



**St. Paul's School  
San Francisco, California**

**Weekly Newsletter  
February 27, 2008**

**A Glimpse at the Days Ahead:**

Thursday,  
February 28 7:00 p.m. Alana Freeman  
Parent Education –  
Grades K – 2

Saturday,  
March 1 Family Bingo 7:00 –  
9:00 p.m.

Tuesday/Thursday,  
March 4 and 6  
Lenten Reconciliation

Wednesday,  
March 5 School Mass – 8:30 a.m.  
Dress Uniform

Saturday,  
March 15 MOSP St. Patrick's Day  
Dinner

**Principal's Message:**

Dear Parents/Guardians:

This Sunday is the Fourth Sunday of Lent. Traditionally, this is called Laetare Sunday and the color rose is used. This color reminds us that springtime will soon be here and that we are halfway through our Lenten journey. One key part of Lent is almsgiving. Here at St. Paul's we are participating in a Lenten food drive. Please be generous with canned goods when your child asks for donations.

Next week Grades 3 to 8 will go to Church to receive the sacrament of Reconciliation. Congratulations to our second grade class who just received this sacrament for the first time last week.

Sincerely,

Arleen Guaraglia  
Principal

***Be the change you want  
to see in this world.***

***Mahatma Gandhi***

### **PSAS:**

The PSAS financial aid forms have arrived and are available on a first come, first served basis in the office. These application forms will only be handed to an adult and you must come to the office to receive it. We cannot send forms home with students. Thank you for your cooperation.

### **Good Neighbor Lenten Food Drive:**

February 20 – March 12, 2008

Help us reach our goal of 750 pounds of food. Please be generous. Bins are located in the school lobby for your convenience. Thank you.

### **Family Bingo Night:**

This Saturday is St. Paul's Annual Family Bingo Night. This has proven to be a fun night of games, snacks and great company for all. Tickets and volunteer assignments are being sent home in today's family envelope. Tickets will not be available at the door. Hope to see you there!

### **MOSP St. Patrick's Irish Dinner:**

Tickets are now on sale for this annual fare of Irish food, music and dancing. The MOSP are exceptional corned beef and cabbage chefs. If you don't believe us, come on by and try it for yourself. You can purchase your tickets at the Rectory, after Mass, or in the School Office (see Mrs. Revilla). See the attached flyer for more information.

### **Re-Registration Documents:**

Re-Registration documents were sent home in last Wednesday's envelope and were addressed to the oldest or only child. Please be sure to get these documents back to the office by the due date. If you have any

questions, please do not hesitate to call the office.

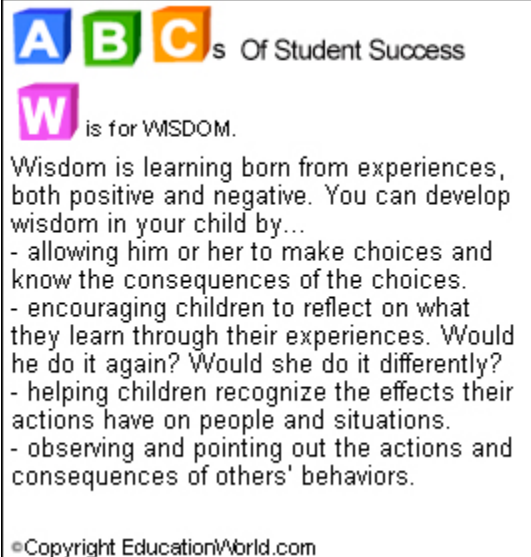
### **St. Paul's Athletics News:**

#### Crab Feed Dinner/Dance/Raffle:

The St. Paul's Athletic Board would like to thank all who supported this event. Once again, it was a great success! It takes many hours of planning and lots of hard work to put together an event like this. School families and parishioners alike enjoyed a wonderful evening of bread, salad, pasta, marinated crab, music and even a bit of dancing. A special thank you to all those 7<sup>th</sup> and 8<sup>th</sup> grade students who served and helped clean up. It was great to see everyone working together and having a good time.

#### Uniform Returns:

Student Athletes, if you have not already done so, please be sure to return your sports uniform to the office. Thank you.



**A B C**s Of Student Success

**W** is for WISDOM.

Wisdom is learning born from experiences, both positive and negative. You can develop wisdom in your child by...

- allowing him or her to make choices and know the consequences of the choices.
- encouraging children to reflect on what they learn through their experiences. Would he do it again? Would she do it differently?
- helping children recognize the effects their actions have on people and situations.
- observing and pointing out the actions and consequences of others' behaviors.

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