



November News

Jambalaya Dinner Fundraiser Breaks Record with \$11,264.14 raised

When a function such as our annual Jambalaya Dinner fund raiser is a success, the credit starts with the planning committee. Gia Mashon , Amy Uffman and Ron McDaniel did a wonderful job heading this committee. Melissa Campbell, Jen Mathes, Eileen Jorgensen, and Beth Broussard did a super job assisting Gia and Amy. Their fine work, and excellent planning made our dinner a tremendous fundraiser. A special thank you to our chef, Henry Bonncaze. The jambalaya was delicious.

Thanks to your support and participation,

a record amount of \$11,264.14. was raised. We truly appreciate your time and efforts during this fundraising event.

Chad Brouillette, Gary Littlefield, Ron McDaniel, and chef Henry Bonncaze.



Jambalaya Volunteers serve dinners.



Grandparents' Day

Grandparents' Day is Friday, November 19 for all our preschool classes. Susan, Connie, and Dana's classes will begin their program at **9:45** in the church. Following the program the grandparents and the children will go to the church Activity Center for

a reception. Trisha, Pam, and Danielle's classes will begin their program at **10:30** in the church. Following the program the children and the grandparents will go to the church Activity Center for a reception.

Children leaving

school with their grandparents must be signed out in the coffee shop of the Activity Center.

We ask a parent or another relative or friend to attend for children who will not have a grandparent present.

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Reminders

- ☺ Label all your child's belongings.
- ☺ Please, do not bring toys to school.
- ☺ Don't forget your birthday gifts of food for the poor.
- ☺ Arrive and pick up on time.
- ☺ Please pick up your child promptly when they become ill at school.

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Celebrate our Blessings

Christmas is a time to celebrate our blessings, and share those blessings with the less fortunate. We want to help the children be aware that Christmas is not just getting, Christmas is also giving. The Wise men gave gifts to show their love to Jesus. We give gifts to show our love, too. We give to each other, and to our friends, and to Jesus. We show our love for Jesus by giving to the less fortunate. Again this year we will offer the children the opportunity to participate in the Angel Tree. The angels on the tree bear the description of a less fortunate person and the person's Christmas wish. The

children may choose an angel off the tree and bring a gift for the person described on the angel.

The children will attend a program in the church on Thursday, December 3 or Friday, December 4 at 9:30 to explain the Angel Tree and to pick their angel off the tree. You are welcome to attend the program or you may choose an angel off the tree in the church the weekend before. If you plan on attending the program in the church, Danielle, Connie, and Trisha's classes will attend on Thursday, December 2 Pam, Margaret, and Susan's classes will be in the church on Friday, December 3.

This event is sponsored by the

Mother Child Association. Participation in this program is optional. More information will be sent home before Thanksgiving

If you have any questions or would like to help with the Angel Tree call Monica Alley (275-1128).



Halloween Party Time in Miss Susan's class

November Birthdays

Baylee Fontenot	11-2	"Miss" Danielle's class
Selena Pham	11-2	"Miss" Pam's class
Daniel Bowers	11-3	"Miss" Connie's class
Logan Nguyen	11-7	"Miss" Trisha's class
Noah Singleton	11-15	"Miss" Pam's class
Lana Nugyen	11-16	"Miss" Trisha's class
Maggie Windham	11-18	"Miss" Susan's class
Kaeden Do	11-25	"Miss" Pam's class
Ella Santa Ana	11-25	"Miss" Susan's class

Shade Cover

Our playground shade cover is up at last. It looks great and the temperature on the playground is much more comfortable for the children. The ground cover needs some repairs. Hopefully that will be done in the next week. We also have a new piece of playground equipment to install. Thanks to the success of the Jambalaya dinner we paid for the installation of the cover and purchased an airplane teeter totter that accommodates seven children. Thank you to everyone for making this possible.

Dates to Remember

- ☺ Friday, 11 -12 —LSU Day — Free dress day — wear your purple and gold
- ☺ Tuesday, 11 -16— Thanksgiving Feast & Strong Buffalo and his Indian teepee - All Classes
- ☺ Friday, Nov. 19 — Grandparents' Day
 - 9:45 — Susan, Connie, Dana
 - 10:30—Trisha, Danielle, Pam
- ☺ Monday, 11-22- Friday, 11-26— Thanksgiving Holidays—No preschool.
- ☺ Monday, 11-22 Wednesday, 11-24— Open for day care.
- ☺ Sunday, November, 28—First Sunday of Advent
- ☺ Thursday , 12-3—Angel Tree Program in Church - 9:30 - Danielle Connie and Trisha
- ☺ Friday, 12 -3—Angel Tree Program in Church—9:30—Pam, Dana and Susan.
- ☺ Monday, 12-13—Christmas Sing-a-long— Susan and Trisha's classes—10:00
- ☺ Tuesday, 12-14 — Christmas Concert in the Church—10:00 — Connie, Pam, Dana, and Danielle's classes.

Look What's Happening



McKenzie Miller and Collin Cunningham show off the Hedge Hogs they made for snack during H Week.



It's carving pumpkin time in Miss Danielle's class.



Miss Susan's Class love having pizza for snack. They won a Pizza Party for selling the most Jambalaya Tickets.



Wyatt Chenevert, Hadley Ewen, and Araceli Sturiale enjoy the Halloween Carnival.



Maddox Tran and Martin Bui ring their bells during Music Class

