

September 14, 2009

Dear Parents,

We will attend Mass at Our Lady of Guadalupe Shrine (next door to the school) on Friday at 8:30. You are always welcome to join us. Our 2nd graders will do the readings for the Mass this week. The students will pray the rosary on Wednesday.

Our trash bag sale ends on Friday. All orders, with payment, are due on Friday, September 18th. The trash bags will be delivered to OLG around September 25th. Thank you for your efforts on this sale.

We will have special visitors at OLG on Friday. They will be meeting with teachers, a few parents, and students. They will be reviewing the school's five year plan and giving us feedback. We will **not** be celebrating Red Friday this Friday (out of uniform) because of the visitors in the building. **All students should wear their uniform to school on Friday.**

School Board News: The School Board is ready for another exciting year at Our Lady of Guadalupe School! We'd like to introduce you to our members and share our goals for this school year. The 2009/2010 School Board members are as follows: Connie Bowman, Principal; Father Al Ebach, Pastor of Sacred Heart-Guadalupe Parish; T'Sharra Carlson, President; Alicia Sanchez, Parent; Suzanne Untersee, Parishioner; Gordon Johnston, Volunteer; Ezekiel Amador III, Website coordinator.

Our goals for this school year include:

- Increase our business partners by at least one per year and maintain relationships with existing partners.
- Communicate twice per year through the *Catholic Key*, parish bulletins, increase schools visibility in the community and visit parishes during Catholic School's Week.
- Increase Board communication with parents, teachers and the community through two newsletters per year and by attending school functions (i.e. Back to School Nights).
- Coordinate school dance at the end of the year and work with the PTA on fundraising activities.
- Make at least four contacts each school year with Plaza de Ninos (preschool).
- Explore opportunities for after school tutoring

You can visit our website at www.olgkc.org.

Sincerely,

Connie Bowman