



St. Bruno Catholic School

Weekly Bulletin *Happy Thanksgiving* November 21, 2011



Jesus teaches us a lesson about “giving” in the Gospel according to Luke {21:1-4}, showing that the poorest people can sometimes be the most generous. A reading from the holy Gospel according to Luke: *Jesus looked up and saw rich people putting their gifts into the treasury; he also saw a poor widow put in two small copper coins. He said, “Truly I tell you, this poor widow has put in more than all of them; for all of them have contributed out of their abundance, but she out of her poverty has put in all she had to live on.”*
The Gospel of the Lord.

CALENDAR REMINDERS & UPDATES

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Uniform Info-www.michaelsschooluniforms.com

Google Calendar web address: <http://tiny.cc/StBrunoCalendar>

November 22nd – Flash Drive Tuesday

Purchase this day as a Free Dress Day - Bring \$1 and enjoy Free dress – Money should be given to your Teacher who will verify your free dress status. **NO IOU's allowed & WE DO NOT PHONE HOME FOR A CHANGE OF CLOTHING.** Those who do not wish to participate must dress in their school uniform. Monies are used to keep our school technology maintained and up-to-date.

Please note that there will be NO after school DayCare Available November 23rd

Thanksgiving NO SCHOOL THURSDAY, November 24th & Friday, November 25 & Monday, November 28th
 To Observe Thanksgiving Weekend



BOOK FAIR starts on November 30th and continues until December 6th {in Fr.'s garage}

1st Quarter Honor Roll 12:15 in Church, Friday, Dec. 2nd

Immaculate Conception Mass – 8:15am Thursday, December 8th



Kindergarten Writing to Read

The training class for those interested in helping with Kindergarten Writing to Read will be on **Friday, December 9th at 8:00a.m. in the school Library.** Writing to Read will begin on Monday, December 12th.

Questions, please contact Mrs. Schwabe.



THURSDAY, DEC. 1ST Quarter Mile
Are you saving your quarters??
Quarter Mile!! December 1st is the day that you need to bring them to school.

Sister Mary Needs Volunteers to help her with counting. Please let her know if you are available to assist. It's a good way to earn PPP hours. Thank You

Isn't it Strange!!

- Isn't it strange** how a \$20 dollar bill seems like such a large amount when you donate it to church, but such a small amount when you go shopping?
- Isn't it strange** how 2 hours seem so long when you're at church, And how short they seem when you're watching a good movie?
- Isn't it strange** that you can't find a word to say when you're praying, but you have no trouble thinking what to talk about with a friend?
- Isn't it strange** how difficult and boring it is to read one chapter of the Bible, but how easy it is to read 100 pages of a popular novel or magazine?
- Isn't it strange** how everyone wants front-row-tickets to concerts or games But they do whatever is possible to sit at the last row in Church?
- Isn't it strange** how we need to know about an event for Church 2-3 weeks before the day so we can include it in our agenda, but we can adjust our schedule for other events at the last minute?
- Isn't it strange** how difficult it is to learn a fact about God to share it with others, but how easy it is to learn, understand, extend and repeat gossip?
- Isn't it strange** how we nearly always believe the stories and messages that magazines, newspapers and the Internet provide but... we sometimes question the Bible?
- Isn't it strange** how everyone wants a place in heaven but...they don't want to believe, do, or say anything to get there?
- Isn't it strange** how we send jokes in e-mails and they are forwarded right away but when we are going to send messages about God, we think about it twice before we share it with others?

IT'S STRANGE ISN'T IT?

The will of God will never take you where the grace of God will not protect you.



Student Absences should be reported to the School Office before 9am.



If your child will not be here at the start of school due to a medical or dental appointment, we would appreciate a call. ***This will keep us from having to make unnecessary phone calls.***

We must call the parents of any child who does not report to school and whose parents have not called in an absence. *All Absences*, whether

they are for vacations, shadow days, medical or dental appointments should be called into the office. We appreciate your understanding and cooperation



Parents, it's that time of year again when our families will be doing a lot of cooking and baking. Don't forget to turn in your "Box Tops" and please help your children with the clipping of the box top labels. *If we do not have the entire label with expiration date visible, the label is no good.*

T'is Basketball Season – Please do not park on or around the basketball courts afterschool. The team is trying to practice and needs all the courts open and available. Thanks!!



SCRIP NEWS.

Get a jump on your Christmas shopping and send your special orders before the Holiday rush.



Sorry!!! Due to unexpected circumstances we will NO LONGER be able to provide Visa by Special Order or Window Sales. We apologize for the inconvenience.

November Special Orders

Special Orders received on {Tomorrow} Tuesday, Nov. 22nd ***will not be returned to you until the following Tuesday***, November 29th due to the Thanksgiving Holiday Weekend.

Window Sales for November

Wed, Nov. 23rd afterschool at noon dismissal

• Fri, Nov. 25th **NO SALES**

• Wed, Nov. 30th after school

Scrip window is open ALL Sundays 8am-12:15pm
Scrip will not be sold in the parish center on Friday, November 25th

REMEMBER THAT DECEMBER ONLY HAS 2 DAYS AVAILABLE TO SUBMIT SPECIAL ORDERS
December 6th and December 13th
REMEMBER....NO LINES AND NO LIMITS WHEN YOU SPECIAL ORDER!!!!



“The 7th grade fundraiser “Night Out at the Movies” continues. There is still time to purchase tickets for a movie of your choice at the Whittier Village Cinemas in Uptown. Great for stocking stuffers, birthday gifts, and Christmas gifts. Tickets are \$8.00 each for any movie, any time. Purchase as many as you wish as they do not expire. The tickets are good for a 3D, 2D, or regular movie, and adult or child. Do not miss out; last day to purchase tickets is November 23, 2011. Tickets will be distributed weekly in the family envelope, but no later than week of November 28, 2011. Contact Rose Garcia at (562) 547-3671 (daytime) or (562) 698-3110 (evenings).”



Copy Paper Drive – Earn free dress on Dec. 15th
If you haven't brought your ream of paper, you need to do it now so you'll get free dress.

A huge Thank You to the children and families who continue to donate multiple reams, even cases!!



Happy Birthday to
Those who are celebrating this week

Isaiah Ramos	Nov	23
Maxwell Hock	Nov	25
Caitlin Balli	Nov	26
Faith Flores	Nov	27
Madison Foster	Nov	28

Holidays are here...Don't forget to save Campbell's labels!!



Nourishing people's lives everywhere, every day.™



Fresh & Easy - We have already received receipts that will give us over \$100.

Send in your Fresh & Easy Store receipts!!!

Exciting news! Fresh & Easy is giving a \$50 bonus to every school that raises \$500 or more through receipt collection. No pop quizzes or late night studying required. Just extra money to congratulate you on your school's fundraising success.

Remember, every \$20 fresh & easy receipt collected earns your school \$1. \$40 receipts earn \$2; \$60 receipts earn \$3, and so on. Good luck

Parents, students, and teachers please collect and send to the school office receipts from purchases made at any Fresh & Easy store between now and Dec. 31, 2011.

All original receipts must total \$20 or more to qualify.

For example, a single receipt totaling \$39.99 is worth \$1, while a single receipt for \$40.00 is worth \$2, but a receipt for \$18.50 is not eligible. You cannot combine the total of the receipts. For every \$20 spent per visit at a Fresh & Easy store, St. Bruno will receive a \$1 cash donation.



Connelly High School's
Fall Open House is
 Sunday, December 4th
 1-4pm – Learn about Academics and Student Life; Meet students, teachers, administrators; Campus Tours; Vocal and Hand bell ensembles perform; Refreshments.



B Basketball 2011 team signups this week Monday, November 21st thru Monday, November 28th and there will be a team meeting Monday November 28th at 3:30 and practice afterwards until 5:00 PM



Cross Country
On a very rainy Sunday morning the St. Bruno Cross Country team ran in the final race of the season.

CYO held the Cross Country Championships at Kenneth Hahn Park with an 8:30am start.

It was a great turn out with over 300 kids participating in this stormy day.

Once again it was no surprise, our Cross Country Team showed up strong. We had 30 students compete and they made sure we walked away with some individual and most importantly, Team awards.



Samantha Martinez blazed thru the course with a 1st Place finish in the B Division. This was her second impressive 1st place finish in CYO Cross Country competition. She is definitely walking around with a "HUGE" target on her back.

3rd & 4th Grade girls walked away undefeated in CYO and NON-CYO races. Great Job Girls!!!

As for the team awards

5th & 6th Grade Girls (B Division) - 2nd Place

5th & 6th Grade Boys (B Division) - 3rd Place

3rd & 4th Grade Girls (C Division) - 1st Place (Champs)



Congratulations to all the students who participated in Cross Country this season.

I had a lot of fun coaching all of you and I will miss the early Sunday morning workouts.

Have a great Thanksgiving... Coach Lendo