



Dear Parents,

Although we missed three full days of school last week, the students at John Paul II seemed to pick up right where we left off! The days are full and seem to fly by. Hopefully we have no more “snow days” this year!

Our teachers, staff and PTO are already busily preparing for Catholic Schools Week (January 31- February 6) and our Carnival, which is January 31. Please check you parent pack as there is a letter asking each family to donate a specific item to help with the success of the Carnival. Please call the

school if you have any questions!

Also, just a reminder to continue promoting our JP II Carnival and Raffle! Raffle prizes include a \$200 Grocery Gift Certificate, a Apple iPod Touch, and the top prize, a 40 inch LCD TV. Raffle tickets are only one dollar and the drawing will be held at the Carnival on January 31. All money made through the raffle and Carnival will go toward purchasing a convection oven for our lunch program and helping to send our staff to the National Catholic Education Association convention!

As we enter the last half of our school year, I would like to remind our families to please send to the office your volunteer hour sheets. There are many volunteer projects that need to be completed that can be done at home. Please call the office and we can certainly send projects home that you and your families may do together! Thanks so much.

A final reminder that John Paul II WILL have school on Monday, January 18. This will be a make up day for the NCEA conference in April. There will be NO BUSSING. Please call the school if you have any questions, 996-2365.

Schedule for Upcoming Week

Friday, January 15	School Mass, 9:00am, 3R and 1O Top Raffle Salesperson announced – Karaoke Machine Rental
Sunday, January 17	SCRIP sold at Holy Spirit after all Masses
Monday, January 18	JP II will have school – No Bussing
Tuesday, January 19	Show Choir Practice, 7:15 AM
Wednesday, January 20	
Thursday, January 21	Show Choir Practice, 7:15AM Ed Committee Meeting, 6:30pm in Teacher’s Lounge
Friday, January 22	School Mass, 9:00am, 5M and 2C Top Raffle Salesperson announced – 2 Paid Park and Rec Programs for winner or family

Please be watching in our next Parent Packet for the upcoming schedule for Catholic Schools Week. Our hope is that you will be able to attend many of our activities! God bless!

Michelle Ommen, Principal