



Oct. 20, 2023

October Birthdays

- 22-Elyse Koenigsfeld (2)
- 22-Archer Jaegers (PK)
- 24-Harlie Duncan (2)
- 29-Lillian Foster (5)

November Birthdays

- 2-Adalyn Brandt (7)
- 3-Paisley Smith (K)
- 4-Kimber Bennett (7)
- 5-Wyatt Warren (5)
- 9-Ava Winkelman (6)
- 12-Theodore Bexten (PK)
- 14-Grayson Mosley (PK)
- 14-Ben Jahnsen (5)
- 14-Hayden Jaegers (5)
- 18-Connor Lumpkin (K)
- 22-Kendall Hoffman (K)
- 29-Raelynn Cooper (K)
- 29-Albert Haslag (6)

Important Dates:

October

26-Parent/Teacher Conferences

26-12:30 Dismissal

27-No School

27-Trunk- or- treat

31-Halloween parties

31-Students may wear Halloween shirts with uniform pants

November

1-All Saints Day- Holy Day of Obligation

2-3rd, 4th, and 5th grades Field Trip

3-All School Mass

6-No School- Professional Development

10-Veterans' Day program @ 8:00 am in church

17-4 D Day sponsored by 5th

20-24 No School

30 Progress reports go home

Servers for Weekend Mass:

5pm-Peyton Peters, Cooper Coots, Layla Wingrath 10am-CYD - Cody Heckman, Preston Jaegers, Leo Massman

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Trunk-or-Treat

We are once again preparing for this 'Spooktacular' event. This will be held on Oct. 27 in the parking lot, if weather permits. In case of inclement weather we will be having it in the gym. Home and School is hoping to have a few food trucks there to help add to this event. We are asking all parents to send in a bag of candy per child.

Parent/Teacher Conferences will be held next week. Parent-teacher conferences are a vital component of a child's education, especially at the elementary level. These conferences provide an opportunity for parents and guardians to connect with the teacher and discuss the child's academic progress, social development, and overall performance in school.

Cleaning update

The entire school has been swept/mopped/vacuumed and dusted. Windows were done, the guys even got on a ladder and cleaned the windows on the top of the front door. The gym and lobby was auto scrubbed yesterday by Neil Loethen. The hallways were auto scrubbed today. Stairwells were hand scrubbed. We had kiddos for service hours that wiped all the surfaces down and then some! Bathrooms were all cleaned and sanitized. A few guys did leaf blowing and went to the playground and blew all the gravel back where it needed to go. The following people covered a lot of ground in a little over an hour. The following families came.

- Brooke, Eric Peters & family
- Jenna, Kevin Dudenhoeffer & family
- Emily, Brendan Koenigsfeld & family
- Ashley, Lucas Hoffman & family
- Alex Hoelscher
- Sarah Peters
- Janelle and Kendra Brandt
- Kaylee, Lake, and Kimber Bennett
- Shelly Peters
- Chelsea Smith
- Chelsea Bickell
- Lauren and Liza Neuner
- Michelle Mosley

This was an amazing job! Thank you so much for the time you gave to keep our students healthy. The cleaning committee is looking to do it again in November. More information on the date will be coming soon.

Red Ribbon Week: October 23-26

Since its beginning in 1985, the Red Ribbon has touched the lives of millions of people around the world. In response to the murder of DEA Agent Enrique Camarena, angered parents and youth in communities across the country began wearing Red Ribbons as a symbol of their commitment to raise awareness of the killing and destruction caused by drugs in America.

Be kind to your mind. Live Drug Free.

Monday-Wear Red -students wear uniform pants with a redshirt

In honor of the theme -I am hooked on books not drugs. Each class will make a bookmark. Then for their computer class, students will be in the gym reading with their pals.

Tuesday-Team up against drugs(wear your favorite team gear with uniform pants)

Rosary for the protection of our youth so that they don't participate in unhealthy activities/choices.

Wednesday-Put a Cap on Drugs- wear uniforms with a cap (after Mass)

Chalk drawings on the cement to broadcast a drug free message

Thursday-I am too bright for drugs (bright shirt with uniform pants)

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All Souls Day Preparation:

November is the month that we remember those who have gone before us. November 2nd we celebrate All Souls Day. If you have a loved one that has passed away, and you want us to pray for them, please fill out the form by following the link below. The names will be placed on a banner to be hung in the lobby. We will pray for those people throughout the month of November. We will not accept any names after Oct. 25. We will also read the names of those listed on our poster on November 29th.
<https://forms.gle/XzydkM2mF2yyicPr8>

October is the month of Prudence: This is a virtue that helps you to think through things and act in ways that are right, good, and pleasing to God. God gives us free will so we can choose to do what is good. Prudence tells us what is good, when to do it, and how to do it. Prudence helps you to know and to choose the right way to reach a good end or goal.

Lost and Found

We are getting quite a collection of lost and found items. If your child is missing a sweatshirt, please come and look. Also if you haven't already done so, please put your child's name on the St. George hoodie. This really helps with the reunification process.

Save the Date

Our 21st Taste of Italy will be held on January 20th. Parent worklists will be coming home at a later date.

Classroom baskets and other donations are due to the school office by December 15, 2023. More information will be coming at a later date.

The first winner of the Home and School Raffle is the Preschool Class. The class won \$1,000. The ticket was sold at Thriftway by a member of the PK class. The next eight drawings will be worth \$100. The final drawing will be worth \$1500. We had a very successful raffle. We sold over 1700 tickets making a profit of \$34,000. This was a huge undertaking and we are blessed that so many people supported this event. This money will go to help the school and will directly benefit students. Students will get the following rewards for meeting their goal: pizza party, fun day with bounce houses, carnival food, and a free dress down day. Mrs. Grellner will also get a pie in her face in the very near future.

Top selling families are:

1st-Michael and Chelsea Bickel-92 tickets

2nd- Devin and Sarah Jackson-64 tickets

3rd -AJ and Tassie Womac-43 tickets

4th-Nathan and Denise Coots-35 tickets

5th- Curtis and Lisa Terry -34 tickets