

# THE KNIGHT TIMES

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Monday February 23 <sup>rd</sup>	Tuesday February 24 <sup>th</sup>	Wednesday February 25 <sup>th</sup>	Thursday February 26 <sup>th</sup>	Friday February 27 <sup>th</sup>
<p>Different "Shoe" Day (no slippers)</p> <p>Cultural Enrichment Presentation grades 5-8 @ noon</p> <p>5<sup>th</sup> Grade Science Club meets from 2:45-3:45pm.</p>	<p>BOB Club meets after school</p> <p>.School Board Meeting @ 7pm.</p>	<p>Ash Wednesday Mass @ 10:30</p> <p>Progress Reports for 3<sup>rd</sup> Quarter are sent home</p>	<p>5<sup>th</sup> Grade Science Club meets from 2:45-4:00pm.</p>	<p>Stations of the Cross @ 10:30</p>
March 2 <sup>nd</sup>	March 3 <sup>rd</sup>	March 4 <sup>th</sup>	March 5 <sup>th</sup>	March 6 <sup>th</sup>
<p>For parents ONLY of 8<sup>th</sup> graders... 9:30am. meeting @ Jordan High School</p>	<p>4<sup>th</sup> and 7<sup>th</sup> graders take a Diocesan Writing assessment test during their language period.</p> <p>BOB Club and Jr. Great Books group meet after school</p>	<p>\$1.00 Dress Down Day and 1:45pm. Dismissal</p>	<p>5<sup>th</sup> Grade Science Club meets from 2:45-4:00pm.</p>	<p>9am. Tour 8B Mass and Mission Day</p>

## ➤ FROM THE PRINCIPAL'S DESK

Dear Parents/Guardians,

This morning as I drove into school I saw the first indications of our upcoming building project. Have you noticed what is missing in our landscape?

Lent begins on Wednesday, February 25<sup>th</sup>. We will help your child better understand the meaning of Lent. We will talk about how we can fast, pray and give alms in special ways throughout our lives but especially during the season of Lent. We will explain how we prepare ourselves during Lent to celebrate the glorious Resurrection of Jesus.

God Bless,  
Sister Catherine

➤ **DIFFERENT SHOE DAY: FEBRUARY 23<sup>rd</sup>**

- ❖ St. Thomas More Girl Scout Troops are sponsoring Different Shoe Day, the National Girl Scout way of celebrating diversity.
- ❖ All are invited to wear two different shoes (**NO SLIPPERS**) to school as a way to show that we value the differences of all people and appreciate that our similarities are larger than our differences.
- ❖ Join us in wearing two different shoes Monday, February 23<sup>rd</sup>.

➤ **VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL 2009**

- ❖ This summer as we all know school will be ending earlier than usual because new building construction will be underway. This also means that we cannot hold Vacation Bible School as usual in the Elementary School in June.
- ❖ However, Jim Hynes, Director of Elementary and Adult Faith Formation, has found an alternative location for Vacation Bible School this year:
- ❖ **Dates:** Monday June 15th to Friday June 19th
- ❖ **Location:** [Chapel Hill Bible Church](#), 260 Erwin Road, Chapel Hill, NC 27514
- ❖ **Cost:** Full Price \$70 per child (reduced price for volunteers \$20 per child) \*
- ❖ **Program:** [Rome, Paul and the Underground Church](#)
- ❖ **More Information:** [YBS page](#) on the Parish Web Site.
- ❖ There is still a lot of work to do to publicize and organize Vacation Bible School, so look out for further information.
- ❖ No child will be excluded from the program because of inability to pay.

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