

ST. JUSTIN MARTYR PARISH SCHOOL

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St. Justin Martyr Parish School Wide Learning Expectations

**A St. Justin Martyr Parish School student is... ♦ An active, faith-filled learner ♦ An integrated individual
♦ A life-long learner ♦ An effective communicator ♦ A responsible, globally aware citizen**

**INFORMATIVE TIDBITS: A weekly newsletter of current events at St. Justin Martyr Parish School
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Dear St. Justin Martyr Parish School parents and guardians,

THANK YOU for supporting our Book Fair during Catholic Schools Week. Over \$2900 was collected which will result in more than \$1500 in additions to the library and classrooms. Thanks again! Thanks also to Olga Yabra and Pat Duthoy for their dedication to the library during Book Fair Week.

KINDERGARTEN OPEN HOUSE – Invite families who have a child who turns 5 by September 1 to our Kinder Open House on Saturday, March 13 at 1:00pm. We have personal invitations in the office if you would like to give one to a family you know. See Mrs. Jelinek.

A Catholic education promises dividends for life! You are very important to us! Pre-registration forms are available in the front office. Please let us know your intent.

It's Lent. How do we prepare? This Lent may be a challenge to focus on what is really important and to practice the most difficult discipline of all – a sacrificial love for others. Resist passivity and trust in the Lord. Meet with Him in prayer.

**The glory of these forty days
We celebrate with songs of praise;
For Christ, by whom all things were made,
Himself has fasted and has prayed.**

God bless.
Mrs. Balsis

P.T.O. FEBRUARY DINNER NIGHT OUT - is scheduled for this Thursday Feb.25th from 4pm-8pm **at Rubio's** (Anaheim Plaza in Anaheim on Euclid just north of the 5 fwy). It was held there before and was extremely popular. If you are able to, please come out and support your school. Be sure to take along the attached flyer and present it when you pay in order for the school to receive proper credit.

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2010-2011 SCHOOL YEAR PRE-REGISTRATION FORM – is attached to today's IT. Please take a moment to fill it out and return it by this Thursday, Feb. 26, so we can provide the diocese with projected enrollment numbers for the coming school year.

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MARCH CALENDAR ATTACHED – The March calendar is attached to today's IT. Please post it in a prominent place and refer to it often.

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P.T.O. PANCAKE BREAKFAST – Thanks to all who were able to support the pancake breakfast that took place on Sunday, 2/14/10. A profit of \$518.52 was made. Thank you to Belle Monzon for chairing this event, and to her crew of helpers who made the event a success.

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LAST TUESDAY, 2/16/10 - THE OPPORTUNITY DRAWING TICKETS WERE SENT HOME WITH THE OLDEST CHILD IN EACH FAMILY. If you did not receive an envelope with Opportunity Drawing tickets, please contact April Burt at 714-956-3690. **It is the responsibility of each SJM School family to sell/buy \$140 of Opportunity Drawing tickets.** Deadline to return tickets and money: Friday, April 16, 2010.

See P.T.O. Participatory Expectations explanation below:

Each book of tickets contains 21 tickets, which may be sold individually at \$1 each, or at a book price of \$20.00. This means that there is 1 free ticket either per book sold, which may be kept by the seller if sold separately, or by the buyer purchasing a book. Each family is has a responsibility to sell \$140 worth of tickets at \$1 each OR make a profit buyout of \$140, worth \$147 in tickets. The deadline will be announced in the IT. A \$35 late fee will be charged if the deadline is not met. An additional \$10 per month handling fee will be added to any outstanding balance until the balance owed is paid in full. In the event of budgeted participatory event shortfalls, additional money raising activities may be added.

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SJM SCHOOL NOW ACCEPTING NEW STUDENT APPLICATIONS – Do you know of someone (neighbor, friend, relative, co-worker) who would be interested in having their child/ren attend St. Justin Martyr School? Do you have a child ready to begin kindergarten (or another grade) in September, 2010? We are now accepting applications for the 2010-2011 school year. Please contact the school office for information and an application. Assessment tests being given now.

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HOT LUNCH MENU AND ORDER FORM – for the month of March was attached to last week's IT. Your child's order is due at the Great American Lunch Box no later than this Thursday, February 25, 2010. You can order and pay online at www.tgalb.com or send in the paper order form with your payment.

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AUCTION: Committees are now being formed for Auction. Listed below the areas where help is needed.

Acquisitions: Getting donations for the Auction

Sponsorship: Getting Sponsors for the Auction

Set Up: Work with chairs on set up, recruit volunteers to help

Take Down: Responsible for take down/clean up of hall and kitchen, recruit volunteers

5 & 10: Getting donations for the \$5 and \$10 Gifts

Bar: Getting donations for bar/ wine drive/ recruiting volunteers to run night of auction

Wish List: Previously attached to IT; copies available in school office

If interested in any of these positions please contact Tina Mora at tmora711@gmail.com. These hours count toward Spring Fundraiser and a portion can roll over for the next school year, once all this year's hours have been met.

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VICKI MARSHA FEBRUARY SALE – Please see the flyer that was attached to the Feb. 2 IT regarding their once a year sale which takes place from Feb. 2 through Feb. 27, 2010. 10% off all in-stock items.

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DO YOU HAVE ANY "JUNK" PAPER? – We are in desperate need of what we refer to as "junk" paper. We have a duplicating machine in which we can use paper that has printing on one side, but is clean on the other side. The teachers use this "junk" paper to run off classroom work that only requires one side of the paper. If you are able to help with a paper donation, **the paper size should be 8-1/2" x 11", unwrinkled, have no staples, and have no personal information on the printed side. Company letterhead paper is very desirable.** Thank you in advance!

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Questions about *Specialty Scrip* and regular scrip (goldenrod form in IT each week) should be directed to Diane Wickwire, Scrip Coordinator, 714-815-3721, or Sandy Saldana (*Specialty Scrip*) 714-750-5054.

**GIFT CERTIFICATE ORDER FORM
(For Wednesday & Friday orders only)**

NAME _____ STUDENT _____ GRADE _____

Phone # where you can be reached if we have a question about your order: _____ Order Date _____

**USE WHITE SPECIALTY SCRIP ORDER FORM FOR ORDERS OVER \$50.00.
LIMIT ORDERS ON THIS FORM TO \$50.00 PER STORE (except \$100 Stater Bros. certificate).**

Baskin Robbins	\$2	\$ _____	Payless	\$20	\$ _____	Albertsons (4%)	\$ 25	\$ _____
Bath & Body Works	\$10	\$ _____	Pizza Hut	\$10	\$ _____	Henry's	\$ 25	\$ _____
Black Angus	\$25	\$ _____	Walmart/Sams	\$25	\$ _____	Northgate Market (5%)	\$ 10	\$ _____
Burger King	\$10	\$ _____	AMC	\$25	\$ _____	Northgate Market (5%)	\$ 25	\$ _____
Carls Jr.	\$10	\$ _____	Regal Entertainment	\$25	\$ _____	Ranch 99 (6%)	\$ 10	\$ _____
Chilis	\$25	\$ _____	Ross	\$25	\$ _____	Ranch 99 (6%)	\$ 20	\$ _____
Del Taco	\$10	\$ _____	Smart & Final	\$25	\$ _____	Stater Bros. (6%)	\$ 25	\$ _____
El Pollo Loco	\$10	\$ _____	Starbucks Card	\$10	\$ _____	Stater Bros. (6%)	\$100	\$ _____
Home Depot	\$25	\$ _____	TJ Max/ Marshalls	\$25	\$ _____	Arco	\$ 50	\$ _____
Jack in the Box	\$10	\$ _____	Toys R Us	\$20	\$ _____	Chevron	\$ 50	\$ _____
JC Penney	\$25	\$ _____	Walgreens	\$25	\$ _____	Exxon/Mobil	\$ 50	\$ _____
Kmart	\$25	\$ _____				Shell	\$ 25	
Macys	\$25	\$ _____				TOTAL AMOUNT OF ORDER	=	\$ _____

Percentages subject to change without notice.
Refer to *Specialty Scrip* order form

Filled by: _____ Date: _____
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