Tuesday Update: October 23, 2018

NO Mass tomorrow at 9:00 a.m. The priests are on retreat.



Mass next week will be Thursday, Nov. 1: We will celebrate All Saints Day together at 9:00 am. 8th grade will lead us. Parents are welcome to attend!

<u>Children's Mass!</u> Thank you to everyone who helped make our first Children's Mass so beautiful. The choir did a fabulous job! Mark your calendars for Nov. 18, 9:15 for our next Children's Mass and don't forget that coffee and donuts will be served *in the school cafeteria* directly after Mass. Thank you!

<u>PSAT for 8th Grade is tomorrow.</u> 8th grade come on time, fed, and well rested! Payments will be processed through RenWeb if you did not bring in a check.

<u>Parent Teacher Conferences are right around the corner!</u> Please be sure you have returned the conference sign-up forms. **School will dismiss at 11:30 a.m. on Wednesday, October 31 and Thursday, Nov. 1.** <u>If your child needs to attend aftercare on those days, please contact the office to make a reservation. Plan to pack a bag lunch from home, as lunch will not be served in the cafeteria. **Conferences will begin at 12:30 p.m. and will run until 3pm on Wednesday and until 4:30 p.m. on Thursday.** Please be respectful of those waiting and limit your conference to the time allotted. Thank you!</u>

TOT T-Shirt Flash Sale: remaining t-shirts will be \$5 and will be on a first come first serve basis. PLEASE email Jenna directly at <u>jcunningham@standrewschoolmb.org</u>. T-Shirts will be charged to RenWeb.

SOCK HOP: In an effort to help those in our area, Help 4Kids is in need of socks, underwear and t-shirts. Our school will be collecting these items during the month of October. On the 31st, we will celebrate "Socktober" with our Sock Hop in the CLC! Students may dress in 50's attire on October 31. This includes jeans, button down shirts, poodle skirts and their favorite socks! Students will enjoy 50's music and games from 9:30 am to 11:15 am in the CLC. Thank you for your kind donations this Socktoctober!

<u>Service Hours Opportunity</u>: There is an Optimist Fish Fry on Monday, November 12th from 4:00-7:00pm at Crabby Mikes on 290 Highway 17 Business North, Surfside Beach. Our middle school students can earn service hours by helping to clear tables and serving deserts. The Optimist Club works hard to earn money for Childhood Cancer research and helps support the families dealing with a child who is suffering from this illness. If you are interested, please contact Mrs. Wilfong at dwilfong@standrewschoolmb.org. Please know that parents must attend as well for safety reasons. Thanks for always working hard to be altruistic!

Youth Group News: Join us for ARISE, a chance to come together before daily classes for free breakfast, fellowship, praise and worship, and prayer. Start your morning off the right way! ARISE will be held from 7:00 am to 7:40 am in the cafeteria beginning the second week of November. 6th grade will meet Monday morning on November 5th. 7th grade will meet Tuesday morning on November 6th. 8th grade will meet Thursday morning on November 8th. Please contact Eleni at standrewmbyouth@charlestondiocese.org for more information. Hope to see you there!

School photos: all proofs sheets and orders are due back TOMORROW, October 24, 2018. Any questions, please contact Lisa Young at lisa@photoyoung.com.

October is Right to Life Month: Our annual Baby Bottle Campaign continues! Please send in extra coins, or encourage your children to do chores around your home to raise money for this valuable cause. We will pray one decade of the Rosary in the morning to pray for life. Students can even "Jump and Pray" the Rosary on our blacktop! The class filling up the most baby bottles will earn a dress down day!

Middle School Students Prepare for Court! St. Andrew Catholic School will compete in the 18th Annual SC Bar Regional MS Mock Trial Competition on Nov. 10 at the Georgetown County Courthouse. The Mock Trial Program is sponsored by the SC Bar's Law Related Education (LRE) Division, which was developed in 1976 to improve the ability of teachers to instruct law related education. The program is supported by the Bar's LRE Committee and made possible through a SC Bar Foundation Interest on Lawyer Trust Accounts grant and the SC Bar. Good luck to our middle school team!!

YEARBOOK NEWS: If you missed the deadline to receive a discount in September, no worries! Order your child's yearbook by October 31st and receive 10% off of the \$30 purchase price! To order, go to TreeRing.com and enter our school's code: 1012950269392300. Please contact Mrs. Tyndall with any questions.

<u>Basketball News:</u> Basketball tryouts for Girls and Boys 6th, 7th, and 8th grades will be Nov. 5th, 6th, 7th, and 8th.... Girls will be 3:00-5:00, Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, and 5:00 to 6:30 on Wednesday. Boys are 5:00-6:30 Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, and 3:00-5:00 on Wednesday. Athletes can get a Parent Permission form from Coach Rollings.

<u>Cheer News:</u> The first cheer practice for (6,7,8) cheerleaders (new & returning) will begin Wed., Nov. 7, from 2:45-4pm and will continue to be on Wednesdays throughout basketball season. Extra practices will be announced as needed. If your cheerleader <u>cannot</u> make the first practice, please email <u>scarroca@standrewschoolmb.org</u>. We need to know who is cheering this year to be able to put them in the cheer and dance lineups.

<u>Lunch Reminder:</u> Students may bring a packed lunch. Please, no candy or soft drinks. No fast food may be brought in for student lunches. Hot lunches are provided in the cafeteria. **Please do not ask to microwave food from home.** Milk is available for all students, or students may bring juice or clear, plastic water bottle from home. <u>Birthday Treats:</u> For a child's birthday celebration, suitable items include cookies, donuts or donut holes. Please, no cupcakes or cakes. Please do not bring large items that must be cut into individual pieces. We also want to discourage bringing frozen treats because there is minimum space in the cafeteria freezer. Thank you for your help with this.

Box Tops 4 Education: Keep those box tops coming... The fight for 1st place is on. The winner will be announced in November.

"Put up willingly with the faults of others if you wish others to put up with yours."

— St. John Bosco