

St. Stanislaus Kostka School

"They'll Know We Are Christians By Our Love."

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Dear Parents,

You wouldn't know it by the weather outside, but today begins the beautiful month of May, Our Blessed Mother's Month. Hopefully, the weather will clear and get warmer so that we can bring flowers from our gardens to place in front of our May altars in each classroom to honor Mary.

This Saturday, our second graders will receive their First Holy Communion. They are so very excited and are looking forward to being able to join the rest of our students in receiving the Eucharist at all our school Masses. Please join us in offering extra prayers for them this week.

On Sunday, we will hold our May Crowning at the 9:00 Mass. Please join us if possible.

Next Sunday, May 11th, we will be honoring our Mother of the Year, Kim Carlson, at the 9:00AM Mass followed by a breakfast in her honor. We hope you will be able to celebrate with us.

We are happy to announce that Maura Corman received 3rd place in the Shade Tree Commission Essay contest. Congratulations to Maura!

We offer our deepest sympathy to Mrs. Teresa Capotosto on the loss of her father. His funeral Mass will be celebrated tomorrow morning at 11:00AM here at St. Stan's Church.

The Terra Nova Home Reports will be going home today and the faculty and I are very pleased with how well our school did on this revised test. I will be giving more statistics to you regarding the tests in my next newsletter after I have a chance to study the school reports in more detail. However, the initial report shows that most St. Stan's students across the board improved in Language Arts, Reading and especially Math this year. We attribute this growth to the improvement in our curriculum and most especially to the expertise of our teachers and the dedication they give to their teaching ministry!

Congratulations to all!

Let us hope that we can soon enjoy warmer and sunnier weather.

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