



St. Vincent de Paul School

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

October 14, 2021

28th Week in Ordinary Time
"For human beings it is impossible, but not for God.
All things are possible for God."

What's happening?

October 15

No School - Archdiocesan In-service Day
Mrs. McKinley's Memorial Service is at 11am
at St. Stephen the Martyr in Renton.

October 21

Safe Environment Lessons for Students

October 22

Grades 5-8 will attend 9am Mass.
Seahawks Blue Day!

October 25

Picture Day- Lifetouch is considering this
retake day as our original picture day.
Students need to be in full dress uniforms.

October 28

Parent Association Meeting, 7 pm, Zoom

October 29

Students may wear Halloween costumes that
are appropriate for our school.
Students in grades 2-4 will attend 9am Mass.

October 30

Halloween-Have a fun, safe day!

November 1

All Saints Day—Students in grades 5-8 will
attend 9am Mass.

Dear Families,

Mrs. McKinley's daughter, Haley, stopped by on
Tuesday afternoon. She wanted say hello to the
children and thank them for their prayers. We
collected notes and pictures that the children put in
the memory basket for Mrs. McKinley's daughter.
Haley was touched by the little remembrance table we
set up for Mrs. McKinley and the notes from the
children. Thank you for your prayers for the family.

Halloween

Homeroom teachers will let you how they plan to
observe Halloween in the classroom on October 29th.
Students may wear costumes that are appropriate for
our school and they will need to be able to remove
their masks during class.

Dia de los Muertos

We will be celebrating Dia de los Muertos this year.
Please read the note in the envelope today from Mrs. Colby-Sanchez and Mr. Dovovan.

Student, Parent, Teacher Conferences

Conference are scheduled for November 23rd—25th. Most of the teachers prefer in-person
conferences with all parents who are vaccinated. We will be sending out scheduling
information the first week of November.

Operation Christmas Child Shoeboxes

We will be collecting Operation Christmas Child Shoeboxes the week of November 15th.
Information regarding the contents of the shoeboxes will be sent home as soon as we receive
the shoebox fliers.

Safe Environment Class for Children

The Touching Safety classes for students will be taught next Thursday, October 21st. Return the
opt-out form that was in last week's note **only if you do not** want your child to participate in
the class. The opt-out form is due back by Monday, October 18. If your child does not
participate in the class, please be sure to talk to your child about this very important personal
safety topic. You can view the program at virtusonline.org.

COVID Return to School Flowchart

When your child is not feeling well, please refer to the COVID Return to School
Flowchart that was sent home and also attached to note last week. If you have questions, we
are happy to walk you through the chart. Thank you for letting us know when your child is not
feeling well and what symptoms he/she is experiencing and for keeping your child home until
symptom free.

St. Vincent de Paul, pray for us.
With my love and prayers,

Wanda

