do if school closes early. We cannot handle individual requests for special transportation. It is the parents' responsibility to decide whether a child will attend school on an inclement day and to make contingency plans for travel.

PLEASE MAKE SURE YOUR NUMBERS ARE CURRENT ON THE ONE CALL NOW SERVICE.

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MARKET DAY UPDATE: We'd like to thank everyone who supported our December Market Day® sale! In January, you'll receive a FREE 4-pack of Peanut Butter & Jelly Grahamwiches with a minimum order of \$40. Look for your January order forms coming home today. Try to substitute something on your grocery list with a market day item. Internet orders need to be placed by 11 PM on Saturday 1/23/10 at www.marketday.com or sent into school by Thursday 1/21/10. Pick up date is Friday 1/29/10 between 3:15 and 4:15. Our school account number is 28033.

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REMINDER: The Tuesday Envelope is now paperless!!

If you are not currently receiving the Tuesday Envelope by email, please send your email address to: sthilaryhomeandschool@gmail.com. In an attempt to save paper and reduce cost, the St. Hilary School Tuesday Envelope is now paperless. Each Tuesday, every family will receive an email with the digital copy of the Tuesday Envelope and/or a link to the Tuesday Envelope page of the school's website. Those families without internet access will continue to receive the paper version. The white envelope AND a hard copy of the Newsletter/Mrs. Fagan's Notes will continue to be sent home to each family weekly.

PLEASE NOTE: To have a document or flyer included in the Tuesday Envelope, please send it to sthilaryhomeandschool@gmail.com or to the school office **NO LATER THAN MONDAY 9 A.M.** All contents are subject to Mrs. Fagan's approval.

SIMPLE WAYS TO HELP:

BOX TOPS FOR EDUCATION
Send to Nora Czerwonka,
c/o Mary, Grade 3



CARTRIDGES FOR KIDS
Send to School Office or
Contact: Jane Kelly
267-879-8661



THE PAPER RETRIEVER
Located in School
Parking Lot
(no cardboard please)





Notes from Mrs. Fagan

January 4, 2010

January

"Don't look for Jesus far away, He is not there. He is in you, take care of your lamp and you will see Him."

Mother Teresa of Calcutta

"As our children reach out to serve others, we encourage them to remember the source of their divine strength to serve others is found in the reception of the Eucharist at Mass and prayer. The Sacrament of Reconciliation is shared each Saturday from 4:00 PM to 4:45 PM at St. Hilary Church."

The faculty and staff of the Saint Hilary of Poitiers Catholic School wish all our families a Blessed and Holy New Year!

Please remember in your prayers the Rossi Family. Mrs. Rossi's Mother-In-Law, Mrs. Rossi, died on Sunday, January 3rd.

- * As we continue to Celebrate our Christmas Season, we thank all of our students for their gift of our Christmas Program in December. The students shared their talents of song, speech, and music as they dramatized so beautifully the Story of Christmas. They inspired us all to remember and reflect on the awe and wonder of Jesus in our lives.
- * Please remember the children continue to go outside during the Winter Months. Please make sure your children come to school with the appropriate clothing— coats, hats, and gloves!

CONGRATULATIONS TO:

- * Our Kindergarten teacher, Mrs. Colleen Donovan-Pohle on her recent marriage to Joey Pohle on December 19th at St. Alphonsus Church in a "winter-wonderland wedding" amidst the winter snow storm. The St. Hilary Community sends our best wishes and blessings to the happy couple!
- * Vincent Moffet (8), his family, and the St. Hilary Faculty on being awarded the Principal's Academic Scholarship for \$4000.00 over four years to Father Judge High School. Vincent, we are very proud of your accomplishment!
- * Our 6th Grade Student, Victoria Chorr ~ Acme market sponsors a drawing contest for Earth Day and "Going Green". Victoria's drawing won in the annual "Design a Bag for Earth Day" 2009 Contest! Each family from St. Hilary School received a complimentary bag to show their pride and go green!
- * Little Flower Catholic High School for Girls sponsored their Annual School Art Show this Fall. We are proud to announce out of nine schools who participated Julia Wojtko (8) was

awarded First Place and Vincent Moffet (8) was awarded Fifth Place.
Thank you to Mrs. Carlo for her continued dedication to our Art Department! Great job
Victoria, Julia, and Vincent!!!

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On Wednesday, January 13th we will celebrate the Feast of our Patron Saint, Saint Hilary of Poitiers. In honor of this special Feast Day, St. Hilary Church will have a day of adoration. We invite you to join the school community for Prayer and Praise at noon. Our Day of Adoration will end with Evening Prayer at 7 PM. Our students and choir will lead the Prayer Service in song.

Catholic Schools Week ~ January 31, 2010 to February 6, 2010

The theme for Catholic Schools Week this Year is "*Dividends for Life*". In these challenging times, we are reminded that the dividends of a St. Hilary of Poitiers Catholic School education ~ *Faith, Knowledge, Morals* and *Discipline* ~ are a tremendous investment in our children's future and the future of our society.

We will be celebrating the Gift of St. Hilary of Poitiers Catholic School during the Week of January 31st. Please mark your calendar for 10 AM Mass on January 31st as we begin our celebration with our Opening Liturgy and Open House! More information on this special week will follow in our Tuesday Communication Envelope. Stay Tuned!

Working together as school and parish, we have a wonderful community that supports our school and models unconditional stewardship, allowing our children to grow in their faith.

