

Administrator's Report
Tuesday, March 10, 2009

1. On February 11th, I met with John McGraw, Fr. Franks, and Charlotte Linn to discuss the concerns of the Advisory Board as regards requiring all those who pay monthly to complete a FACTS form in order to complete registration for the 2009/2010 school year. A letter dated February 11th, 2009 was sent to parents in the Thursday folder on February 12th and posted on our website addressing the concern.
2. Two of the four calamity days that need to be made up were made up on Friday, February 13th and Monday, February 16th. The next make-up day will be on Holy Thursday, April 9th. The final make-up day will be Thursday, June 4th.
3. The 8th graders who are members of St. Mary parish received the Sacrament of Confirmation on Tuesday, February 17th. Fr. Shawn Corcoran, representing Bishop Frederick Campbell, administered the sacrament. Thanks go to the students' parents, Fr. Franks, Sr. Louis Mary, Mrs. Van Evra, and Mrs. Cummins for the roles in preparing our students for this important sacrament.
4. An assembly *Partners Make a Difference* was presented to all of our students on Friday, February 20th. The program pointed out the importance of service and how our students could be involved in various service projects throughout the school and community. Detailed information about the program was shared in my Thursday Thoughts the week before the program. Many thanks to our Home and School Association for helping fund this program.
5. Registration for new students, those entering kindergarten, and those currently enrolled and returning for the 2009/2010 school year continues through March 13th.
6. Students in grades 3 – 8 were given the opportunity to receive the sacrament of Reconciliation on March 3rd and March 5th. I thank Fr. Walter, Fr. Gideon, Msgr. Geiger, Fr. Bentz, Msgr. Dunn and Fr. Thomas Kessler for assisting Fr. Franks during the service.
7. Mrs. Lindsey, our librarian, will be hosting a Scholastic Book Fair the week of March 16th.
8. The third quarter ends on Friday, March 20th with reports being distributed on March 26th.