#### THURSDAY, MARCH 28, 2024

## St. Thomas & St. Timothy School



### PEEK AT THE WEEK Colleen DiSanto

Jesus, You walked and died on the way of the cross because You loved us more than life itself. Your body was beaten, bruised, and broken for us. You were laid in the tomb, but even death could not end Your life. Your death and Your resurrection give us hope, and belief that we too can deal with anything that life hands us, as long as we share the cross together. We do not stand alone. We know that Your risen Spirit lives within us and in those around us.

Adapted from "A Love That Forgives" written by Betty McDermott

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### Upcoming Calendar Events

To view our school calendar and upcoming events, please <u>click here</u>.

3/29 - No School - Good Friday

3/30 - Last day to order April lunches

4/2 - 4th and 5th Grade Basketball Banquet, 6:00pm at St. Thomas Campus

4/3 - 7th Grade NWC Experience Day (Click here for permissions slip)

4/3 - HSA Meeting @ St. Timothy Campus at 6:30pm

4/8-4/12 - No School, Spring Break

4/18 - Cultural Night at St. Thomas Campus 6:00pm

5/17 - HSA Cocktail Party Fundraiser 6:00pm-8:00pm



### **Classroom Spotlight**

Students at St. Thomas & St. Timothy School each participated in their own Living Stations of the Cross on this Holy Thursday, in preparation for the Easter weekend ahead.

The students reenacted the journey of Jesus Christ, from His condemnation to the crucifixion and ultimately, His resurrection. Each student took on their roles with dedication and reverence, bringing the story to life. As they walked the path of Jesus' suffering and sacrifice, the message of love, forgiveness, and redemption resonated throughout the church. The Living Stations of the Cross served as a powerful reminder of the sacrifices made for humanity and the hope that springs from acts of love. We wish all of our St. Thomas & St. Timothy families a Blessed Easter weekend.

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# School News



St. Thomas 5th grade students reflected on the Stations of the Cross with the entire school during their prayer service. It was a powerful and moving experience.

### Reminders

Lunch Ordering Available: You may now order lunch on EduConnect for the month of April. The cost is \$6.00 and will be billed to your Blackbaud Management Account. The last day to order lunch for April is March 30th.

**Drop off at St. Thomas Campus:** Please do not pass on the left when dropping off in the morning at St. Thomas. Instead, we kindly ask that you follow the designated drop-off procedures to ensure the safety and efficiency of the traffic flow at St. Thomas. By adhering to these guidelines, we can work together to create a smooth and secure environment for everyone in the school community. Thank you for your cooperation and understanding.

### 2024-2025 School Year

At this point in the enrollment season, we have welcomed 30 new families to our school. If you intend to have your child(ren) attend for the 2024-2025 school year, kindly send back the Tuition Contract and a \$300 deposit.

Applying for Financial Aid for the 2024-2025 School Year: You may begin applying for financial aid for the 2024-2025 school year now. Please <u>click here</u> to start the process. Our school code is 13753. Please contact Michelle Curley (<u>business\_manager@stastmschool.org</u>) with any questions.



### School News



St. Timothy 8th grade students did a fantastic job as they reflected on the way of the cross. Thank you to Father David and Deacon Pallotti for their guidance in rehearsing and to our students for their reverence and respect as they walked as Jesus did.

Home and School Association



Save the Date for Jazz Under the Stars! St. Thomas & St. Timothy School's Home & School Association invites you to a cocktail party fundraiser "Jazz Under the Stars: Help us Jazz up the Classrooms! The event will take place on Friday, May 17, 2024 from 6:00 pm-8:00 pm at the West Family residence at 44 Sycamore Road, West Hartford, Connecticut. *Stay tuned for more information!* 

Save the Date for Cultural Night, April 18: We look forward to seeing many families at Cultural Night!

**Rescheduled Skate Night:** We are excited to have our rescheduled Skate Night for April 26th! Click the links below for more information.

- St. Timothy Parents: St. Timothy Skate Night at Vets Attendance (signupgenius.com)
- <u>St. Timothy Parents: St. Timothy Skate Night @ Vets Donations & Volunteers</u> (<u>signupgenius.com</u>)

**Square 1 Art:** Your child's art is complete and ready for you to order items featuring their art. <u>Click here</u> to search for your child's art on the Square 1 Art website. Just enter "St. Thomas & St. Timothy School" and your child's last name. Your child's original artwork and stickers will be sent home after Easter. Orders must be placed by April 22.



### Community

#### 7th Grade Experience Day at Northwest Catholic: On

Wednesday, April 3rd our 7th grade students will attend an "Experience Day" at Northwest Catholic. They will spend most of the day shadowing and participating in planned activities. Students will walk over with teacher chaperones and return in plenty of time for dismissal. Permission slips were sent home today. <u>Click here for</u> <u>the permissions slip</u>



