

## **2<sup>ND</sup> GRADE DATES TO REMEMBER**

The Mass is a time to give and to receive—to give praise to God and to receive God's blessings. Celebrating Mass is the central act of Catholic Worship. It is an opportunity to participate in Christ's sacrifice and risen life. Our students are given a wonderful chance to actively take part in the Mass during our Children's Liturgy of the Word. At the 2<sup>nd</sup> Grade Mass they assist with the readings and gifts and hear the Gospel explained in a way that they can understand it for their age. This is a tremendous gift which will hopefully provide students with a new appreciation for their Catholic faith.

The following is a list of the special dates to remember. It does not include the dates for classes that are on your family schedule. Confirm with your family schedule for exact times. This is a Double Sacrament year and we look forward to working with parents to make this a meaningful and inspirational time in your child's faith formation as they truly encounter Christ.

**October 15<sup>th</sup>** – 2<sup>nd</sup> grade parent meeting (8:45- 9:45) Coffee shop open

**October 22<sup>nd</sup>** – 2<sup>nd</sup> grade Mass (students sit with parents until Father invites them up for C.L.O.W.)

**November 12<sup>th</sup>** – 2<sup>nd</sup> grade Mass (10:15 C.L.O.W.) and make-up class (9:00 – 10:00)

**November 18<sup>th</sup> & 19<sup>th</sup>** – Bake Sale-support this 7th Gr CS project by baking or purchasing bake goods

**December 10<sup>th</sup>** – 2<sup>nd</sup> grade Mass (10:15 C.L.O.W.) & Christmas program (9:30 in the church)

**January 1<sup>st</sup>** – Holy Day of Obligation (Mary, Mother of God)

**January 7<sup>th</sup>** – *Time capsule project going home to work on, return 1/21. Deacon Mike Guest Speaker.*

**January 14<sup>th</sup>** - 2nd Grade Make-up class (9:00 – 10:00)

**January 21<sup>st</sup>** – 2<sup>nd</sup> grade parent Meeting (8:45 – 9:45) Coffee shop open

**January 28<sup>th</sup>** – 2<sup>nd</sup> grade **First Reconciliation** (8:45 – 9:45) 2<sup>nd</sup> Grade Mass (10:15 C.L.O.W.)

**February 11<sup>th</sup>** – 2<sup>nd</sup> grade **First Reconciliation** (8:45 – 9:45) 2<sup>nd</sup> Grade Mass (10:15 C.L.O.W.)

**March 4<sup>th</sup>** – 2<sup>nd</sup> grade **First Reconciliation** (8:45 – 9:45)

**March 18<sup>th</sup>** – Last 2<sup>nd</sup> Grade Make-up class (9:00 – 10:00) 2<sup>nd</sup> grade Mass (10:15 C.L.O.W.)

**March 25<sup>th</sup> – April 1<sup>st</sup> – Holy Week** (check web-site and bulletin for exact dates & times.)

**March 25<sup>th</sup> & April 8<sup>th</sup>** – registration for the 2018/2019 after the 10:15 Mass

**March 29<sup>th</sup> – Holy Thursday** – 2<sup>nd</sup> grade (Mass of the Lord's Supper)

**April 7<sup>th</sup>** – 2<sup>nd</sup> grade **Retreat** and Parent Meeting (9:00 – 12:00)

**April 27<sup>th</sup>** – Communion rehearsal (6:00 – 7:00)

**April 28<sup>th</sup> – First Communion**

**April 29<sup>th</sup>** – 2<sup>nd</sup> grade Mass

**May 4<sup>th</sup>** – Communion rehearsal

**May 5<sup>th</sup> – First Communion**

**May 6<sup>th</sup>** – 2<sup>nd</sup> grade Mass, May Procession, 2<sup>nd</sup> Gr Ice-Cream celebration, blessing of religious items

**May 10<sup>th</sup>** – Holy Day of Obligation (Ascension Thursday)

**August 15<sup>th</sup>** – Holy Day of Obligation (Assumption of Mary)