



Dear Parents:

Welcome to the start of a new year and of course, a continuation of our school's fundraising efforts. We have discovered another way to raise money for our school that **will not cost you a penny**. It's called the Stop & Shop A+ Bonus Bucks program. All you need to do is register your Stop & Shop card at www.stopandshop.com/aplus or dial 1-877-275-2758 to register your card over the phone. **We are listed as THE ACADEMY OF ST. THERESE and our ID# is 08728.**

After you register your card just shop as you normally do (with your grocery gift cards or without) and each shopping trip at Stop&Shop using your Stop&Shop Card earns CASH for our school! Throughout the store you will also see items on the shelves that will earn bonus points when purchased so keep your eyes open for them. The amount of CASH awarded to our school will be updated on the Stop&Shop website. You can track the amount of points you earn for our school by checking your grocery receipt and online when you create an account at stopandshop.com. Our school will receive a check at the end of the program and the money we earn can be used for any of our school's educational needs.

Unfortunately we got started late this year, this program ends on March 25, 2010, but it will begin again in October. PLEASE MAKE IT A PRIORITY TO REGISTER YOUR CARD AS SOON AS POSSIBLE SINCE THERE IS NOT MUCH TIME LEFT IN THE PROGRAM. **In fact, if you register before Jan. 30th, we will get credit for ALL of the purchases you made throughout January**, so take a minute and do it now, before you forget. If you shop using the PEAPOD at home delivery service you can register your card on the Peapod website and earn points for us as well. **Using your card WITHOUT registering it in the program will not benefit our school.** Please be sure to register your card to benefit **The Academy of St. Therese** using ID# **08728**

Please invite your family and friends who shop at Stop & Shop to register their cards as well, don't forget to give them our ID#.

Please Note: This program is separate from the mandatory grocery certificate/gift card program and does not reduce your financial responsibility to that program.

If you have any questions, please call Patti Frattini @ (201) 387-6997 or send an email to patti1504@optonline.net.