

Happy Friday Trinity Catholic families! We are almost to the end of the year and you can feel the excitement in the air as we get closer to Christmas break!

Thanks to all of the K-4 parents and grandparents that attended or tuned in live to support the talented children during our Christmas play yesterday! I can think of no better way to celebrate the birth of Jesus than by watching it through the eyes of little children! I hope you enjoyed it as much as I did!

A special shout out to all the families that have donated items and money for our Secret Santa shop, candy cane pull and Christmas decorating! We appreciate your generosity and support so much! You all are AMAZING!

Speaking of Secret Santa Shop....Envelopes are going home with every student today. Attached to the envelope is a sheet that you will fill out with who you want your child to buy for as well as how much money you want them to spend on each person. Typically, items will run between \$1.00-5.00. Please complete the sheet, leave it attached to the envelope and insert the money inside. These can be returned any time up until Wednesday! This is a ONE DAY ONLY SALE!!! So please do not forget to send your child with money if you want them to participate!

Remember to please dress your child for the weather, including jackets, hats, mittens, etc. We will be outside for morning prayer and recess if the temperature is above 32 degrees.

Lastly, I know that the Columbus City School buses have been a hassle and unreliable this year. Please note that if your child typically rides one of the CCS buses and they fail to transport, your child can attend the aftercare program free of charge until you can arrive. Mrs. Purkey will always send you an email as soon as we get word from the transportation office. Please note that this is usually during the last 15-30 minutes of school. Thus, we ask that you be diligent about checking your email if your child rides a Columbus City School bus! In the event that you have not arrived by 2:45, your child will be required to go to the aftercare program where there are adults that are supervising children. No child will be permitted to wait for a ride unsupervised inside or outside of the building. This is for safety reasons, as I'm sure you all can understand. Thank you for your advanced cooperation!

Have a wonderful weekend!

Blessings,

Angie Eisenacher

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