

The Sentinel

February 28, 2018

Principal's Message

This week I want to share with you a revision to our official school calendar. The final day of the 3rd Quarter will be Friday, April 13th rather than Thursday, March 29th. This is a change from the originally published calendar and is consistent with the diocesan timeline. For this reason, we will postpone the date for 3rd Quarter Interims from March 2nd to March 9th.

The funeral for Dr. John Kelly, a long-time member of our parish, will take place on Friday at 11:30 a.m. in our church. Following the interment, an afternoon reception for the family and members of the community will take place in the Parish Activity Center. Those in attendance will be asked to park on the Brinkley side of the church lot in consideration of our dismissal procedures. Nevertheless, please anticipate that there may be additional traffic on our site as well as visitors arriving and departing from the Parish Activity Center around the time of our dismissal. In advance, thank you for your gracious welcome to the many who will be attending this large event.

Virtues in Practice - March

Virtue of the Month: Temperance

Definition: Enjoying things in a proper, balanced way.

Saints: St. Teresa of Avila (Gr. PK-2), St. Camillus de Lellis (Gr. 3-5), Ven. Matt Talbot (Gr. 6-8)

Operation Helping Hands

Please join us on **Tuesday, March 6th** after morning drop-off as we gather in the PAC to support our Race for Education committee in preparing materials and mailers. This is a wonderful opportunity to earn additional shares. Join us for the whole time or just for an hour or two—we appreciate you being there and however much time you're willing to share. Younger children are welcome, but we ask that you do not bring crayons or markers.

Visit <https://www.helpcounterweb.com/ci/signup/140ea4771ed> to sign-up!

Shoparoo Fundraising App

The Shoparoo Fundraising App is a fantastic and very simple way to help earn free money for All Saints! For the upcoming months of March and April you will have the opportunity to win a special ice cream treat for your child/children! March, will be a random drawing of the top 24 participating Shoparoo users. April, the winner will be the parent with the highest point total. If you have any questions regarding this App please contact Danielle O'Neill at DLaCrosse1217@aol.com. Thank you for your continued support of the Shoparoo Fundraising App and All Saints!

IMPORTANT REMINDERS

Diocesan Teacher Job Fair (March 10th)

The Diocese of Arlington will host a Teacher Job Fair on Saturday, March 10th from 9:00 – 11:00 a.m. at Paul VI High School for those interested in learning more about the ministry of Catholic education. For more details about the event, as well as information related to the application process, visit arlingtondiocese.org.

Professional Development Day ~ No School on Monday, March 12th

On Monday, March 12th our teachers will participate in a diocesan-wide day of professional development. For this reason, there will be no classes or Extended Day Program that day.

Open House for 2018-2019 School Year – March 8th (7:00 p.m.)

Due to the recent high demand, All Saints will host another evening Open House on Thursday, March 8th beginning at 7:00 p.m. in the Art Room. All parishioners and members of the community interested in learning more about our school are cordially invited to attend. Following a presentation by the principal and director of pre-kindergarten, tours of the facility will be provided. For more information, please contact Mrs. Joyce D'Eugenio, administrative assistant, at [\(703\) 393-1490](tel:7033931490).

Tuition Assistance Applications for 2018-2019

For information about the diocesan tuition assistance program and the application process, please click on the following link: [Diocesan Tuition Assistance Program 2018-2019](#)

The deadline for submission of applications and supporting documentation for elementary school families is March 16, 2018.

Upcoming Events

Thursday, March 1st

- Stations of the Cross, Grades 3-5 (2:15 p.m.)
- Faculty Meeting (3:30 p.m.)

Friday, March 2nd

- School Mass (8:30 a.m.)

Saturday, March 3rd

- 2nd Grade Jesus Day

Monday, March 5th

- SCA Sponsored “Pennies for Love” Collection Begins
- Lenten Penance Service & Confessions, Grades 3-5 (10:00 a.m.)

Tuesday, March 6th

- 8th Grade Diocesan Vocations Mass (Holy Spirit Church)
- PTO Helping Hands (PAC)

Wednesday, March 7th

- Stations of the Cross, Grades 6-8 (2:15 p.m.)
- Little Medical School, 3rd Grade

Thursday, March 8th

- Gift of Human Sexuality – Middle School Presentation III
- Open House (Art Room/7:00 p.m.)
- Enrollment Management Team Meeting – To Be Rescheduled

Friday, March 9th

- School Mass (8:30 a.m.)
- 3rd Quarter Interims

Saturday, March 10th

- Diocesan Teacher Job Fair (Paul VI High School/9:00-11:00 a.m.)

Monday, March 12th

- Holiday – Diocesan Professional Development Day

Tuesday, March 13th

- PTO Executive Board Meeting (7:00 p.m.)

Wednesday, March 14th

- SCA Sponsored St. Patrick's Dress Down Day
- Little Medical School, 3rd Grade

Thursday, March 15th

- Stations of the Cross, Grades K-8 (2:15 p.m.)
- Paul VI High School – Information Meeting for Parents (FKH/7:00 p.m.)

Friday, March 16th

- School Mass (8:30 a.m.)
- **FACTS Tuition Assistance Application Deadline**
- Spirit Event: Captain Pell's (2:00-10:00 p.m.)

Newsletter Links

- [Bishop Ireton's Spring Drama Production-The Addams Family](#)
- [HelpCounter Volunteer Log-In](#) (Sign-Up for Upcoming Stewardship Opportunities including Running with the Saints 5K)
- [5K Running with the Saints 2018-Flier and Registration](#)
- [Uniform Closet Request Form](#)
- [UNIFORM CLOSET GUIDELINE-Updated Jan. 2018](#)
- [DIOCESAN TUITION ASSISTANCE PROGRAM 2018-2019](#) - Program Information
- [FACTS Financial Aid Application Link](#)
- [PILGRIM VIRGIN STATUE - Sign-Up](#)