

# THE KNIGHT TIMES

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April 7<sup>th</sup> -18<sup>th</sup>

Monday April 7 <sup>th</sup>	Tuesday April 8 <sup>th</sup>	Wednesday April 9 <sup>th</sup>	Thursday April 10 <sup>th</sup>	Friday April 11 <sup>th</sup>
Student Council Officers meet @11:30	6 <sup>th</sup> Graders Field Trip to Raleigh Jr. Great Books group meets after school HSA meeting @ 7PM	Report Cards are sent home	Recorder group meets @ 7:30 a.m.	3 <sup>rd</sup> -5 <sup>th</sup> Graders Field Trip to the Symphony in the a.m.  5A Mass @ 10:30
April 14 <sup>th</sup>	April 15 <sup>th</sup>	April 16 <sup>th</sup>	April 17 <sup>th</sup>	April 18 <sup>th</sup>
10:45 Cultural Enrichment for students in grades 5-8	Kindergarten Field Trip to the Art Museum		2A/2B Field Trip to the Science Museum 11:30 Dismissal for Conferences	6RMass @ 10:30  11:30 Dismissal for Conferences

7<sup>th</sup>/8<sup>th</sup> Graders have their overnight trips... Sound to Sea and Washington, DC respectively

## ➤ FROM THE PRINCIPAL'S DESK

Dear Parents/Guardians,

First of all I want to THANK the 7<sup>th</sup> and 8<sup>th</sup> grade students for their prayerful rendition of the Stations of the Cross the Wednesday before Easter. It was truly a meditation in action. They are to be commended on their reverent interpretation of each station, which I am told was up to them to arrange as they placed themselves in the scene.

The 6<sup>th</sup> grade writers and readers are also to be congratulated on their preparation and reading of each station.

There is much going on around the school these days... the Used Book Sale, Shakespeare, Science Fair preparations, Math, Social Studies, all the other subjects, and most importantly (to the children), a time to play and have fun. This is a busy time and we all need to strive for balance in all areas of our lives.

We have much to accomplish yet this year, so to that end we are endeavoring to keep students focused and engaged and yet allow for extra curricular activities.

Let's pray, for each other, to have success during this Easter Celebration time.

Sincerely,  
Sister Catherine  
Principal

➤ **SCHOOL LIBRARY'S ANNUAL USED BOOK SALE**

- **Thursday, April 3<sup>rd</sup> through Saturday, April 5<sup>th</sup>**
- We also need help with staffing the sale Thursday - Saturday along with tear-down on Saturday afternoon.
- If you would like to volunteer please e-mail me, Cathy Elmore, at [celmore@nc.rr.com](mailto:celmore@nc.rr.com).

➤ **KNOW YOUR TALENTS, VALUES and MOTIVATIONS**

- Please join us for a discernment workshop to explore what you may want to do next in your life: deciding on a new career, volunteering, starting your own business, and more.
- Wednesday, April 9<sup>th</sup>, 9AM
- Depending on interest, an evening session may also be scheduled on the same date.
- The Multi-Purpose Room at Saint Thomas More Church
- Our presenter will be Mike Komives. Mike is a Career and Job Search Advisor and Strategist and an STM parishioner for 16 years. He works with mothers returning to work after parenting; those newly relocated to the area due to their spouse's work; high school students preparing for college; those entering the work force after military service, and those preparing for retirement.
- Mike has conducted workshops for STM Stewardship, the Catholic Mothers' Network, St. Francis of Assisi Parish, Durham Senior Center, Durham Technical Continuing Education as well as other organizations and, in the fall, will be conducting workshops at Cardinal Gibbons, Carrboro, and Orange County High Schools.
- If you are interested in attending please RSVP to Jennifer McFarland at [jennmcfarland@nc.rr.com](mailto:jennmcfarland@nc.rr.com). Note your preference for a morning or evening session. We look forward to seeing you. Sponsored by the HSA.

➤ **STM SCHOOL DANCE**

- Calling ALL 6<sup>th</sup>, 7<sup>th</sup>, and 8<sup>th</sup> grade parents!
- STM's last School Dance of the year will be held Friday, May 2<sup>nd</sup> from 7-9:30 p.m. in the STM gym.
- We are looking for volunteers to decorate, chaperone, clean-up and help provide snacks/refreshments for the dance.
- Please email Beth Deacon at [bdeacon@hughes.net](mailto:bdeacon@hughes.net) or call 919-612-2818 to volunteer.

➤ **SUMMER TUTORING**

- Ms. Misa, 3<sup>rd</sup> grade teacher, is available to tutor this summer. Please contact her at [mmisa@st-thomasmore.org](mailto:mmisa@st-thomasmore.org) for information.