

- **Holiday Winter Market**

Christie Pierce

Something new this year, we will have over 50 crafters set up in the gym, cafeteria, blue room and main hallway. We will need help with ticketing, parking help, concessions and set-up/tear down.

December 1st

- **Santa's Workshop**

Patti McClellan / **All Grades**

Students are given a chance to do their Christmas shopping during the week of Santa's Workshop. Gifts range from \$1 to \$5. Volunteers are needed to assist students when shopping and to wrap their gifts. Dec. 10,11,12.

- **Lenten Fish Fry**

Andy Harmer/ **All Grades** **Looking for a volunteer coordinator to help Andy**

Fish Fries are March 8th, 15th, 22nd, 29th April 5th and 12th from 4:00-7:00. This event is open to the entire community. Many volunteers will be needed to set up, serve, and clean up. Each class is assigned a particular date to provide volunteer staff. This is a great way to meet other families and socialize with friends.

- **Putt 4 Fun**

Randy Kaelin / **7th Grade**

This event will be held on Friday January 18th, from 5 – 9. This will be the same evening as the school's Open House. Many volunteers will be needed for setup, concession stand, operation, and cleanup.

- **Educational Improvement Tax Credit (EITC)/ All Grades**

Volunteer Needed and Cindy Haney

The EITC is Pennsylvania education tax credit aimed at corporations. This tax credit enables local corporations to designate up to 90% of their state tax dollars to provide tuition assistance for qualified students at St. Gregory School. Please contact Cindy Haney for more information.

- **Auction Night**

Charlene Peacock / **All Grades**

April 13th, 2019

This is one of our largest fund-raisers of the school year. All classrooms are assigned to help. We need several subcommittees. .

Subcommittees:

- **Donation Letters: chair person needed!**
- **Tickets/Marketing: chair person needed!**
- **Class Baskets/Pottery: chair person needed!**
- **Live Auction: chair person needed!**
- **Silent Auction: chair person needed!**
- **Entertainment: chair person needed!**
- **Decorations: chair person needed!**
- **Volunteers: chair person needed!**
- **Food: chair person needed!**

ST. GREGORY PTG 2018 – 2019



St. Gregory PTG Board

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The 2018/2019 meeting dates are **September 20, November 19, February 19 and April 10**. Please mark your calendar. PTG General Meetings begin at 7:00 p.m. and are held in the school library. All parents are strongly encouraged to attend!!

PTG Mission Statement: We, the parents of St. Gregory School, in partnership with the teachers, staff and students, are dedicated to providing a solid Catholic education to our children, encouraging a spirit of cooperation as we live our faith through service and volunteerism, and fostering a strong relationship between the Church, the home, the community and our school.

PTG Purpose:

The main goal of the PTG at St. Gregory is to raise funds through volunteer activities and community fundraisers to meet our Diocesan fund-raising obligation and help keep the cost of tuition as low as possible. The PTG also organizes student and adult social events, and has the opportunity at times to provide parent input on school policies.

Below is a list of the fundraisers and events planned by the PTG for the 2018-2019 school year. Please look through the list and decide how you can get involved and make this year successful. There is always a need for your talents, enthusiasm, and new ideas. For your convenience, contact names are listed by each event.

Events and Fund-Raisers:

- **Classroom Parent Coordinator: Veronica Beitch**

Each class will have a Classroom Parent. The Classroom Parent will be the primary communicator between the parents of their assigned class and the PTG, and will be responsible for working with their class parents to obtain volunteers and donations as requested.

- **SUPER BINGO**

Jan Zentner /All Grades / **Michael Anderson Bingo set up Coordinator**

We have the BEST BINGO IN THE 'BURGH! This is our biggest fundraiser and many volunteers are needed! SUPER BINGO takes place on Sundays – Sept 9, Oct 7, Dec 2, Feb. 10, Mar. 3 Apr 7 and May 5. Volunteers are needed for admissions, concessions, strip ticket sales, set up and clean up. This event is for adults and 7th-8th grade student volunteers as food servers.

- **Kindergarten Ice Cream Social / 1st Grade**

Katie Kovacic, Jessica Osterrieder, Lynn Mainolfi

The PTG board will welcome new families on Saturday August 25th. This event encourages school families to meet, socialize, and explore the many school and parish clubs and activities that are offered throughout the year.

- **Lottery Calendars**

Randy Kaelin/All Grades

The Lottery calendar will run through the month of January 2018. The winning number will be based on the evening PA Pick 3 daily number. Our goal is to sell 500 calendars for \$20 each, with each calendar having 2 numbers. We will need volunteers to sell the calendars after mass and at bingo. These Lottery calendars make great Christmas presents.

- **Back to School Anderson Candy Bars**

Randy Kaelin/All Grades

Each family will receive 1 case of candy bars to sell on their child's orientation day. Please send in a check payable to "St. Gregory PTG" by September 28th. Please mark "Candy Bars" in the check memo. (Please do not send cash.) Please mark child's name and grade on envelope when returning to make sure correct credited.

- **Breakfast with Santa**

Lara Gaydosz and Heather Jerry/7th & 8th Grades

This year we will serve pancake breakfast with Santa on December 16th. This is a great way to meet other families and socialize with friends. Many volunteers are needed for this fundraiser to be a success.

- **Mixed Bag**

Debi Allen/All Grades

Environmentally friendly tote bags, handbags, lunch bags and related items are sold through catalog order format, with a portion of each sale benefiting our school. Orders can also be placed on-line. This fundraiser Oct 15-25

- **Staff Appreciation Days**

Michelle O'Shea and ?????????????/All Grades

Several times throughout the school year, the committee works to provide surprises, treats and other items for the caring and hard-working teachers and staff. Please watch for a "Staff Appreciation" donation request in September.

- **7th Annual Great Pumpkin Race 5K Run**

Mark and Jen Harmanos /All Grades

Our 7th Annual Great Pumpkin Race 5K and 1 Mile Fun Run on Sunday Oct 28. We will have prizes for the best costumes and there will be an After Party in the gym. This is a fun community event that draws 300+ runners each year. Many volunteers will be needed to help with the race and party.

- **Yankee Candle**

Chanin Woods/All Grades

The brochure and order form will be sent home in the 1st family folder. We will aim for pickup to be during parent/teacher conferences. Please make checks payable to "St. Gregory PTG". Please mark "Yankee Candle" in the check memo. (Please do not send in cash.)

- **Candy (Rosalind or Sarris) for Christmas and Easter**

Carmie Signoriello and Kelly DeCaria /All Grades

The Christmas Candy brochures will be sent home in the November family folder and the Easter Candy brochure will be sent home in the March folder. Please make checks payable to "St. Gregory PTG". Please mark "Christmas Candy" or "Easter Candy" in the check memo. (Please do not send in cash.)

- **Shopping Days/Dine and Donate**

Lynn Mainolfi / All Grades

St. Gregory PTG will host a variety of Dine and Donate and Shopping Days throughout the year to benefit the school. Check your email and Family Folder for details!

- **Cold Turkey Shootout Basketball Tournament**

Jeff Ammerman **looking for someone to shadow, last year at school**

This is our annual basketball tournament to kick off the season. This year the tournament runs from TBD?????. Volunteers are needed for this event for admissions, half time, 50/50, clock, book, and to donate to or run the concession stand. This is a fun community event and is always well attended.