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Dear Families,

It was so nice to see so many families last Wednesday during **Parent/Teacher Conferences**. I enjoyed speaking to all of you. As you have heard me say many times, "They are wonderful children," and it is easy to see why!

We are excited to see **Mr. "Who-Could-That-Be?"** today, November 19th. Hopefully, this was a fun activity for your family. We are sure the creative juices were flowing this week to disguise Mr. Turkey so no one would recognize him. They will all be wonderful.

We are looking forward to see all grandparents on **Grandparent's Day!** It is wonderful to see so many grandparents planning to attend. The children will be going to Mass and showing them our school and our classroom. Thank you in advance to all who are able to join us for this special day.

Thank you to our Church Buddies who helped the children at the **Christmas Bazaar** last Friday afternoon. The 8th Grade children were absolutely wonderful, making sure their buddies were happy. It was a fun time. It was so interesting to see what the children wanted to buy with their money. It seems they made some very good decisions and many had their bags full. It was also very nice to see so many of the children thinking about buying Christmas presents for family members. They are a terrific group of children!

There will be no reading unit this week due to Thanksgiving vacation. On Monday morning, the children will present their **Hiding Mr. Turkey Project**. On Tuesday, we will be going to Mass and enjoying grandparents. These two days will definitely fly by!

In math, we will identify, extend, describe, and predict color patterns, as well as growing patterns. The children will be circling the pattern rule, the first group of colors that make up the pattern AB, AAB, ABB, or ABC. This chapter is fun and the entire class is doing a fantastic job!

Our kindergarten class will be participating in a Feinstein Project to help families in our area keep warm this winter season. We are collecting **mittens, hats, and socks to give to St. Vincent DePaul** so they can distribute them to families in need. Please bring

in your items before Friday, December 14th. We would like to take a class picture with our collection to send to the Feinstein Newsletter. Thank you in advance for your donation.

The Saint Cecilia School Food Drive continues through this Tuesday, November 20th. This is the last week to send in items! We have heard many of you have no food left in your pantries! **Thank you so much for your generosity! As of this past Friday, kindergarten has collected 101 items.** We are very proud of the entire class for being so generous during the past week. **Go Kindergarten!!**

Just a reminder: **Lunch Menu Forms need to be returned no later than November 26th** in order to receive Hot Lunch for the month of December.

Uncle Tony's Restaurant Fundraiser is on Tuesday, November 27th from 11:30am – 10:00pm. Uncle Tony's will donate 20% of all sales to our school. You must present the flyer to your server or cashier when paying, either dining in or taking out. Help us by participating in this fundraiser at Uncle Tony's Pizza and Pasta, 260 Newport Avenue, Rumford, RI. Thank you for your support!

We want to remind everyone there is **no school on Wednesday, November 23rd**, due to a Teacher Professional Day.

To all the kindergarten children and families, thank you for all you do for our class. We are so blessed to have such a terrific group of children and parents. Have a wonderful Thanksgiving holiday!

Thank you,

Mrs. Lucier and Mrs. Ferreira

