Dear Trinity Families,

Tomorrow we celebrate the feast of the Immaculate Conception. This is a Holy Day of Obligation which means that as Catholics we are required to attend Mass. Most people think this feast is all about Jesus’ conception by the Virgin Mary, but it’s not. It is the special way in which the Virgin Mary herself was conceived. Mary was born without original sin or its stain, and by the grace of God, Mary remained free of every personal sin her whole life long. She was in a state of sanctifying grace from the first moment of her existence—a truly fitting mother for the Son of God.

Hail Mary,
Full of Grace,
The Lord is with thee.
Blessed art thou among women, and blessed is the fruit of thy womb, Jesus.
Holy Mary, Mother of God, pray for us sinners now, and at the hour of our death.
Amen.

With God’s blessings,
Kimber Moehrman, Principal
Upcoming Events

- **Saturday, December 8**
  - Breakfast with Santa 8:30-11:30
  - Mass at St. Christopher 9 am
  - St. Margaret Christmas Cookie Dough Mixing for Soup Kitchen 5 pm

- **Monday, December 10**
  - School Spelling Bee 8:20-9:20 (K-3) and 9:20-10:20 (4-8)
  - School Evacuation Drill
  - School Board Meeting 7 pm in library

- **Wednesday, December 12**
  - Band Rehearsal at Bishop Ready (5th at 4 pm, 6th at 4:40 pm, 7/8th at 5:20 pm)

- **Thursday, December 13**
  - 1st Grade to the Nutcracker
  - St. Christopher Children’s Choir Practice 5 pm
  - Band Concert at Bishop Ready 7 pm

- **Friday, December 14**
  - Titan Tidbits Reporting 8 am--St. Dymphna Family
  - 4th and 5th Grades to see the Best Christmas Pageant Ever
  - 6th Grade to see the Little Match Girl
  - Miss Turcu to read at the preschool

- **Monday, December 17**
  - Girl Scout Meetings after school
  - Home and School Meeting in library 6:30 pm

- **Tuesday, December 18**
  - Christmas Program
    - Grades K-4 at 9:30 am and 1 pm AND Grades 2-4 at 7 pm

- **Wednesday, December 19**
  - 4-H Meeting after school
  - Middle School Performances at Miller’s Ale House—enjoy dinner and a show! 6th grade performing at 6 pm, 7th grade at 6:30 pm, and 8th grade at 7 pm. See SchoolSpeak for additional details.
Thursday, December 20
   ➔ Christmas Extravaganza! Saint Family fun and dismissal at 1!

Christmas break--December 21-January 6!
Back to school on January 7!