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Dear Parents and Guardians,

"Zacchaeus stood there and said to the Lord, 'Behold, half of my possessions, Lord, I shall give to the poor, and if I have extorted anything from anyone I shall repay it four times over.'" (Luke 19:1-10)

"Our Lord so changed Zacchaeus' heart that, whatever had been before, he was then suddenly turned good," St. Thomas More wrote. "It is good always to be doing some good thing right now, while we are thinking about it. When we do this, grace more solidly takes hold in us, and it also increases, so that we can go on to do some other good thing."

Praise His name forever,
Ms. Danielle Gonzalez

Cookie Dough and More!

This optional fundraiser was sent home with the children last week. The orders and payment are due Monday, November 14th. All items will be delivered in time for Christmas! The money raised will be used to help pay for the new Reading Program - Accelerated Reader through Renaissance Learning. Teachers will tell parents more about the program and your child's reading progress at the first Parent-Teacher Conferences in December. Thank you for your support!

A Look at the Week:

Monday, October 31st - \$1.00 Dress Down Day. Wear orange, purple or black.

Tuesday, November 1st - 8:30am Mass, All Saint Day. All are welcome!

Wednesday, November 2nd - Banking Day. The classroom with the most new saving accounts with Credit Union (minimum of 10 accounts) before December 16th will win a Pizza Party. Call the People's Alliance Federal Credit Union at 718-643-4506 or 718-797-2988. Website: www.pafcu.org

Friday, November 4th

- 11:45am Dismissal (Grades K-8)
- 12:30pm Teacher Meeting
- 2:20pm UPK regular dismissal

Saturday, November 5th

- Indoor Winter basketball begins.
- TACHS Test for 8th graders applying to Catholic High Schools

Next week:

Sunday, November 6th - Daylight Saving Time Ends

Tuesday, November 8th - Election Day. School is open.

Wednesday, November 9th - Grade 1 trip to Green Meadow Farm

Friday, November 11th - Veteran's Day. No School for all students.