



Ram Gram

November 17, 2011

7th and 8th GRADE DANCE

Good Shepherd will host the 7th and 8th grade feeder dance on Friday, December 2nd from 7:00-9:00. The dance will be held in the Parish Hall. There is a **NEED** for parents to help chaperone or work the concession stand. Are there some parents who could help set the tables back up? Please contact Mrs. VanHoosier at 476-4477.

ROBOTICS TEAM

The 8th grade robotics team of Marcus Gahagen, Zackary Hayes, Michael Scholz, and John Paul Thomas, competed in the Ivy Tech Robotics Science Fair competition on Saturday, November 11. The Good Shepherd Catholic School team competed against 12 middle school and high school teams and won 2nd place in the "novice" category. The boys will each receive a \$20 gift card. The team enjoyed learning to program a LEGO Mindstorms robot and showing off the completion of their robot that can do complex football moves. Way to go!

Team Coach, Mrs. Vallee Gries

"PEAS" COLLECTION

Thank you for your generous contributions to the poor of our community. Over 400 cans of PEAS were collected for the Evansville Rescue Mission.

NEW – Application DUE DECEMBER 15, 2011

CATHOLIC EDUCATION FOUNDATION

The Catholic Education Foundation (CEF) **applications are now available in the school and parish offices** for students attending Memorial or Mater Dei High Schools. The complete application is due by December 15, 2011 and should be taken to the high school office. This application will state estimated financial information. Completed 2011 Federal Tax Returns must be submitted by March 15, 2012. You may contact the Catholic Education Foundation at 402-6700 ext.302.

ADVENT

Prayer Service

November 28

*Lighting the Advent Wreath
and Jesse Tree*

*Come join us in prayer on each of the
Mondays of Advent. The Prayer Service
will be held in the church.*

FOOD DRIVE

**Our annual Food Drive to help the
St. Vincent DePaul Food Pantry will be
December 5-9
Monetary donations are gladly accepted.**

CHRISTMAS PROGRAM

*"A Christmas Carol: Scrooge in
Bethlehem"*

Thursday, December 8

1:00 and 6:30

Parish Hall

WINTER UNIFORM

Winter uniform takes effects on Thursday, December 1. Uniforms are available in the uniform tubs at the school office.

*PLAN AHEAD - Parents of 5th Graders
A physical and updated immunizations are
required for entering the 6th grade. Plan
your appointment after January 1, 2012.
Physicals are considered valid after this
date. Please help our volunteer staff by
meeting the requirements **before** the start
of the 2012-2013 school year.*

HAPPY THANKSGIVING

"All Are Welcome"