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## **December 4, 2019**

Dear Parents,

On Monday we held our first Advent Assembly. On Thursday and Friday, the grade seven students will be visiting classes to present the children with an Advent challenge. Please ask you children about their challenge.

God Bless, Kelly Kozack

**Hot Lunch/Spirit Day:** Last chance to order hot lunches today!! Next Wednesday is Hot Lunch/Spirit Day. The Spirit Day theme is RED and GREEN! Come dressed festive!

## **Advent Reconciliation Times:**

Friday, Dec 6<sup>th</sup> 4pm-5pm

Sat Dec 7<sup>th</sup> 10-11am

Friday, Dec 13<sup>th</sup> 4-5pm

Saturday, Dec 14th 10-11am

Friday, Dec 20<sup>th</sup> 6 -7:30pm

Saturday, Dec 21st 10-11am

Advent Assembly 2: Join us for our second Advent Assembly presented by the GR 7's. Monday Dec 9th at 11AM.

Missions Club: For those who ordered poinsettias to help Operation Smile, on behalf of Missions Club, we would like to thank you for your generosity. Please stop by the school kitchen on December 12th from 3pm - 4pm to pick up your order. ALSO There are only a few

poinsettias left: 1 red, 1 white and 3 pinks. Please contact either Ms. Lim at clim@shsdelta.org or Ms. Tamkee at gtamkee@shsdelta.org. Thank you!

<u>Cookie Fundraiser:</u> \$2 will get you a delicious holiday themed cookie tomorrow, Thursday Dec 5th at 3 pm in front of the school. Funds raised go to the Odyssey of the Mind teams. Although nut free, cookies are from Richlea Bakery so not a peanut free facility.

**<u>Volunteer Hours:</u>** Are you looking for hours? We still have table cloths to wash from the Dinner Dance Auction. Please come by the office if you would like to help out.

Advent - 3 Ways to Enhance your Experience: 1. Create a space for remembrance, 2. Add on a daily resolution to orient your life towards Christ, 3. Give something up and offer that space for Christ to fill with His grace. For (3-4mins) daily video Advent reflections: With Tim Gray click here, with Matthew Kelly click here & animated for children click here.

**Parish Family Potluck:** Come join other families in a potluck dinner Sun Dec 8th at the Parish Centre. It will take place after the 5PM Mass. Doors to the Parish Centre will open at 4:30 if you would like to drop your dish off before Mass.

**New Christmas Tradition:** Beginning December 1st, read one chapter of the book of Luke in the Bible each evening. There are 24 chapters. On Christmas Eve, you will have read an entire account of Jesus' Life and wake up Christmas morning knowing WHO and WHY we celebrate!!

**St. Monica's Guild:** All ladies of the parish are invited to a day of reflection preparing the way for the Incarnation of Love and Joy....

'The Word Made Flesh' led by Joey Aleksich.

The Advent retreat will be held on 7th December in the Council Room, following 9am Mass until 3pm. Coffee and a light lunch will be provided, compliments of St Monica Guild. Registration is required by TODAY for catering purposes please.

Call Lynne Willox (604) 789-2912 or email saintmonicaguild@shsdelta.org

**ISO Jingle Bells & Tambourines:** Our Parish Migrant Ministry is organizing caroling for local Migrant Farm Workers. If you have jingle bells or tambourines you would like to donate for this cause, please drop them off at the office, attn: Erin Seddon. Thanks for your support!

<u>Graphic Design Work Needed:</u> If you have some professional graphic design expertise and are able to put forward a couple of volunteer hours to help our fundraising efforts, please contact Todd Stewardson at <u>t.d.s@telus.net</u>.

<u>Live your Best Advent Ever!</u> A Great Christmas begins with an amazing Advent. Go to: <a href="https://dynamiccatholic.com/best-advent-ever">https://dynamiccatholic.com/best-advent-ever</a> for Advent reflections & inspiration.

## **Useful Contacts**

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