

# B.R.A.V.E. Weekly

**January 20, 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.**
- **Inclement Weather:** We plan to be in school tomorrow until 12 noon. There will be no aftercare or lunch served. You will receive a text message early tomorrow morning if this plan changes. Please see important email from Mrs. Wilfong with details.
- **Report cards are coming home today!** Thanks for all the hard work 2<sup>nd</sup> quarter, Crusaders! Please be sure to sign your child's report card and return it to school.
- **MAP Testing has begun!** Please see the schedule in Google Classroom and be sure to go to bed early and eat a good breakfast!
- **Lunch:** This month's updated lunch menu is posted **on our website** and FACTS Family Portal.
- **Interested in Sponsoring our Crusader Golf Classic?** Plan for a fun day of golfing on February 12, 2022. Kevin and Jeannine Black are actively acquiring sponsorships and items for a silent auction. Please contact them at [kblack7505@gmail.com](mailto:kblack7505@gmail.com) or 843-995-3277.
- **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 plan to meet February 3 and February 17 until 4:00.** 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.*
- **Basketball Information:** This week, teams practiced yesterday and will practice today. **Sr. Boys** will practice 3:00-4:30 **Girls** will practice 4:30-6:00. If your child needs to stay in Aftercare, please let the office know. Students must obey all Aftercare rules. **Jr. Boys** practice on Sundays 2:00-4:00 pm. If your child cannot make practice, please be respectful and let the coach know. Students who do not attend practice may not be able to play in games. 5<sup>th</sup> & 6<sup>th</sup> grade boys who are serious about improving skill level are invited to practice with the Sr. Boys team. Please note, numbers may be limited for this opportunity. **Please stay tuned for announcements from your coaches about upcoming games and practices.**
- **Basketball team pictures are scheduled for January 25.** A pre-order form is being sent home today along with the opportunity to purchase a "Congratulations" ad in the DOCYBT program! Go Crusaders!
- **8th Grade Parents & Students:** Save the Date for Socastee High School Open House to be held on January 26. An informational email was sent by Mrs. Tyndall on January 5.

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- **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 scheduled for January 31-February 4. Check out our UPDATED flyer for details about a fun-filled week celebrating our Catholic School!
- **Save the Date, we have postponed the Family Prom:** It looks like our January celebration will become a celebration of Spring! Save the date for **April 29**, so we can celebrate our families with a fun Spring Prom!
- **Help4Kids:** Thank you for your generosity in supporting this ministry. The Help4Kids van will be parked in the CLC parking lot next Friday, January 28. They are in need of warm clothing, gloves, scarves, mittens, and coats, along with school supplies. Gently used items are also welcome.
- **January 31 the EZCheezy Food Truck will be at school for the Middle School Reward luncheon.** An email will be sent to all middle school students who qualified for this reward.
- **DOCYBT:** This year, 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!
- **First Communion:** 2<sup>nd</sup> graders and any other student planning to receive 1<sup>st</sup> 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](mailto:ktyndall@standrewschoolmb.org). **This is the only way to purchase a yearbook!** The deadline to purchase yearbooks and create your FREE custom pages is March 31.
- **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](mailto:ktyndall@standrewschoolmb.org). Your FACTS account will be charged for all sales.
- **All Volunteers** must be Background Screened **and** Safe Haven Certified. Please [click here for information](#) or contact [jferrari@standrewschoolmb.org](mailto: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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