

ST. GENEVIEVE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL
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Dear Faculty and Staff,

I will be out today due to jury duty. I am sure I will see you tomorrow as I am sure they will not want me to serve.

Students who went to the 9:30 am Family Mass have free dress today. Thank you for Grade 8 for taking care of this Mass. It was nice to have the students come in free dress.

Tomorrow, students who returned the Title II form, will have free dress. Thank you for encouraging this to come in because the more who qualify, the more services we can have for our school and for you in workshops. I signed up everyone for a workshop to attend this year at the Hilton at Universal. They are all excellent workshops and I am sure you can bring something back to share with the faculty. At the faculty meetings, we will give you time to share, and you can do this with handouts or powerpoint presentations, but we need to share more so that we can grow as a Professional Learning Community. This is the new term they have out there for faculties.

We have a PTO Meeting Tuesday night. Students whose parents attend can have free dress on Wednesday.

We will be creating two baskets per classroom for the Silent Auction Room at the Fiesta. **DO NOT MAKE THIS A MANDATORY REQUIREMENT FOR THOSE IN THE GOLD PLAN.** Those who are in the Blue or Silver Plans, you can ask that they bring in items or money for service hours or fundraising. \$10.00 equals 1 service hour or \$10.00 of fundraising fee. A list will be made so that you know who NOT to ask to bring in items. Create a theme or two for your baskets. Thank you.

Remember to review items in language arts and math from the previous year so that students will do well on the ITBS. You might also want to do a timed practice test so they are comfortable with taking timed tests.

We are waiting for the ALEKS company to send us the necessary information so that Mr. Lopez will be able to set up each classroom. We will let you know when we can begin this program, hopefully soon.

Here are some important dates to remember this week:

September 15, Tuesday:	PTO General Meeting, 7:00 pm in Madonna Hall (We hope that new parents especially will attend)
September 21, Monday	Red Ribbon Week – Say No to Drugs
September 25, Friday	NO SCHOOL
September 28, Monday	ITBS Testing for Grades 2-8, all week

