



# St. Vincent de Paul School

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## What's happening?

February 9, 2023

5th Week in Ordinary Time

Dear Families,

**February 9**  
International Night

**February 10**  
No School—Teacher In-service Day

**February 14**  
Valentines Day  
Wear Valentine Colors  
Spirit Assembly, 10:45

**February 16**  
Parents Association Meeting  
Raffle Drawing, 8pm

**February 17**  
Mass, 9am

**February 20**  
No School—Presidents' Day

**February 21**  
St. Vincent School Sweatshirt and  
Jeans Day

**February 22**  
Ash Wednesday, Mass, 9am

### State of the School Meeting, February 16th, 7pm

Each year the School Commission presents the State of the School Meeting for parents. At this meeting, we have a short presentation about our school and present the budget for the next year. We ask that one parent from each family attend this meeting. Information regarding tuition and contracts will also be included. We will begin the evening with Parent Meeting Social Time at 6:30.

### Gala Auction, *From Roots to Wings*, is coming soon!

- The auction is just a little over a month away! You can purchase your tickets any time now. If you want to be seated with a group of parents, please order your tickets together. Consider inviting friends who do not have students at our school to attend with you.
- Please turn in any procurements/donations as soon as possible. If you don't have the physical item, you can turn in the procurement form.
- We could still use auction sponsors. If you are interested or have a company that might consider being a sponsor, please contact Mr. McCarl.
- We are also looking for monetary donations for our Heads or Tails Game. Looking for cash donations totaling \$500.
- The venue for our gala is an awesome space for an auction. I hope you are planning on joining for our annual celebration and fundraiser.

### Catholic Schools Week

A big thank you to all of our parent volunteers during Catholic Schools Week. You were awesome!

### St. Blaise and the Blessing of the Throats

Last Friday was the Feast of St. Blaise. St. Blaise is the patron saint of ailments of the throat. During mass each person received a blessing of the throat.

### International Night

We are looking forward to International Night tonight. We want to celebrate the rich cultures within our school community and share our students' social studies projects. Thanks to Mr. Donovan for organizing this evening.

### Arriving on Time

Arriving on time is still a concern. We are averaging 10-15 late students each morning. Please arrive by 8:25 so your child is ready to go in the classroom at 8:30 sharp.

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

*Wanda*

