

# St. Bede Catholic School

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Our Mission

St. Bede School is a safe, inclusive, Catholic community, where students reach their fullest potential.

# **Blessings**

Dear God,

Please make this new year a new beginning for all of us. Help us all to learn from our old mistakes and make new beginnings. Please help the poor find shelter, the sick find comfort, the hungry find food, the thirsty find drink and please help them and all of us find faith in ourselves. Help all of us to be thankful for what we have.

> Amen. Erin, gr 4

### Calendar

- 1/15 Minimum Day, 12:00 Dismissal
- 1/16 Geography Bee @ 8:15
- 1/17 No School or Extended Care, Elementary Staff Day; Mid-trimester
- 1/20 No School, Martin Luther King, Jr. Day
- 1/24 Progress Reports Go Home; Jr. High Dance @ 7:00
- 1/26 Catholic Schools' Week Mass @ 10:30; Open House 12:00-1:00
- 1/27 Faith Family Outreach
- 1/28 Someone Special Day; Classroom Activities @ 8:30; Mass @ 9:30 Students Must Wear Mass Uniform Green Polo
- 1/29 Alumni Career Day
- 1/30 Student Appreciation Day
- 1/31 Staff Appreciation Day; Hornet of the Month Awards @ 8:15; Minimum Day, 12:00 Dismissal; No Afternoon Extended Care

# **School News**

Thank You

Crab Feed 2020 was a huge success! We would like to extend a sincere thank you to various members of our Crab Feed Committee and our community who graciously shared their time, talent and treasure in preparing this event.

#### Crab Feed Committee 2019-2020

PTG – Jhoanne Navarro-Tran, Crissy Dispo, Angie Ponce, Cheryl El Chico, Sheila Decena St. Bede Parish - Linda Montoya

GAP - Sylvia Feliciano

CYO - Tony Valteau

Catering - Derek Tran, Abe Dispo, Jesus Perez

St. Bede School - Marie Amboy, Becky Marino, Maj Paguio, Andrea Luna



Though there are far too many to mention individually, thank you to those who helped with set up, decorating, sign-in, our student athlete servers, food preparation, distributing the deliciousness, those who donated items, the Knights of Columbus for providing safety in our parking lots, students for sharing their artwork, and, of course, our guests for sharing their enthusiasm for our school and parish! The list can go on and on! St. Bede is a very blessed community and for that, we are truly grateful!

# Congratulations

Congratulations to Raul Perez on winning the 58" Samsung TV!!!

#### Please Mark Your Calendars

There will be no school or Extended Care on Friday, January 17<sup>th</sup>, due to our Diocesan Staff Day. Our teachers and staff will be spending the day at St. Isidore's, collaborating with colleagues from other Catholic schools.

# Someone Special

Catholic School's Week is almost here! This year we are planning something a little different to recognize our guests for Someone Special Day. It will be a morning event followed by mass at 9:30am. The Someone Special guests are encouraged to attend mass with their student. Each teacher will be sending home a flyer with information for this very special day. Please be on the lookout for that flyer.

### Contribution of Donuts for Open House

Our Open House is an opportunity for our entire parish community to celebrate the gift of Catholic education at our school. Each family in grades 1 – 7 is asked to please bring one dozen donuts or muffins on Sunday, January 26<sup>th</sup> before the 10:30 a.m. Mass to share with our parishioners, interested families guests and school community. The donuts can be dropped off at our school office so our PTG Board can prepare our refreshments for Open House. Thank you so much for your generosity and hospitality!

# Kindergarten & New Student Testing

Kindergarten testing will take place on Saturday, February 8th. New Student testing will be on Wednesday, February 5th. Please be sure to turn in applications for siblings or family members, and notify any friends who may be interested in attending St. Bede Catholic School for the 2020-2021 school year. If there are any questions, please feel free to contact Sylvia Feliciano or Ninfa Galindo-Trantina. We will gladly help to schedule a tour of our school!

# A Message From PTG

We hope that everyone had a wonderful time at the Crab Feed. We would like to thank everyone who helped make this year's Crab Feed a successful one! From the set up and decoration volunteers, the volunteers during the event, to the 6th graders who put the crabs in the buckets, and 7th, 8th, and high school students who helped serve, thank you!

#### **Upcoming Event:**

Fundraiser 01/27/2020 Ono Hawaiian BBQ 2472 Whipple Rd., Ste. 4 Hayward, CA 94544

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