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Dear Holy Name School families,

- We are once again asking for donations for our baskets of Thanksgiving. Our goal is to assemble 15 baskets of food for families to be able to eat for one week, not just on Thanksgiving Day. Our wish list of donations is attached and we would like to ask that the items be brought in by Monday, **Nov. 21st** to give us time for assembly.
- During the month of November we remember all the dead, and on **Nov. 17th** our school Mass will be offered for all of those from the Holy Name Community who have left this life. We invite you to submit your names to the school office of those associated with Holy Name School - past graduates, and close family members of current students who have passed away (e.g. grandparents). We also invite all of you to join with us at the school Mass at 8:30 a.m. on Nov. 17 to pray together for our beloved dead.
- Monday, **Nov. 21st** at 6:00 p.m. we will be holding our first School Life Committee Meeting. (previously known as PTO) It will take place in the Parish Center.
- Mon and Tue, **Nov. 21st and 22nd**, the Class of 2023 will be having a baked sale to supplement Grade 8 activities. All items will be \$1.00, individually wrapped, and on sale at lunch time.
- Wednesday, **Nov. 23rd** we will have a half day of school; students will be dismissed at 11:30 a.m. This is to allow families to get ready for the upcoming Thanksgiving Holiday as well as attend the Thanksgiving Family Mass at 6:30 pm at Holy Name Church. We ask that all students attending this mass bring one non-perishable food item and bring it up as an offering to God during the offertory procession. The food pantry has asked for specifics this year and we would like to accommodate if possible. We are asking that you bring the item assigned to your class as follows: PK: mac & cheese, K: Progresso chunky soup, Gr. 1: any canned vegetables, Gr. 2: pork & beans, Gr. 3: ramen, Gr. 4: Chef Boyardee ravioli/ spaghetti/ spaghetti-o's, Gr. 5: jelly, Gr. 6: instant potatoes, Gr. 7: peanut butter, Gr. 8: any canned vegetables
- **HNS Thanksgiving Turkey Trot: We're excited to bring back the Thanksgiving morning Turkey Trot for our Holy Name School students and families! Anyone interested is invited to meet at Bishop Connolly High School at 9 a.m. on **Thanksgiving morning**. More information will be forthcoming - for now, please just save the date. Please contact Fr. Williams at frwilliams@holynamefr.com with any questions.**

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- **A message from Pamela Tietze (coordinator of Futsal for HNS)**

Dear HNS Families,

We are in need of a coach for the 5th/6th Grade Futsal team. Unfortunately, the person who was going to coach has a conflict that will prevent her from doing so. We are also looking for more players to fill out the roster for the 5th/6th grade as well as the 7th/8th grade.

Please contact me if you are interested: Tinkrbl777@msn.com Thank you and God Bless!

- Save the date: Our Christmas performance will be held at Bishop Connolly this year. It will take place on **Dec. 15th**. More info will be forthcoming as we get closer.
- Baptismal Prep Program for Children: We are offering a program for any children who have not been baptized, and who would like to receive that sacrament. A later program will be offered to prepare for Confession & First Communion for children past 2nd grade.
The informational meeting for the Baptism Prep. Program will be on Sunday, **December 18th** at the school after the 10:30 Mass. We will then offer the class to prepare for the Sacrament on Sunday, **January 22nd** after the 10:30 Mass.
- You will receive a weekly lunch menu from Mrs. Krauzyk on Tue. Morning. If you have an issue with the email, you can always order lunch through our website. Just remember that **NO orders will be accepted after noon on Thursday.** <https://www.hnsfr.org/Lunch-Menus>

Weekly reflection:

“The LORD watches over the lives of the wholehearted;
their inheritance lasts forever.”

--Psalms 37:23

Stay well and God Bless,

David J. Flanagan

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