

# St. Vincent de Paul School

### What's happening?

**February 22** Mass, 9am Full Dress Uniforms

**February 23** Reconciliation, Grades 2-8, 10am

**February 27** Skating Party, 5-7 *There will not be a bake sale at the skating party.* 

March 1 Mass, 9am Full Dress Uniforms

Contracts are due.

#### March 2

*Uniform Exchange Sale,* Gym 9am-noon

March 4-8 Lenten Food Drive for Parish Food Bank

March 7 Mass, 9am Full Dress Uniforms

March 8 No School—Archdiocesan Teacher CIC Retreat Day

#### March 14 Noon Dismissal Afternoon Conferences



"If God is the center of your life, no words are necessary. Your mere presence will touch hearts."

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February 22, 2024

Dear Families,

Pray. Fast. Give. Lent continues. Students in grades 2-8 have the opportunity for reconciliation tomorrow. If you haven't been to reconciliation for a while, Lent is a great time to share the importance of this sacrament with your child. I love the way a child described this sacrament to me a few years ago. She said, "Reconciliation allows you to get the 'ickies' out of your heart so you can be closer to Jesus."



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#### State of the School Meeting

- It was wonderful to see so many of you at the State of the School Meeting last Thursday. We appreciated the thoughtful, inspirational insights shared by our speakers. Thank you to the School Commission members for preparing for this meeting.
- Contracts were generated last Friday. You should have received an email inviting you to complete your contract. If you have more than one child, there is a contract for each child. Please complete the contract(s) by March 1st.

#### Lenten Food Drive

We are planning a Lenten Food Drive for the parish food bank. Look for a list of needed items soon. Thanks for supporting our parish community.

#### **Accreditation**

- We received positive feedback from the Site Visiting Team at the end of their visit on Friday. I will share their findings with you after the School Commission meeting in March.
- Thank you to the parents who brought food for the Site Visiting Team.

# Green and Gold Gala Oral Auction, March 16th

- Did you turn in your reservation for the Gala?
- Procurements are due! If you don't have the physical item, you can turn in the procurement form.

# Conferences, March 14

These conferences are by teacher request only. You will receive a notice in the weekly envelope if the teacher is requesting a conference.

#### **Spring Fling**

St. Vincent de Paul School's Social Committee is currently planning our Second Annual Spring Fling for **Friday**, **April 26th**! We are looking for volunteers to help us set up for Spring Fling, help with various activities during the event, and clean up the next day. Please reach out to Franki at <u>frankiaquino10@gmail.com</u> or use the QR code below if you are interested in volunteering!

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

Wanda

