



# St. Vincent de Paul School

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## What's happening?

January 26, 2023

3rd Week in Ordinary Time

### January 27

Mass. 9am

### January 28-29

Catholic Schools Week begins!  
Students lector at all weekend Masses.

January 29—Open House, 10-11am

### January 31

Rosary, 10:45

Open House, 7-8pm

### February 1

Visitor Lunch

11:30 Students with last names A-H

12:00 Students with last names I-P

12:30 Students with last names Q-Z

### February 2

Family Read-in, 7-8pm

### February 3

Mass, 9am

Tailgate Lunch

Assembly 2 pm

### February 9

Mass, 9am

International Night

### February 10

No School—Teacher In-service Day

Dear Families,

### Partners in the Gospel

Partners in the Gospel is a strategic pastoral planning effort taking place across the Archdiocese of Seattle to re-invigorate and renew our local Catholic Church. I hope you had a chance to take a look at the video message from Archbishop Etienne regarding this effort to re-envision of parish life in our Archdiocese. Bishop Schuster also spoke about the plan in his homily on Sunday. You can listen to his homily in the recording of the 11am Mass on the parish Facebook page or website. Please pray for everyone in our Archdiocese as we embark on this adventure. May the Holy Spirit guide us along the way.



### Catholic Schools Week

We are ready for Catholic Schools Week. We kick off CSW this weekend by having some of our seventh and eighth graders lector at the weekend masses. Visitor Lunch guests will meet students in the lunchroom at their assigned lunch times. Please be sure your child knows if a visitor will be meeting him/her in the lunchroom for lunch on Wednesday. Don't forget the Open House post cards for prospective families.



### Siblings for 2023-2024

Please check our siblings list for next year. If we are missing your child, please call the office as soon as possible.

#### Kindergarten

Axel Thuku

Milliani Huynh

Bruce Yared

Ivan Balderas

James Brown

#### Prek

Samuel Birhan

#### PreSchool

Vi Brooks

Alexandria Nguyen

Joshua Dominic

Sienna Leong

Serena Pascua

#### 7th grade

Raphel Ndungu

#### 5th grade

Jamie Lee

### Arriving on Time

We had more students arriving on time this week. Thank you for helping your child start off the day by being on time.

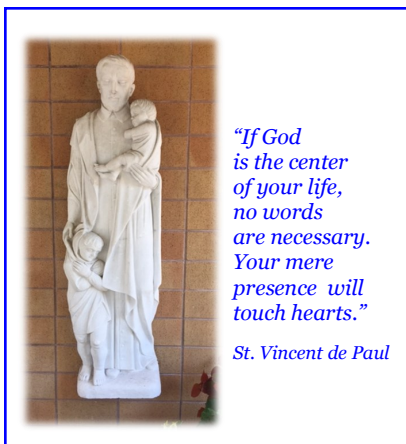
### Good Neighbors

We want to be good neighbors to the families living near our school. Please drive the speed limit and be careful as you exit the school driveways onto 8th Avenue.

St. Vincent de Paul, pray for us.

With my love and prayers,

Wanda



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

*St. Vincent de Paul*



### Catholic Schools Week Special Events Schedule!

- **Saturday and Sunday, January 28th and 29th**  
7/8th grade students will lector at all of the weekend Masses.  
Sunday, January 29th, Open House, 10-11am
- **Monday, January 30th**  
*School Appreciation Day*
- **Tuesday, January 31st**  
*Parish Appreciation Day*  
Rosary, 10:45  
Open House, 7-8 pm
- **Wednesday, February 1st**  
*Community Appreciation Day*  
**Bring a can of food for the parish food bank.**  
Visitor Lunch  
11:30 Students with last names A-H  
12:00 Students with last names I-P  
12:30 Students with last names Q-Z
- **Thursday, February 2nd**  
*Family Appreciation Day*  
Family Read-In, 7-8pm
- **Friday, February 3rd**  
*Student Appreciation Day*  
Mass, 9am  
Tailgate Lunch  
Spirit Assembly, 2pm

Note on Visitor Lunch-  
During the Visitor Lunch, each student eats lunch at the time listed depending on the first letter of his/her last name. Each student may invite a guest for lunch. The visitor may bring lunch for the student or the student may bring lunch for the visitor.

Note on Tailgate Lunch-  
The school will provide hot dogs/buns, chips, and dessert for all students. Families will be asked to send water bottles or drinks.

### Volunteers

#### Sunday, January 29th—Open House, 10-11am

Thanks to these parents who would love to be ambassadors for our school by greeting prospective families and showing them our school.

DJ and Theresa Korionoff  
Claudia Silva  
Magda LeDoux

Thanks to these parents for volunteering to serve coffee.

Robert and Jessica Ward  
Mary Calansingin-Callia  
Jennifer Giffel  
Nichelle Brown

#### Wednesday, February 1st-Visitor Lunch Day, 8:30-10:30

Thanks to these parents for volunteering to help set-up and decorate the lunchroom.

Roxanna Brambila  
Silvia Bautista  
Jessica Ward  
Magda LeDoux

#### Friday, February 3rd

Thanks to these parents for volunteering to shop for the lunch supplies prior to Feb. 3rd.

Jaline Fadul  
Jennifer Giffel

Thanks to these parents for volunteering to heat up the hot dogs, help serve the lunch, and clean up from 10:30-1:30.

Roxanna Brambila  
Silvia Bautista  
Claudia Silva  
Daniel Echave