

Tuesday Update: November 28, 2017



Mass Tomorrow: 6th graders have responsibility for tomorrow's Mass. Parents are invited to join us at 9:00am. Girls, please be sure your skirt is the appropriate length. 6th graders will go to confessions after Mass. Please exit the Church quietly while they prepare for this beautiful sacrament.

Mass Schedule for the next two weeks is changing! Students will not attend Mass on Wednesday, Dec. 6, but instead will attend on Friday, Dec. 8th for a Holy Day of Obligation – The Immaculate Conception. The following week, students will attend on Tuesday, Dec. 12 for Our Lady of Guadalupe Feast Day. We will also attend Mass on Monday, Dec. 18 at 9:00 a.m. No Mass on Wednesday, Dec. 13.

Baby Bottle Update: Thank you to all who contributed to the Baby Bottle Campaign. Our students raised \$830.00 and most importantly, 1070 Rosaries for Life were said. Thank you St. Andrew! 5th graders will enjoy a dress down day on Thursday, Nov. 30 for filling their baby bottle more times than any other class! Students may wear their uniform pants and favorite t-shirt. Thank you!

Canned Goods Update: Thank you to 2nd and 3rd grades for each collecting over 1,000 cans! Together our school family collected 4,751 cans! 2nd and 3rd graders may dress down on Thursday, Dec. 7.

Advent Wreath Making and Caroling: We will be hosting Advent Wreath making in the cafeteria on Saturday, Dec. 2, 4:30 p.m. The cost is \$10.00 per wreath. *If your family is interested, you must reserve a wreath by Thursday, Nov. 30.* AC Moore is holding a certain number of wreaths for us, and we must be sure we have enough. After wreath making, we will meet in the auxiliary parking lot at 5:30 for caroling. This is always so much fun! If you can't make a wreath, you can still come carol! The neighbors absolutely love to see our children spreading Christmas cheer! Finally, after caroling, there will be hot chocolate and cookies in the cafeteria. It's a nice way to warm up after a chilly night. Please join us this first weekend in Advent. *Be sure to call the office to reserve your space today!*

Breakfast with Santa: Sunday, Dec. 10 8:30-1:00 pm after the Masses in the Community Life Center. Breakfast is free! Sponsored by the Knights of Columbus, Council 5086.

THANKS FROM MRS. TYNDALL: Many thanks to Charlie, Elizabeth, and Herman W. for the beautiful rug their family donated to the Art Room ... it looks so nice!

YEARBOOK: Great news!!! TreeRing has given St. Andrew families one FINAL CHANCE to SAVE! Order by THIS THURSDAY, November 30th and save 5% off the purchase price of the yearbook. It's easy ... go to TreeRing.com today. Don't forget that you can also customize two FREE pages in your child's yearbook. Please contact Mrs. Tyndall with questions.

ART CLUB: We will meet Thursday, December 7 until 4:00 in the Art Room. We will be making Christmas items to sell at our 2nd Annual Christmas Gift Sale.

ART CLUB CHRISTMAS SALE: Mark you calendars and get ready to do some Christmas shopping! On Friday, December 15, Art Club will hold our 2nd Annual Christmas Gift Sale. Our Art Club Elves are working hard to create one-of-a-kind items such as ornaments, mini canvas painting, SLIME, and so much more! Come support our Art Club! Plan to come early ... last year we sold out!!!

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Altar Server Training: Father Morgan would like to train interested Altar Servers in grades 4-8 on Wednesday, November 29 and Wednesday, December 13 from 3:00-4:00. Please call the front office if your child is interested to reserve a place.

Vision Screening: The Lions Club provides free vision screening for public and private schools in our area. This simple screening took place this morning for the students in our school. This is a screening, not a diagnosis. If there is an indication of a possible problem, you will be notified by the school nurse for recommended follow-up with an optometrist.

Do you have any shoeboxes at home? Second and fourth grade prayer partners are in need of shoeboxes for a Nativity project. Please bring your empty shoeboxes to school - they will be very grateful. Thank you!

Box Tops 4 Education: Continue to bring in your box tops and place them your favorite team's box (USC, Clemson, CCU). Be sure to cut them and check for expired dates. Thank you.

Mark your Calendars for Fiesta Mexicana Spirit Night! Plan to eat some delicious Mexican food on December 14, 4-8 pm, Dine in or Carry Out, to benefit our school. *Don't forget to mention you are there for St. Andrew Spirit Night.*

Lost and Found: Please check lost and found. It is overflowing. All items will be donated to Help 4 Kids on Friday, December 15. Items needed are new and gently used children's toys, games, clothing and shoes.

Upcoming events:

- November 29 ~ Altar Server Training in the Church, 3:00-4:00 p.m. with Father Morgan
- December 1 ~ 7th grade Confirmation Retreat, "Evangelization," in the CLC 7-10 p.m.
- December 2 ~ 8th grade Confirmation Retreat, "Confirmation," in the CLC 2-10 p.m.
- December 2 ~ Advent wreath making and caroling. Wreath making 4:30 p.m. Caroling 5:30 p.m.
- December 4 ~ Confirmation 7:00 p.m.
- December 5 ~ BB game v. Conway Christian (Home) 4pm Jr. Boys, 5pm Girls, 6pm Boys
- December 7 ~ 8th grade to Magnolia's Assisted Living to help decorate for Christmas
- December 7 ~ 4th & 5th grades to see "The Star" movie
- December 8 ~ Holy Day of Obligation – Immaculate Conception Mass 9:00 a.m.
- December 9 ~ First Lego League Robotics Competition. 8 a.m.- 4 p.m. Ten Oaks Middle School
- December 12 ~ Our Lady of Guadalupe Feast Day Mass 9 a.m.
- December 13 ~ Altar Server Training in the Church 3:00-4:00 p.m. with Father Morgan
- December 14 ~ Fiesta Mexicana Dinner Spirit Night 4-8 p.m.
- December 15 ~ Art Club Ornament Sale, Help 4Kids
- December 18 ~ Mass 4th grade
- December 19 ~ Christmas Program in the Church, 6:00 p.m.
- December 20 ~ Polar Express and PJ Day, Pay \$2.00 to wear your PJ's and help support your local Girl Scout Troop!

"If you do not hope, you will not find what is beyond your hopes."
— St. Clement of Alexandria

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