



# All Saints Catholic School

*Shining our light, building a community of saints.*

## **Mission Statement**

*United and nourished by the Word of God and the Eucharist, our culturally diverse Catholic school inspires learning within a nurturing and dynamic environment of academic excellence and Gospel values*

## **The Sentinel Newsletter**

May 13, 2026

### **Principal's Message**

My heart is filled with gratitude for the tremendous outpouring of support that I received yesterday during the celebration of my 30th Anniversary of serving as the principal of All Saints. The day began with a beautiful liturgy concelebrated by Msgr. Lee Roos and Msgr. Bob Cilinski that was attended by Dr. Vorbach, Superintendent of Schools, as well as of members of the Office of Catholic Schools, colleagues from across the diocese, and former faculty and staff. It was heart-warming to see so many gathered for this special occasion.

Following the Mass, the students and our honored guests gathered in the Parish Activities Center for a surprise assembly that included a performance by our band, a school-wide song, guest speakers and the presentation of gifts. This was followed by a delightful catered reception in the evening attended by faculty, staff, and parents.

It remains a great blessing in my life to be part of the All Saints community and I am so grateful to work with Msgr. Lee, an incredibly supportive pastor,

and a highly dedicated faculty and staff. And having been at All Saints for so many years, it has been richly rewarding to enjoy such wonderful partnerships with the families in our school community. Again, many thanks to all who contributed to and participated in yesterday's events. From start to finish, the day was filled with special moments that I will also treasure.

Congratulations to the members of our second grade class who received their First Communion on Saturday. I wish to thank Mrs. Burnett and Mrs. Delaney for preparing the children so beautifully for this Sacrament. Let us continue to pray for our 2<sup>nd</sup> grade students, that this may continue to be a particularly grace-filled time in their lives and that they will always remain close to Jesus in the Eucharist.

This week I'm pleased to share that Mrs. Harrill's recent surgery was a success and that it will not be necessary for her to undergo any further treatments. She is continuing to recover and her doctors have recommended an additional week of rest prior to her returning to the classroom. With this in mind, her new anticipated date of return to All Saints is Tuesday, May 26. Let us give thanks to God for the success of Mrs. Harrill's procedure and continue to pray for her full recovery in the days ahead.

Related to the first grade program, I am excited to share with you the news that Mrs. Angie Gioffre has accepted the offer to teach first grade at All Saints next year. Mrs. Gioffre earned a Bachelor of Arts in Management with Minors in Developmental Psychology and English from Virginia Polytechnic Institute. After working in the business world for some time, she has since gained classroom experience as a pre-kindergarten assistant teacher as well as a substitute teacher in public and private schools. Mrs. Gioffre currently serves as an on-call substitute teacher in our program. Beginning on Tuesday, she will "shadow" Mrs. Harrill in the classroom and support student learning during the closing weeks of the year. We welcome Mrs. Gioffre to All Saints as she

prepares to assume her full-time teaching role next year and begins collaborating with Mrs. Harrill, her future grade partner.

Finally, I wish to provide an update regarding Title I services at All Saints. Since January, Mrs. Ellis has provided instruction to students who reside in Manassas City who qualify for additional support in math and/or reading. We thank her for her efforts and for all that she has done to support learning. As the program year comes to a close, we have ordered learning kits for students originally identified for Title I services in Manassas. These kits are completely funded through Title I and will be sent directly to the parents of these students during the summer months.

The Title I program through Prince William County is now underway with services to students who qualify and whose parents have opted-in to the program scheduled to begin next week. We welcome Ms. Cristin Mayes who has been hired by Prince William County as our Title I tutor. Although the time period for direct services will be very limited, we are hopeful that in the weeks ahead she will be able to connect with the students and forge a relationship that will support their learning during the summer months. We are pleased to announce that students who participate in Title I through Prince William County will have the opportunity to enroll in an online summer learning program hosted by Ms. Mayes. We look forward to confirming the details with parents of eligible students in the weeks ahead.

I am grateful to our colleagues in Manassas City Public Schools and Prince William County Public Schools for their partnership with our school in support of student learning. Should you have any questions about our Title I programming, please do not hesitate to let me know.

*Wishing you continued blessings during this Easter Season!*

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### **FACTS Tuition Assistance Update (2026-2027)**

Recently we finalized FACTS payment plans for the 2026-2027 school year. Please note that the balance due does not yet reflect any tuition assistance allocations. Once tuition assistance awards are confirmed, we will notify families who have applied and adjust the corresponding payment plans accordingly. We anticipate completing this process by early June.

### **Field Day – Postponed to June 2**

Field Day for students in grades K-8 will take place on **Tuesday, June 2 from 9:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.** at All Saints. The day will start as a regular school day with arrival beginning at 7:40 a.m. and dismissal occurring at 1:00 p.m. Extended Day services will be available both before and after school.

**Note: Friday, May 22 will be a half day of school with dismissal at noon.**

**Field Day - Ice Coffee Sate!**

Iced coffee and bottled water will be available for parents and guests to purchase during field day. Thank you for supporting the All Saints PTO!



## **Race for Education Update**

Total Proceeds Received to Date: \$41,949

### **Race Winners:**

The following students were awarded medals for completing the most laps on Race Day. Medals were awarded to the boy and girl winners, respectively, from each race session (Pre-K/K-2nd/3rd-5th/6th-8th).

Pre-K:

Reagan J. (PK2)

Fola O. (PK2)

K-2nd:

TIE:

Brooklyn F., Emily R., and Harper S. (1A)

Madelyn M. (1B)

Gwendolyn C. (2A)

Kadence F. (2B)

TIE:

Thomas M. (K1) and Jackson P. (2B)

3rd-5th

TIE:

Ailey B. (5B) and Camila L. (5B)

James M. (4B)

6th - 8th

Grace S. (6B)

Santiago L. (7A)

### **Faculty Winners**

Ms. Farinholt (K1 Teacher)

Fr. Renner (Parochial Vicar)

**Middle School House with the highest average laps completed (Winner of a special treat on House Day)**

House of Bernadette

**High Flier Raffle**

Winner of the basket full of Gift Cards and lots of summer theme items:

Gabe P. (6A)

**Award for Most Sponsorships**

The following student received a \$25 Crumble Cookie gift card.

Savannah B. (3B)

**All Star Prizes**

Students with 20 or more sponsors (Winner of a Personalized Race for Education water bottle and 1-week Front of the Lunch Line Pass).

Dylan D. (K1)

Connor O. and Mackenzie P. (1A)

Savannah B. and Natalia V. (3B)

Camila L. (5B)

Santiago L. (7A)

**Lower Grades Class with the Most Sponsors (Winner of the Cuthie Award Trophy and Prize Bowl)**

5B for all 3 weeks in a row

**Middle School House with the most sponsors (Winner of Extended House Time and Breakfast in the Upper Room)**

House of Juan Diego

## School-Wide Reward

An obstacle course moon bounce on Field Day!




### Lunch Menu- June



# May 2026



DAILY PRICES: LUNCH ONLY - \$5.00 Low Fat MILK - \$5.60 100% JUICE - 50¢

Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri
				1 Cheeseburger OR Hamburger Baked Beans Corn on the Cob
4 Soft Chicken Tacos OR Ham & Cheese Sandwich White Rice Black Beans Fresh Watermelon	5 Cheese Breadsticks w/ Marinara Sauce OR Turkey & Cheese Sandwich Tossed Salad Chilled Pineapple	6 Grilled Chicken Sandwich OR Ham & Cheese Sandwich Tater Tots Fresh Grapes <i>*Sugar cookie for sale</i>	7 Cheese Pizza OR Tuna Salad Sandwich Garlic Breadstick Garden Salad Fresh Oranges	8 Pasta w/Spaghetti Sauce OR Plain Buttered Pasta Broccoli Fresh Watermelon
11 Italian Sub OR American Sub Potato Chips Fresh Grapes	12 NACHO DAY! Seasoned Beef Tortilla Nacho Nachos Cheese Sauce Cornbread	13 Chicken Patty Sandwich OR Ham & Cheese Sandwich Potato Wedges Chilled Mandarins <i>*Chocolate Pudding w/whipped cream for sale</i>	14 Vocelli's Pepperoni Pizza OR Chicken Salad Sandwich Tossed Salad Fresh Oranges	15 Pasta w/Beef Meatballs OR Plain Buttered Pasta Broccoli Apple Sauce w/Cinnamon
18 Breakfast Sandwich English Muffin Turkey Sausage Egg Patty Yellow American Cheese Tater Tots Fresh Oranges	19 Chicken Nuggets OR Ham & Cheese Sandwich Mac & Cheese Broccoli	20 Salisbury Steak w/Gravy OR Turkey & Cheese Sandwich Mashed Potatoes Green Beans <i>*Chocolate ice cream for sale</i>	21 Cheese Pizza OR Tuna Salad Sandwich Caesar Salad Fresh Apples	22 <b>FIELD DAY!</b> Hot Dog on a Bun Potato Chips Fruit Punch  Popsicles for all students at the end of the activities
25 <b>MEMORIAL DAY</b> <b>NO SCHOOL</b> 	26 PANCAKE w/Syrup Turkey Sausage Scrambled Eggs Fresh Oranges	27 Hot Ham & Cheese OR Hot Turkey & Cheese (on Croissant) Potato Wedges Chilled Tropical Fruit <i>*Vanilla ice cream for sale</i>	28 Pepperoni Pizza OR Chicken Salad Sandwich Garden Salad Fresh Oranges	29 Pasta w/Meat Sauce OR Plain Buttered Pasta Garlic Bread Broccoli

*\*Grades 3-8 ONLY—Extra entrée may be ordered for \$3.00 charged to lunch account.  
Salads may be ordered in place of main entrée or side item may be replaced with a side salad.  
Side items (Potato chips, cookies, fruit, etc.) may be purchased for \$5.75 and charged to lunch account.*

## PTO Elections Results

Thank you to everyone who participated in the 2026-2027 PTO Election process this year! Please join us in congratulating Mrs. Laura Burroughs as President Elect and Mrs. Jen Sweiderk as Treasurer. We are grateful for their willingness to serve our school community and support our students, families, and teachers and look forward to the year ahead!

## End of School Year Information

## **Extended Day Program – End of Year Information**

Extended Day services will continue through Thursday, June 11.

There will be no Extended Day Program on Friday, June 12. All students will dismiss at 11:00 a.m. Please make arrangements for your children to be picked up if you anticipate being unavailable at that time.

## **Report Cards**

Report cards and awards for Grades 1-7 will be issued on the final day of school, June 12. Since the office will have a record of your child's final grades at the close of the year, you may retain these cards.

## **Reminders from the Nurse**

Medication pick up will be available the last two days of school. Please check in with Mrs. Kruppa before going to the nurse's office to pick up any medication. Any remaining medication will be kept at the front desk until end of the day Monday, June 15 and then disposed of, in accordance with diocesan policy.

Please remember that rising 7th Graders will need the mandatory Meningococcal and Tdap vaccines for entry to the new school year. All rising Kindergartners will need a new School Health Entrance Form and mandatory immunizations for the new school year. Please discuss these with your child's primary care physician.

**NOTE:** Pre-Kindergarten and Kindergarten students require a new School Health Entrance Form **before** the first day of school. **ALL** grades need to submit a Confidential Health History form (F1-A), and **ALL** grades should provide an updated School Health Entrance form when there are pertinent medical changes.

Forms for the 2026-2027 school year can be found on the [Nurse's Page](#) on our website. Please note that forms must be renewed every year, including

medication administration forms. Should you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact Mrs. Sullivan at [jsullivan@allsaintsva.org](mailto:jsullivan@allsaintsva.org).

### **Summer Office Hours**

The school office will remain open on Tuesdays and Thursdays from 10:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m. during the months of June and August. Should you need to contact school personnel during the summer months, please do not hesitate to leave a voicemail message or contact us via email. We will make every effort to assist you in a timely manner.

### **Important Dates for the Upcoming Year**

- Orientation Day (Students and parents are invited to visit the school, meet new teachers, and pick up supply orders.) – Wednesday, August 19
- First Day of School – Noon Dismissal (Grades K-8) – Thursday, August 20
- 18<sup>th</sup> Annual Back-to-School Barbecue hosted by the PTO – Friday, August 21
- First Day of Pre-Kindergarten – Monday, August 24

## Important Reminders

### School Calendar 2026-2027 (Important Dates & Holidays)

August 20	First Day of School – Grades K-8 (Noon Dismissal)
August 24	First Day of School – Pre-Kindergarten
September 7	Labor Day Holiday
September 28	Student Holiday (Professional Development Day)
October 12	Columbus Day Holiday
November 2	Student Holiday (Parent-Teacher Conferences)
November 3	Noon Dismissal (Parent-Teacher Conferences)
November 11	Veterans Day Holiday
November 24	Noon Dismissal (Thanksgiving Holiday)
November 25-27	Thanksgiving Holiday
November 30	Student Holiday (Teacher Workday)
December 21	Christmas Holiday Begins
January 4	Classes Resume
January 18	Martin Luther King, Jr. Holiday
February 5	Noon Dismissal (Catholic Schools Week Luncheon)
February 15	Presidents' Day Holiday
March 8	Student Holiday (Teacher Workday)
March 15	Student Holiday (Professional Development Day)
March 25	Noon Dismissal (Holy Thursday)
March 26	Good Friday Holiday
March 29	Easter Week Holiday
April 23	Student Holiday (Parish Festival)
May 31	Memorial Day Holiday
June 15	Last Day of School for Grades 1-7 (Tentative/3 Inclement Weather Days Included)

- **Second Lady's Summer Reading Challenge**

The USCCB Secretariat of Catholic Education is offering the **Second Lady's Summer Reading Challenge, 6/1-9/5**. It is designed for children in K-8. The challenge invites Catholic schools across the nation to support the development of a strong reading culture among students and to encourage children and families to engage in reading over the summer. See the flyer for more information.

[Summer Reading Challenge](#)

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- **Volunteer Appreciation Event - Thank you!**

The school is truly blessed and grateful for the incredible parent volunteers who have supported us throughout the school year and helped us make every event a success.

We invite all parent volunteers to join us for a special appreciation gathering on May 27th from 2-3pm in the PAC.

Please see the flyer below for additional details.



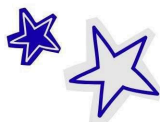
### **Volunteer Appreciation Event**

We're celebrating our amazing parent volunteers and all the time, energy and support you've given our school this year!

<i>Date:</i>	<i>Time:</i>	<i>Location:</i>
<b>May 27th</b>	<b>2 - 3pm</b>	<b>PAC</b>

Parents are invited to park their cars in the car line, and come join us anytime between 2-3pm to enjoy snacks, drinks and a chance to connect with other parents as we celebrate YOU!

**\*\*Parents from the Back Lot may use the Old Breezeway to access the PAC\*\***



- Art Show - Save the Date Join us for the 2026 Art Show brought to you by our talented kindergarten-8th grade students. Don't miss the amazing event taking place in the PAC on Thursday, May 21st from 3:30 -6:00 PM. Invite your entire family, friends and neighbors.

Anyone interested in volunteering during the show or interest in contributing an item donation, is encouraged to sign-up here: [Art Show Volunteer](#)

We look forward to seeing you!



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- **2026 High School Senior Graduation Walk Announcement**

All Saints Catholic School is pleased to invite alumni from our Class of 2022 to walk the halls of All Saints with your former classmates as we celebrate your high school graduation! Revisit your days at All Saints and enjoy pizza and refreshments, courtesy of the All Saints Alumni Committee.

**Thursday, June 4th @ 3:45 PM**

Don't forget to wear your Cap & Gown for pictures! Please note that this event is open to all students who attended All Saints at any time with the Class of 2022. To help us plan for pizza, please RSVP through the link below. Questions? Please contact Mrs. Mondarez and Mrs. Combs at [cmondarez@allsaintsva.org](mailto:cmondarez@allsaintsva.org) and [dcombs@allsaintsva.org](mailto:dcombs@allsaintsva.org).

[RSVP Form](#)



### **The Annual Appeal**

Our Annual Appeal is underway and we are so grateful for the support already shown by our All Saints families. This campaign is a meaningful way we come together to support our students and our school. We invite you to prayerfully consider how you can take part. You can participate by returning your family brochure or scanning the QR code below.



### **Upcoming Events**

**Thursday, May 21**

Lock Down Drill

Art Show (PAC/3:30 – 6:00 p.m.)

**Friday, May 22**

Field Day (Grades K-8) – Postponed to June 2

Noon Dismissal

**Monday, May 25**

Holiday – Memorial Day

**Tuesday, May 26**

2<sup>nd</sup> Grade Field Trip – Basilica of the National Shrine of the Immaculate Conception

**Wednesday, May 27**

Dress Down Day (Race for Education)

Middle School Economy Auction (8:15 a.m.)

PTO Sponsored Volunteer Appreciation (PAC/2:00-3:00 p.m.)

**Thursday, May 28**

Final Day of Pre-Kindergarten

SCA Election Assembly (1:30 p.m.)

**Friday, May 29**

School Mass – St. Paul VI, Pope (8:30 a.m.)

8<sup>th</sup> Grade Field Trip – Annapolis

Deadline: PTO Parent Survey

**Monday, June 1**

5<sup>th</sup> Grade Wax Museum (PAC/1:00-2:30 p.m.)

**Tuesday, June 2**

Field Day (K-8)

Early Dismissal (1:00 p.m.)

**Wednesday, June 3**

3<sup>rd</sup> Grade Field Trip – Udvar-Hazy Air & Space Museum  
PTO Executive Committee Meeting (PAC Atrium/7:00 p.m.)

**Thursday, June 4**

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

**Friday, June 5**

School Mass – Memorial of St. Boniface, Bishop & Martyr (8:30 a.m.)

**Monday, June 8**

2<sup>nd</sup> Grade Mexican Fiesta (PAC)

**Tuesday, June 9**

Kindergarten Luau  
8<sup>th</sup> Grade vs. Faculty/Staff Volleyball Game (1:30 p.m.)

**Wednesday, June 10**

Pass-it-On Ceremony (Church/9:30 a.m.)  
Graduation Breakfast for 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Students (10:00 a.m.)  
8<sup>th</sup> Grade Walk of Honor (11:00 a.m.)  
Noon Dismissal for Grades K-7  
8<sup>th</sup> Grade Graduation Mass & Ceremony (Church/4:00 p.m.)  
Deadline: Payment in Full with 2% Discount for 2026-2027

**Thursday, June 11**

Kindergarten Graduation (Church/10:00 a.m.)  
End of Year Classroom Parties (1:30 p.m.)  
Final Day of Extended Day Program

**Friday, June 12**

Final Day of School for Students in Grades 1-7

Closing of the School Year Mass & Awards Ceremony (8:30 a.m.)

Early Dismissal (11:00 a.m.)

No Extended Day Program

**Monday, June 15**

Professional Development Day for Teachers

**Tuesday, June 16**

Professional Development Day for Teachers



