



St. Vincent de Paul School

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"Let your light shine...Brighter Together"
Matthew 5:16

January 6, 2022

Thursday after Epiphany

What's happening?

January 6

School Commission, 7 pm

January 7

NO School
High School Recommendation Day and
In-service

January 11

St. Vincent School T-shirt and Jeans Day

January 14

Students in grades 1-4 will attend 9am Mass.

January 17

NO School
Martin Luther King, Jr. Day

January 20

Parents Association Meeting, 7pm

January 21

Students in grades 5-8 will attend 9am Mass.

January 25

St. Vincent School Sweatshirt and Jeans Day

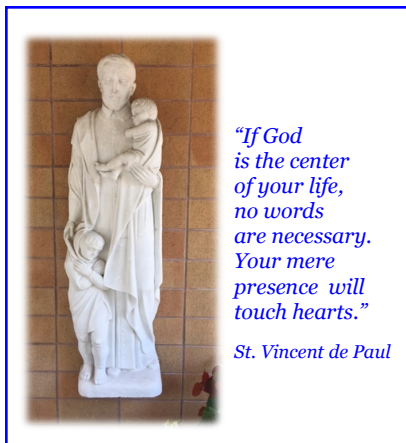
January 28

Students in grades 1-4 will attend 9am Mass.

January 29-

February 4

Catholic Schools
Week



Dear Families,

Welcome 2022! Happy New Year! Happy Epiphany!

Even though I love the holiday season—Advent, Christmas, Solemnity of Mary, Mother of God, New Year's, Epiphany—sometimes between Christmas and New Year's I feel a sense of "let down." This year was different. Maybe it was due to the beauty of the falling snow, or being confined to the house because of the icy conditions, or having extra time to read a book, or just having time to think without interruptions. Whatever it was, I feel a renewed appreciation of meaning of Epiphany and renewed sense of gratitude for the gifts I have been given. What gifts do I have to share with Jesus, with my family, my school family, my parish family? What gifts do you have to share?



Catholic Schools Week (CSW) and Open House

Catholic Schools Week is January 29-February 4. Last year we provided each family with a Catholic Schools Week Spirit Sign to place in your yard. If you still have your sign, please place it in your yard again. The yard signs will help promote our school during CSW.

Parents, you are the best ambassadors. Please tell your family and friends with children what you love about St. Vincent's.

We would love to have a parent testimonial (written message or short video) to post on our Facebook page and website. If this is something you would like to do, please let me know.

We are working on our plans for Catholic Schools Week. More on this next week.

Raffle Ticket Reminder

Please check out the raffle flier. We still have 70 books of tickets to sell! All ticket stubs and money are due January 14th.

COVID Vaccines

Along with wearing a mask and physical distancing, vaccines help protect individuals from severe cases of COVID. Please let Mrs. Wolf know when your child is vaccinated. Thank you.

Inclement Weather Reminders

If we have inclement weather, look for a school text message and/or check the KING and KOMO TV websites for information. Please note that when we have a late start:

*School will begin at 10:30.

*There is no pre-k class.

*There is no morning extended care.

*There is no morning band.

CYO Basketball

Due to the updated COVID protocols for basketball, we will not have a CYO basketball season. We will keep you updated and hopefully the volleyball season will be a go.

Sweatshirts and T-shirts

Orders will be sent home Monday. Small white crewneck sweatshirts were out of stock, so we were sent mediums. The quarter zips were also out of stock so we were sent a little different one.

Vaccination Clinic

St. Vincent de Paul Parish is hosting a Vaccination clinic on January 9, and January 30. We will have the children and adult vaccinations available. You can also get your booster. Here are the links to sign up.

5 years to 11 years

[Sign Up for Vaccinations - Bird's Eye Medical Covid-19 Mobile Vaccination Clinic \(PC\) on Sunday, 01/09/2022 | Washington](#)

12 and up

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If you have any questions please contact Katie in the parish office.

Band Members in grades 6-8

Honor Band auditions have been changed to a single night, January 20th, from 4-7 pm in the Kenndey Music Room. If you have any questions, contact Miss McKamey at mckameyf@kennedyhs.org.

Homeroom Projects

Homeroom project collection envelopes are being sent home today. Each families contributes \$10/student towards the project. Thank you.

When I arrived at school on Tuesday morning, 8th Avenue was only wet from the rain but by carpool time it turned slippery. Thank you for your patience and careful driving. Thanks to the maintenance team for helping me with the deicer on the driveway and street. Always know that on inclement days, it is certainly okay to wait and head out for school when you are comfortable driving.

St. Vincent de Paul, pray for us.

With my love and prayers,

Wanda