

# Peek of the Week

Fund the Mission of St. Theresa 

October 21 - 25, 2019



**Red Ribbon Week October 23 - 29**

Show your support for the Red Ribbon week campaign

**Send a Message. Stay Drug Free.™**

**Red Ribbon Week at St. Theresa will be **October 23 - 29.****

**Below are the themes for each day:**

**Wed Oct 23-** Suit Up Against Drugs (**Sunday Best**)

**Thurs Oct 24-** Drugs are out of Style (**70s/80s dress**)

**Fri Oct 25-** Save Your Moolah, Do the Hula (**Hawaiian Shirts**)

**Mon Oct 28-** Put Drugs to Sleep (**Pajama Day**)

**Tues Oct 29-** Slam Dunk, Drugs are Junk (**Sports Jersey Day**)

## School Information



Dear Parents,

This year we are launching a social-emotional character development program called JOI Friendly. This program teaches life skills to our students with the emphasis on building strong healthy friendships. Social emotional learning (SEL) is critical to our student's success in school and in life! SEL is the process through which people learn to recognize and manage emotions, care about others, make good decisions, behave ethically and responsibly, develop positive relationships, and avoid negative behaviors.

**THE GOAL of Joy of It Friendly is to teach a generation of kids to be really good friends.**

Teaching friendship skills like compassion and kindness to kids Kindergarten - 8th

grade combats social aggression and isolation. This program addresses the various challenges that K - 8 students face in their peer-to-peer relationships.

Please let us know if you have any questions, concerns or celebrations to report as we move through the JOI Friendly curriculum.



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## Fund the Mission of St. Theresa Catholic School



Our **Fund the Mission Ambassadors** have been hard at work spreading the word in their classrooms about our annual **Fund the Mission Campaign**. We would like to thank the parents, teacher, staff, alumni, and parishioners, that have responded. **As of this morning the Fund the Mission thermometer hit the \$10,000 mark!**

Our Fund the Mission goal for 2019-2020 is \$112,000. With your support we can reach our goal again this year!

Your annual gifts to **Fund the Mission of St. Theresa** are a vital part of our school's continued success. They provide the necessary means to help us move forward to obtain and maintain the best tools and programs available for our students. Consider making a gift today.

[Click Here to Donate Today!](#)

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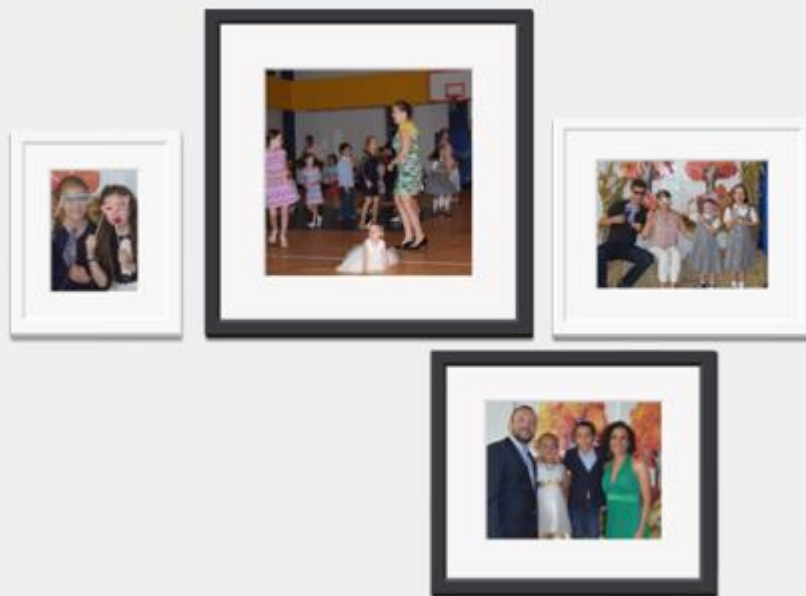
## 2019 Gala Sign-Up Parties

### Family Harvest Dance Friday, October 25th, 2019 from 6:00-9:00 PM

[Click Here to Purchase Ticket](#)

Dance the night away with your Viking. Treat your children to a fantastic night of fun. They are sure to have a blast at the Family Harvest dance. Enjoy a night of dancing, complete with a live DJ and light refreshments.

Your hosts Ms. Grawl, Mrs. James, Mrs. Mellinger, Ms. Pittman, and Ms. Torres,  
are sure to make it magical night to remember.



**Thursday, November 7th from 6-7:30pm at the Fellowship Hall.**

The newly formed St Theresa Dad's Club is excited to announce that our kick-off meeting date has been set. Please join us to meet other dads and hear more about the club, the focus and ways you can get involved. We have a lot of fun and great events we're planning for this school year. We invite any and all fathers and father-figures to join us.

Thanks,  
St Theresa Dad's Club

# Athletics

Congratulations to the St. Theresa Viking Volleyball and Soccer Teams. Both teams have worked extremely hard since the first week of school and all that hard work has paid off. The Volleyball team finished up district play with a terrific record of 10-4 and have secured the #3 seed in the 2A Central Division. Playoffs will start Monday 10/21. Location and Opponent not set yet. Stay tuned to Daily Reminders for more information. The Soccer team also is having one of their best seasons in history with a 7-2 finish in district play. They will be the #3 seed also headed into the playoffs. First playoff game will be Tuesday 10/22. Check Daily Reminders for more information.

Boys and Girls Middle School Basketball will be having tryouts shortly after Soccer and Volleyball playoffs have concluded. Don't forget to submit your forms to Coach Sugalski.

Looking forward to a deep run in the playoffs for our Fall teams.

Go Vikings!  
Scott Sugalski  
Director of Athletics

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## St. Theresa Viking Cup Tournament

Be a Title Sponsors or Towel/Beverage Sponsor!  
Sponsorship includes Banner Advertisement,  
Bulletin Advertisement, Hole Sponsor Sign, and 2-4 Tournament Teams. All  
proceeds benefit St. Theresa Catholic School.

[Registration Link](#)



*As each one has received a gift, use it to serve one another as good stewards of  
God's varied grace. - 1 Peter 4:10*

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## [Volunteer Link Sign-Up Here](#)

If you are thinking about volunteering but are concerned about the time commitment, don't worry we will find a volunteer spot to fit your schedule. Simply click on the "Volunteer Sign-Up link above and select the event you are interested in.

### **Volunteers Needed**

**October** Fund the Mission Campaign

**December 6, 2019** Viking Cup Golf Tournament

**February 15, 2020** Steps for Students 5K Run - St. Theresa Catholic School

**April 24, 2020** St. Theresa Catholic Church and School Gala

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### **Used Uniforms**

Used uniform can be purchased in our gently used uniform shop run by our PTO. Each item is \$5. For gently used uniforms to purchase please contact [Jennifer Lenz](#)

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### **Looking Ahead**



**October 27** Alumni Luncheon

**October 31** Halloween Class Parties

**November 11** Veteran's Day - All Veterans are invited to attend our Annual Breakfast to Honor our Veteran's.

**November 14** PTO Night High School Admissions Panel - Area Catholic High Schools will participate on the panel to answer admissions questions.

**January 31** Grandparent's Day - Students will perform an International Festival Performance choreographed by Sr. Symphonie.

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## **Calendar**

Monday, October 14, 2019  
Staff In-Service No School

Wednesday, October 23, 2019  
Honor Roll Assembly - 3rd thru 8th Grades following school Mass.

Thursday, October 24-31, 2019  
Ninth Annual Book Character Pumpkin Patch

Sunday, October 27, 2019

School Spirit Sunday 10am Mass & Alumni Luncheon.

[School Calendar Click Here](#)

## St. Theresa Catholic School

**St. Theresa Catholic School is a diverse community of Love  
rooted in Faith, Service and Knowledge.**

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### Office Hours

Monday - Friday: 7:30 am – 4:00 pm | Dismissal at 3:30 pm

### Weekly Mass

Wednesday at 8:10am (Mass uniform required)

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