The Sentinel

November 7, 2018

Principal's Message

Thank you to those parents and community members who have already contributed to the success of our 2018-2019 Annual Fund! I am pleased to announce that we have received \$4,645.00 in donations and have reached 31% of our goal.

Remember that all proceeds from this year's campaign will focus on expanding innovations in learning through our robotics program and the purchase of new ACTIV Board technology for the classrooms.

Parents are invited to support the initiative by completing the Annual Fund form and submitting contributions to the office or by making an online donation through our website at: 2018-19 Annual Fund

In advance, thank you for generously supporting the mission of All Saints!

Special Parking Request for Friday, November 9th

As the parish will be hosting a large funeral on Friday morning, parents planning to attend the school Mass and Veterans' Day Ceremony are asked to park in the front lot nearest the Parish Activities Center.

Virtues in Practice - November

Virtue of the Month: Courtesy

Definition: Being thoughtful of others.

Saints: St. Martin de Porres (Pre-K -2); Ven. Solanus Casey (Gr. 3-5); Ven Pierre

Toussaint (Gr. 6-8)

Important Reminders

Veterans Day Celebration (Friday, November 9th)

Join us as our school community honors the commitment of the men and women who have served our country in the United States Armed Forces. We cordially invite all active duty, reserve, former and retired military personnel to attend our school Mass on Friday, November 9th at 8:30 a.m. Following the Mass, there will be a ceremony in the

Parish Activities Center and a reception for our honored guests in Father Kelley Hall.

Open House for 2019-2020 School Year (Wednesday, November 14th)

All Saints Catholic School will host an *Open House* for prospective parents on Wednesday, November 14th beginning at 9:00 a.m. in the Parish Activities Center. All parishioners and members of the community interested in learning more about our school are cordially invited to attend. Following a presentation and introduction at 9:00 a.m., tours of the facility will be provided. For more information, please contact Mrs. Joyce D'Eugenio, administrative assistant, at (703) 393-1490.

<u>Diocesan Prospective Teacher Information Meeting (Thursday, November15th)</u>

Are you interested in teaching for the Catholic Schools in the Diocese of Arlington? There are 44 schools within the Diocese offering instructional programs for all ages from pre-school through high school. Perhaps your certification has expired, or perhaps you are thinking of changing careers or returning to teaching after a period of absence. Do you have questions about qualifications to teach? Would you like to learn more about the mission of teaching in a Catholic School in a nurturing and caring, Christ-centered environment? Plan to attend the Information Program for Prospective Teachers on Thursday, November 15th from 1:00-3:00 p.m. in Father Kelley Hall.

Thanksgiving Luncheon (Monday, November 19th)

On Monday, November 19th we will host our annual Thanksgiving Luncheon. All parents are cordially invited to attend this special event with their child(ren). Again this year, we are linking this celebration to an outreach effort to benefit the St. Lucy Project, a large warehouse in Manassas where staff and volunteers process and distribute donations to numerous food pantries in our region. This initiative is in support of *Catholic Schools Care about Catholic Charities Week* which will take place the week of December 2nd. Again this year, donations may be included with your Thanksgiving Luncheon payment. Please see the order form from the cafeteria for more details. In advance, thank you for your generous support of this annual outreach that benefits the fine work of Catholic Charities in our local community.

PVI Middle School Night Under the Lights

Middle School Night Under the Lights is now Friday, November 9th at 6:00PM. It will be in the same format. This will be a WCAC Playoff game against DOJ. Tickets have been purchased for our 6th, 7th and 8th grade guests. It will be an exciting night at PVI.

Upcoming Events

Wednesday, November 7th

• Coffee with the Principal – SWOT Analysis (PAC/7:00 p.m.)

Thursday, November 8th

• Gift of Human Sexuality (Grades 6-8) - Presentation I

Friday, November 9th

Veterans' Day Mass & Ceremony (8:30 a.m.)

Sunday, November 11th

• Discover Catholic Schools Week

Monday, November 12th

- Parent-Teacher Conference Day (No Classes or Extended Day)
- Book Fair Opens
- Spirit Event: Chuck E. Cheese (3:00-9:00 p.m.)

Tuesday, November 13th

- Noon Dismissal Parent-Teacher Conferences
- Advanced Band Practice (11:30 a.m. 12:15 p.m.)
- Book Fair Family Night (4:00-7:00 p.m.)

Wednesday, November 14th

Open House (PAC/9:00 a.m.)

Thursday, November 15th

- Gift of Human Sexuality (Grades 6-8) Presentation II
- Diocesan Prospective Teachers Meeting (FKH/1:00 p.m.)
- Enrollment Management Team Meeting (PLC/7:00 p.m.)

Friday, November 16th

• School Mass – St. Margaret of Scotland & St. Gertrude (8:30 a.m.)

Monday, November 19th

• 2nd Grade Thanksgiving Presentation (PAC/9:30 a.m.)

Thanksgiving Luncheon

Tuesday, November 20th

- Thanksgiving Prayer Service
- Noon Dismissal

Wednesday, November 21st

• Thanksgiving Holiday Begins

Newsletter Links

- Today: Chipotle Spirit Event Present flyer & All Saints will receive 33% proceeds: Chipotle Flyer
- Passport to Reading Book Fair 2018
- 2018-19 Annual Fund
- Diocesan Prospective Teacher Information Meeting
- THANKGIVING LUNCHEON 2018
- Bishop Irenton Theatre Production Radium Girls
- JP 5K Fun Run/Walk for Options Sign-Up
- HelpCounter Sign-Up
- Pilgrim Virgin Statue Program Sign Up