



All Saints Catholic School

My spirit rejoices in God my Savior.

The Sentinel Newsletter

March 8, 2023

Principal's Message

This week I would like to provide an update regarding changes in staffing for the 2023-2024 academic year.

As you already aware, Mrs. Brink (5th Grade) has been on leave since the birth of her first child in January. Although she will be returning to the classroom later this month to complete the academic year, she has decided that she will not be continuing in this role next year. Additionally, Mrs. Breckley (4th Grade), Mrs. Worley (Kindergarten), and Mrs. Harrigan (Resource) have decided that they will not be returning in the fall so that they might pursue other opportunities. During their time in our program, each of these teachers has shown tremendous care for their students and commitment to our mission. We thank each of them for their service to our school community and wish them every continued success and blessing.

After twelve years in our program, Mrs. Honkus has also decided to resign from her position at the close of the year in order to pursue other opportunities. We thank her for her many years of service, both as a 5th grade teacher and more recently as a middle school literature teacher. In this position, she has also served as an 8th grade homeroom teacher and has shown great leadership in guiding students and parents through the high school application process. In all her roles, she has demonstrated a high level of professionalism and has been a wonderful role model for our students.

The recruitment and hiring process for the 2023-2024 academic year is already well underway. In support of this effort, if you are aware of any friends or colleagues who might be interested in learning more about teaching opportunities at All Saints, please encourage them to contact me for further information. I would be delighted to speak with them about the experience of teaching in a Catholic school as well as the particular mission of All Saints.

I am pleased to share with you that Mrs. Arielle Morgan is joining our program this week as a highly qualified volunteer. With a graduate degree in education and six years working in the public school

system as a special education teacher, she brings a great deal of professional experience to her volunteer role. As she begins her time at All Saints, she will be spending four hours per week providing individual or small group instruction to students in Mrs. Federmeier and Mrs. Sgro's classrooms. Welcome, Mrs. Morgan!

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Important Reminders

Professional Development Day (No School) - Friday, March 10

On Friday, March 10, our faculty will participate in a diocesan-wide day of professional development. For this reason, there will be no classes or Extended Day Program that day.

Tuition Assistance Application Deadline - March 15

Parents interested in applying for tuition assistance are reminded that the deadline for submitting all forms through FACTS is Wednesday, March 15. Please see the link below for more information.

[TUITION ASSISTANCE OVERVIEW](#)

Due Dates:

Elementary/Middle School Students
Year of Tax Forms Required

March 15, 2023
2022

High School Students

- * Bishop Ireton High School
- * Bishop Denis J. O'Connell High School
- * St. Paul VI Catholic High School
- * Saint John Paul the Great Catholic High School

January 6, 2023
January 7, 2023
January 6, 2023
January 18, 2023

Year of Tax Forms Required if submitted by due date
Year of Tax Forms Required if submitted AFTER due date

2021
2022

Should you have any questions about the application process or tuition assistance program, please do not hesitate to contact Mrs. Diana Neri, Office Bookkeeper, at 703-368-4400 or vneri@allsaintsva.org.

Diocesan Teacher Job Fair – March 18

Each spring the Diocese of Arlington hosts a *Teacher Job Fair* for those interested in learning more about the ministry of Catholic education. This year the event will take place at St. John Paul the Great Catholic High School from 9:00-11:00 a.m. on March 18. For more information about the event, please see the link below.

DIOCESAN JOB FAIR

Employment Opportunities

Spanish Teacher for Grades 1 & 2 – Immediate Opening.

The schedule for the week is as follows: Monday (11:52 a.m. – 12:36 p.m.), Tuesday (2:12 – 2:52 p.m.), and Thursday (1:25 – 2:52 p.m.). This position is a wonderful opportunity for individuals who may be considering a career in education.

For more information about this position or to apply, please contact the principal at dconroy@allsaintsva.org.

Running with the Saints 5K

Race registration and sponsorship is now open for All Saints Catholic School's annual ***Running with the Saints 5K***. This year's event will be held on Saturday, April 1 at 8:00AM. Runners and walkers of all ability levels are welcome!

Starting at All Saints Catholic School, our race course winds through nearby Manassas neighborhoods. The event features RaceWire timing for race enthusiasts, musical entertainment, and a family-friendly atmosphere.

Saturday, April 1, 2023 at 8:00 AM

All Saints Catholic School
9294 Stonewall Rd — Manassas

Race Pricing:

Adults: \$30 / Children: \$20

Link to Race Registration:

<https://racewire.com/register.php?id=13396>

Sponsorship Opportunities

The ***Running with the Saints 5K*** provides an excellent opportunity to promote your business while supporting All Saints' students and teachers. By becoming a Race Sponsor, you can advertise your goods and services to race participants and the All Saints community, a parish of over 7,100 local families.

See below for details on sponsorship packages and learn how your business can support this fun, family-friendly community event!

Sponsorship levels available for all budgets!

Link to Online Sponsorship Information/Form:

<https://forms.parishgiving.org/form-6355335/>

Upcoming Events

Wednesday, March 8

Virginia Statewide Tornado Drill (9:45 a.m.)

Adoration & Benediction (2:15 p.m.)

Thursday, March 9

School Mass – St. Frances of Rome (8:30 a.m.)

Stations of the Cross – Grades 3-5 (2:15 p.m.)

End of Trimester II

Friday, March 10

No School (Professional Development Day)

Monday, March 13

Lenten Confessions – Grades 6-8 (10:00 a.m.)

Tuesday, March 14

Seniors' Luncheon

Wednesday, March 15

Stations of the Cross – Grades 6-8 (2:15 p.m.)

Deadline: FACTS Tuition Assistance Applications for Elementary Schools

Thursday, March 16

Spirit Wear Day

Enrollment Management Team Meeting (7:00 p.m.)

Friday, March 17

School Mass – Feast of St. Patrick (8:30 a.m.)

8th Grade Confirmation Retreat for Boys

Saturday, March 18

Diocesan Job Fair (St. John Paul the Great Catholic High School/9:00 – 11:00 a.m.)

Monday, March 20

Bread of Life Food Drive Kick-Off Assembly (8:30 a.m.)

Thursday, March 23

Stations of the Cross – Grades K-8 (2:15 p.m.)

Friday, March 24

School Mass (8:30 a.m.)

8th Grade Confirmation Retreat for Girls

Monday, March 27

Bread of Life Food Drive Begins

Diocesan 8th Grade Vocations Day Activities

Race for Education Kick-Off Assembly (2:30 p.m.)

Tuesday, March 28

Diocesan 8th Grade Vocations Mass at All Saints

(Note: Cafeteria Closed. All students are asked to bring a lunch from home.)

Thursday, March 30

National Junior Honor Society Induction Ceremony (1:30 p.m.)

Faculty Meeting (3:30 – 5:00 p.m.)

Friday, March 31

School Mass (8:30 a.m.)

5th Grade Wax Museum (PAC/1:15 p.m.)

Saturday, April 1

Running with the Saints 5K (8:00 a.m.)

Monday, April 3

Change to Summer Uniforms

Tuesday, April 4

Diocesan Chrism Mass at All Saints

(Note: Cafeteria Closed. All students are asked to bring a lunch from home.)

Wednesday, April 5

School Mass (8:30 a.m.)

Thursday, April 6

Holy Thursday

7th Grade Passion Play (PAC/10:45 a.m.)

Noon Dismissal

Friday, April 7

Holiday – Good Friday