

Principal's Post
December 4, 2023

Dear Lourdes Families,

The busy time is upon us and Advent has hardly begun! We will be working very hard the next 13 school days to keep the routine as normal as possible so we can have productive learning.

K-8 Christmas Program details

A note from Mrs. Freemyer: We are so excited for the K-8 Christmas program tomorrow, Tuesday, December 5th at 1:30pm and 6:00pm! The students had their first dress rehearsal last week, and I couldn't be more proud of their hard work. Below are some logistics for the performances tomorrow! During the school day the students will be in regular school uniform. For the evening performance attire, please have your students wear their Sunday best! Please plan to arrive at school between 5:30 and 5:45, and use the PAC doors to enter the building. All other doors will be locked. While the PAC doors will open at 5:30, Classrooms will open at 5:45 for students to be dropped off. Please be mindful of our teachers and the extra time they are giving out of their schedules for the performance Tuesday night. Please feel free to contact me with any further questions! It's going to be amazing!

Drop-off Procedures

I need your help with the morning drop-off routine.

1. When your car is waiting in line, please have your child put their backpack on their back and get ready to jump out of the car when it is your turn.
2. There should only be 1 line of traffic. Do not pull out and around this line of traffic.

Here is a note to explain more details for drop-off [procedures](#)

Volunteer Opportunities and Sign-ups

- ★ Middle School Service Learning Opportunities [sign-up](#)
- ★ St. Nick Workshop Volunteers [sign-up](#)
- ★ December Library Volunteer [sign-up](#)

Knights of Columbus Blood Drive

Parish and School Blood Drive on Tuesday, Dec 12 from 4 to 7:30 pm in the gym. If we get at least 20 donors the school is eligible for a grant. The grant is \$250 plus \$1 for every unit donation. The direct link to the drive where people can sign up is:

https://login.bloodcenter.org/donor/schedules/drive_schedule/120652

November Fruit of the Spirit: Peace

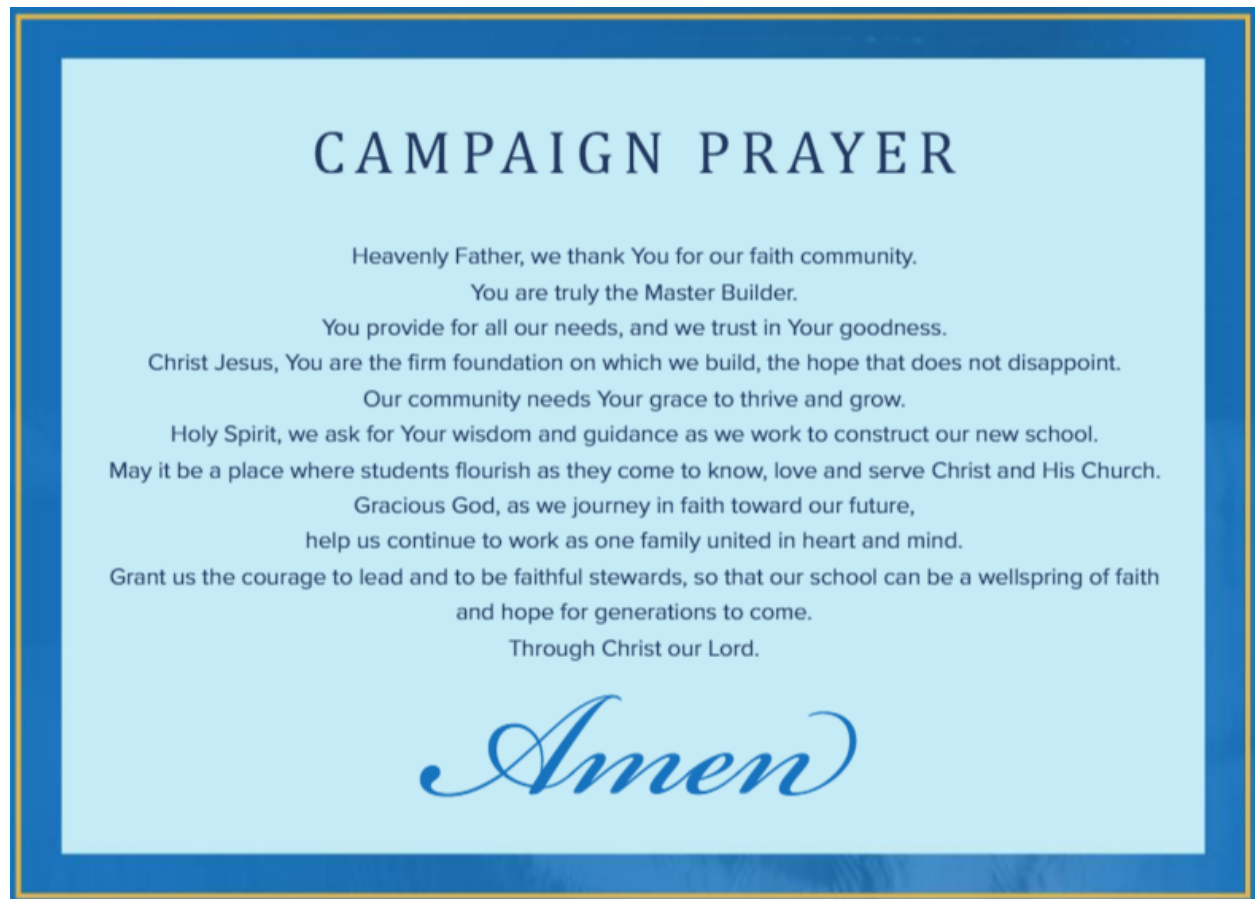
Congratulations to the students and teachers nominated for showing PEACE during November: Tristan H, Natalie K, Nina S, Eloise B, Maya C, Brooke A, Eden B, Madalyn M, Blake N, Caden D, Genevieve H, Colleen G, Kade G, Colin C, Grace C, Sophia G, Dalton B, John C, Isla N, Grace M, James P, Xavier R, Macy C, Izzy H, Cooper J, Holly T, Lucy E, Leo G, Taylor C, Casey A, Joseph C, Norah T, Otto K, Adam S, Andi L, Mrs. Glick, Ms. Richards

St. Nick's Workshop

This week is St. Nick's Workshop! Here is information about [St. Nick's Workshop](#).

Campaign Update

Thank you for your prayers, participation and pledges! I am happy to report we have met our celebration goal of \$15 million! We need more, but we have great momentum! Please keep praying!



Scrip

Thank you for supporting Scrip! We are closing in on our goal which would mean an extra special N.U.T. Day in the near future. Please continue to [BUY SCRIP!](#)

Thank you for continuing to support Catholic education.

Sincerely,
Mrs. Selden

Schedule for the week



Monday, December 4

8:00 Teacher Mtg.
2:30 Tour for '24-'25 preschool (Mrs. Selden)
2:30 K-8 Christmas Program Rehearsal
3:20-4 Student Council Mtg. (Mrs. Holmes, Mrs. Camarena)
3:30-5 Robotics
3:30-4 M/S Team Mtg.
5:30-7 8th grade volleyball practice

Tuesday, December 5

Christmas Program set-up will begin at 11:15

No KA, KB, 5B PE class today

8-8:20 Rosary Club
9-11 Mom's Morning at SJV
9-12-30. New Administrator's Zoom mtg (Mrs. Selden)
9:45-11:15 Reconciliation, grades 3-8 (see [schedule](#))
11:45 IEP Mtg. (Mrs. Meisenbach, Mrs. Robinson, Mrs. Selden)
1:30 Christmas Program, K-8
4:00 St. Joan of Arc Core Planning Team Mtg. @SJV (Mrs. Selden, Mrs. Lawrence)
5:30 Teachers arrive for the K-8 Christmas Program
5:45 K-8 Students arrive through PAC doors to classrooms to line-up for Christmas Program
6:00 K-8 Christmas Program

Wednesday, December 6

No All School Mass today (Friday instead this week)

8:05 Teacher Prayer
8:30 Tour for '24-'25 Preschool (Mrs. Selden)
9:00 St. Joan of Arc Design Mtg. (Mrs. Selden, Mrs. Lawrence, designer)

No All School Mass today

2:30 Early Release
2:30 Parent Mtg (Mrs. Little, Mrs. Selden)
2:40-3:45 AEA Professional Development (K-8 Teachers)
5:30 First Reconciliation for 2nd graders (Mrs. Selden, Mrs. Behnke, Mrs. Hayes)

Thursday, December 7

7-11am Mutual of America will be at school for individual 401k meetings. Open for additional appointments and zoom meeting December 7th – 12:00 – 4:00
8-8:20 Rosary Club
9-12:30 Assumption Musical (grades 1, 2)
Bus pickup will be at 8:50am
1:00 Mrs. Selden departs for college visit with daughters
3:30-5 Robotics
5:30-7 8th grade volleyball practice

Friday, December 8

*****Fr. Ben's birthday is tomorrow***

Mrs. Selden out of the building today (college visit with daughters)
9:00 All School Mass
3:30-5 BOTH Red and Blue Robotics Teams Meet
5-6:30 Red and Blue Robotics Teams will hold the Parent Showcase
4-5:30 8th grade volleyball practice