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Dear Parents,

We are still selling the *Around Town Coupon Book* for \$25.00. The school makes \$12.50 for each book sold. Please help us in selling these books. If you would like some books to sell, please call the school office, and we will send them home with your child. I do appreciate your help in selling these books. We are still continuing to raise money to pay for the Dauphin Island field trip. There are a lot of good coupons in these books this year.

Please mark your calendar for March 24. We will release the students at 1:00 p.m. that day for a faculty in-service. We will charge after-care if the the children are not picked up at 1:00. Spring Break is the week of March 27-31.

Please send in your registration forms and any scholarship forms this week. I have to have them in to prepare for next school year.

As you know, Ms. Parker has been accepted into the Dominican Sisters of Mary, Mother of the Eucharist. She will be leaving this August to become a Sister. Before this happens, however, she must pay off her student loans. She has to be debt free to enter the convent. Ms. Parker is a product of Catholic Education. She attended St. James from kindergarten through eighth grade and then went onto St. Bernard Preparatory School in Cullman. She attended Spring Hill College, Alabama's only Catholic college. Through her work at St. James, seeing Christ in her students, and learning from the Sister Servants, she has made the decision that her true vocation is to become a nun. Ms. Parker owes \$34,794.00 on two different student loans. To help her on her journey, we will have a few out-of-uniform fundraising days. The first one will be this Friday. So for \$1.00 (or more) everybody may be out-of-uniform. The next time will be next Friday, March 17. Please support Ms. Parker on her journey to becoming a Dominican Sister.

God Bless,

Michele Adams



Mission Statement:

Saint James Catholic School proclaims the faith of Jesus and promotes social, educational, and spiritual excellence.