

## FUNDRAISING OPPORTUNITIES

*Your help is needed with planning and organizing the following events:*

**Auction/ Casino Night-** A fun fundraising event taking place in early 2012.

**Golf Tournament-**The St. Francis Catholic School Golf Tournament is usually held in May. Volunteers are needed to communicate with the host course staff, get sponsors, donors, golfers, prizes, and auction items.

**Scrip Program-** You can use scrip, just like cash, to purchase everyday items such as, food, clothing, and other essentials. The Scrip program needs volunteers during the week and on the weekends.

**Gift Wrap-** This is usually the first fundraiser of the year. Volunteers are needed to assist the chairperson with tallying and distributing orders, as well as promoting the sale throughout the school community.

**Jog-A-Thon -** This annual athletic event encourages kids to exercise and at the same time, raise money for the school. Volunteers are needed to set up the event and monitor the students as they complete laps.

**Fall Festival/Fiesta-** This event includes family activities, games, carnival-style attractions and food concessions.

**Ancillary Fundraisers-** Throughout the year we need volunteers to assist with other planned fundraisers, such as, Dining out Nights, E-recycle, and Spiritwear.

## SCHOOL COMMUNITY

**Grandparents Day-** Volunteers are needed to help plan, set up, serve, and clean up at our Grandparents and Special Guests Day, usually held on the Friday of Catholic Schools Week.

**Sports Volunteer-**We will always need help with coaching a football, basketball, volleyball, or soccer team. Without coaches, we won't be able to offer the sports.

**School Volunteer-**Assist with a variety of activities throughout the year: music, Spanish, computers, art, day care, library, recess duty, lunch duty, etc

**Community Outreach-** Work closely with the individual outreach projects leaders in coordinating the Thanksgiving Food Drive, Christmas gift giving, Souper Bowl, etc.

**Hospitality-**Plan and organize the refreshments for school gatherings: Welcome Back to School Coffee (first week of school), Parent meetings, and other gatherings.

**Lunch Program-**Volunteers are needed to communicate with the Hot Lunch Vendors, distribute hot lunch to the students, and assist with supervising the students during the lunch period.

**New Families-**Volunteers are needed to stay in contact with new families and help them feel welcome, especially during their first year at St. Francis.

**Safety-**Assst with morning and/or afternoon pickup, to make sure parents drive safely, park appropriately and our children stay safe.

## BEHIND THE SCENES

**Publicity-**Help publicize all of our school events and accomplishments: auction, golf tournament, sports victories, fundraising success, etc.

**Computer Work:** -Help track parent volunteer hours.

**At Home Work-**Oftentimes we are in need of a parent to do some "at home" work.—stuffing envelopes, assembling packets of information, stapling, etc.