

THURSDAY THOUGHTS

OCTOBER 26, 2023

All Saints Day

Wednesday, November 1st, our fourth graders welcome all families to join us for Mass and a Saint meet and greet. Mass begins at 9:00am and the meet and greet will immediately follow.

Thank you Leta Rugotzke for helping get students back and forth for our Hearing Screening and thank you Nicole Erickson & Kari Johnson for helping get students back and forth for picture retakes.



Veteran's Day

In celebration of Veterans Day, we would like the children to honor specific people in their lives who served in the military. Veterans Day Stars are due by November 1st. Please help us honor the veterans in your life. We will be having a Veterans Day Mass at 9:00am on Friday, November 10th.

Halloween

We will be celebrating Halloween on Tuesday, October 31st. When putting your child's costume together, please keep in mind that they must be non-violent, no gore, no weapons and cover skin appropriately.

Students may come to school *in Halloween themed shirts and socks with uniform bottoms* and will change into their costumes in the afternoon for the classroom party. Please label their costumes and send to school in a paper/plastic bag. They may wear their costumes the remainder of the day, but bussers will need to change before getting onto the bus, as costumes are not allowed on the bus.

*Detailed information regarding the parade is included on the next page.

Thanksgiving Feast

Mark your calendars for Tuesday, November 21st for our Thanksgiving Feast. Order forms will be coming home next week in your Family Folders.



St. Mary's Advent Program

Mark your calendars for our Advent Program on Friday, December 15th at 2pm. More details coming in the upcoming weeks!



Veterans Day Dress

On November 10th students are invited to dress in patriotic colors with uniform bottoms.

HALLOWEEN

Parade

*Our Annual Halloween Parade will Take Place on October 31st
3:00-3:15 pm*

Dismissal will immediately follow

- We ask that you only drive one vehicle per household.
- Please pull diagonally into the parking spots in front of the school as well as the parking spots across the street; please do not back in.
- We will also be utilizing all of the space in the church parking lot. When parking in the church lot, please pull in facing the curb. The only exception to this pertains to the parking spaces in the middle of the church lot. If you park in one of those, please park so you are facing out. This will allow you to be able to see the children as they parade through the lot.
- Children will parade as a class

Dismissal Process (10/31/23)

We ask that everyone be patient as dismissal will look a little different after the parade.

- Please remain by your vehicle during the parade *and* dismissal.
- After the final class has paraded, the students will come out one grade at a time following the same parade route and walk to your car.
- If you can't make it to the parade, please arrive at your regularly scheduled dismissal time.



IMPORTANT DATES

Upcoming Mass Schedule

Wednesday, November 1st (All Saints Day Mass) - 4th Grade

Friday, November 3rd - 2nd Grade

Friday, November 10th (Veterans Day Mass) - 5th Grade

Friday, November 17th - 4th Grade

Tuesday, November 21st - Thanksgiving Mass

**Mass begins at 9:00 a.m. All are welcome to attend!*

MARK YOUR CALENDAR

10/27	No School - Diocesan Regionals
10/31	Halloween Parties/Parade
11/3	End of 1st Quarter
11/5	Daylight Savings (turn clocks back)
11/10	Boxcar Children Field Trip (3-5th Grade)
11/14	Casual for Christ
11/21	Thanksgiving Feast



4K Students at Play



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