

B.R.A.V.E. Weekly

January 11, 2022

Please refer to the calendar for important dates & FACTS Family Portal for changes.

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- **Mass:** St. Andrew Catholic School is a ministry of our Parish. It is an integral part of our school to attend Mass. We are alternating weeks for our students to attend Mass on Wednesday mornings at 9:00 am. Next week grades K,1,2,3,4 will attend Mass. **All Students Must Wear Mass Uniforms. Please make a note to return on Wednesday the 19th in Mass uniforms!**
- **No School** Friday, January 14 - Tuesday, January 18. These are rest, relaxation and recovery days for students. We will NOT hold virtual school. Plan to return in-person on Wednesday, January 19 in your Mass uniform. Please DO NOT come into the building if you have symptoms of ANY illness. Let's try to keep each other healthy!
- **End of 2nd Quarter is tomorrow, Wednesday, January 12.** Teachers are using Friday, January 14 to work on report cards. Report cards will come home in a *Thursday* folder on January 20.
- **AR requirements are due Thursday, January 13 at the end of the day.** This is a slight extension due to our current circumstances.
- **Basketball Information:** No practice this week. All games cancelled this week. Please stay tuned for announcements from your coaches about upcoming games and practices.
- **JOI Club** scheduled for this Thursday will be re-scheduled.
- **Chick-fil-A:** To place an order for Wednesday, January 19, please print and send in the attached form or email your order to inerbonne@standrewschoolmb.org.
- **Lunch:** This month's updated lunch menu is posted **on our website** and FACTS Family Portal.
- **MAP Testing** begins next week, please see the updated schedule in Google Classroom.
- **Middle School Service Hours and PB&J Brigade:** Our middle school students will be making PB&J sandwiches for the MB Community Kitchen the first and third Thursday of each month after school. **We will plan to meet on February 3rd and 17th until 4:00, but please stay tuned if we need to postpone again.** A flyer was sent home to sign up. *If anyone would like to contribute creamy peanut butter, grape jelly or sandwich-sized Ziploc bags, we would kindly accept your donation.*
- **8th Grade Parents & Students:** Save the Date for Socastee High School Open House to be held on January 19 and January 26. Information was emailed last week.
- **January Resource:** Check out this great resource for Catholic families, **8 Ways to Honor the Holy Name of Jesus This January.**
- **Catholic Schools Week** is January 31-February 4. Details for a fun-filled week celebrating our Catholic School are attached to your BRAVE Weekly email.

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- **Save the Date:** Our Family Prom will be held on Friday, January 28, 6 pm-8 pm. Please be sure to RSVP. Stay tuned for details in the event that we need to postpone this fun family evening.
- **Interested in Sponsoring our Crusader Golf Classic?** Plan for a fun day of golfing on February 12, 2022. It will be here before we know it! Kevin and Jeannine Black are actively acquiring sponsorships please contact them at kblack7505@gmail.com or 843-995-3277.
- **Help4Kids:** Thank you for your generosity in supporting this ministry. The Help4Kids van will be parked in the CLC parking lot on January 28. They are in need of warm clothing, gloves, scarves, mittens, and coats, along with school supplies. Gently used items are also welcome.
- **DOCYBT:** The Diocese of Charleston Youth Basketball Tournament is scheduled for February 25-27, at the Myrtle Beach Sports Center. Save the date for some great basketball!
- **Thank you Environmental Concepts!:** Check out their [website](#) showing the progress of our Butterfly Garden.
- **First Communion:** 2nd graders and any other student planning to receive 1st Communion, save the date for Sunday, May 1, 2022, for this special sacrament. Details will follow.
- **Yearbooks:** To place an order, please go to TreeRing.com and enter our school code: 1012950269392300. If you have any questions, please contact ktyndall@standrewschoolmb.org. **This is the only way to purchase a yearbook!**
- **Attractions Books:** With 2022 here, you may find yourself in need of more Attractions Books to SAVE all around town! If you would like to order a book, or many books, please email ktyndall@standrewschoolmb.org. Your FACTS account will be charged for all sales.
- **Need another Taste of the Town t-shirt?** Email ktyndall@standrewschoolmb.org with your order. Shirts are only \$5!
- **Scarves for JOI Club Fundraiser:** Wow! Thank you for the fantastic response to the scarves created by Mrs. Schmitz! She is knitting just as fast as possible and will get the scarves out as soon as possible.
- **All Volunteers** must be Background Screened **and** Safe Haven Certified. Please [click here for information](#) or contact jferrari@standrewschoolmb.org with questions. Please keep in mind, it may take two-three weeks for approval. *No volunteering without Diocesan approval!*



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