

## **January 12, 2021** Please refer to the calendar for important dates & FACTS Family Portal for changes.

- Thank you for your continued support and patience as we work through maintenance this week. The parents and staff at St. Andrew are the absolute best! We are so sorry for the inconvenience caused by the repairs needed on our gas lines but so appreciate your understanding. Our utmost concern is the safety of our students. We look forward to seeing everyone who chooses to be in the building on Tuesday, January 19. Thank you!
- Mass: Father Morgan shared with us over the weekend that he has received a new assignment and will be leaving our parish February 1. Father John Zimmerman will be our new pastor and comes from Our Lady of Perpetual Help in Camden. Once Father Zimmerman arrives, we will develop a Mass schedule for our students. As of now, do not plan on students wearing Mass uniforms or attending Mass during the school day. We will keep everyone posted! We will miss Father Morgan greatly!
- 4<sup>th</sup> Grade Parent Coffee Hour and Happy Hour Virtual Meetings this Thursday, January 14 at 8:15 am and 6:15 pm. Please RSVP to ktyndall@standrewschoolmb.org.
- Noon Dismissal this Friday, January 15th for a teacher in-service.
- No school on Monday, January 18 in observance of Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Day.
- Chick-fil-A and Jersey Mike's: order forms from last week will be your order for the week of January 18.
- After school clubs and sports are suspended until January 18th. During the week of January 18, we will evaluate the conditions in our community and make plans to resume activities accordingly.
- 5th grade Happy Hour: It's time to get excited about middle school! Meet our middle school teachers and learn about our excellent program. Please note the date change for Tuesday, January 19th, 6:00 pm. A link will be sent next Monday for the meeting.
- Charitable Donations: Letters will be mailed this month acknowledging all contributions made to St. Andrew School during the calendar year 2020. If you ever have any questions, please contact kmccormick@standrewschoolmb.org.
- BRAVE Rock: Click here for info on renting the rock and to view the photo gallery of the BRAVE Rock for ideas and inspiration.
- Crusader Golf Classic February 20th! Save the Date for our Crusader Golf Classic on Saturday, February 20th at Pine Lakes Country Club. Sponsorship and sign up information is attached to this email. To register a team to play please email kblack7505@gmail.com.
- From the Nurse's Desk: The change in weather to cooler temperatures brings ideal conditions for illness to spread rapidly. The number of COVID-19 cases is increasing not just in Horry County, but throughout the US. We must remain vigilant in wearing clean face masks, keeping hands washed, and frequently disinfecting surfaces. PLEASE do not send your child to school if they have cold symptoms, fever, diarrhea, loss of taste/ smell, cough, or difficulty breathing. If you have any questions or concerns, please email jcunningham@standrewschoolmb.org. Thank you for your continued efforts in keeping our St. Andrew community safe and healthy. Please know that the CDC still lists the "Gold Standard" of care to contain a 14 day quarantine after a direct exposure to COVID-19. St. Andrew and the Diocese of Charleston will be following the 14 day quarantine standard.
- Virtual Students: Please refer to our Policy for Virtual Students for those who may need to be virtual for any given amount of time.
- Help 4 Kids van will be parked in the CLC side parking lot on Friday, January 29. Winter weather outerwear (coats, scarves, hats, and gloves) would be greatly appreciated.
- St. Andrew Family Business Directory: Coming in 2021! This will be a perfect way for St. Andrew families to support St. Andrew families!
- Enjoy Seton's Knightly News.
- TASTE'N THE TOWN ALL YEAR LONG! Treat your family to dinner or take-out! This week's restaurants are Benjamin's Bakery & Cafe and Señor Frogs. Enjoy!



"Trials, tribulation, anguish, anxiety are permitted by the very One Who gives peace." — Archbishop Fulton Sheen

