



St. Vincent de Paul School

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What's happening?

May 16

Mass, 9am
Full Dress Uniforms

May 20

St. Vincent School Sweatshirt/t-shirt
and Jeans Day
Blue jeans with no holes.

May 20 & 21

MAP Testing for grades 2-8

May 23

Mass, 9am
Full Dress Uniforms

May 26

No School—Memorial Day

May 27-30

\$35/family Free Dress Week
Purchase your Family Free Dress
Week prior to May 27th.

May 29

Student led Rosary, 10:45am

May 30

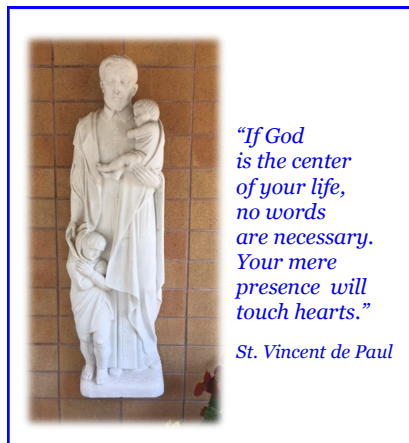
Mass, 9am
St. Vincent School Band Concert
2pm

June 2

8th Grade Day

June 5

Graduation Day
No School for preschool-grade 6.



May 15, 2025

Dear Families,

The Relay for Life is this Saturday at Mt. Tahoma High School in Tacoma. Our St. Vincent table will be set up from noon-5pm. We hope you can join our team and help us raise money for the American Cancer Society and cancer research. Your child can also participate in the classroom competitions that we organized this year.



Help Needed

- 3-4 adult volunteers to help set up the lunch room for the graduation breakfast on Wednesday, June 4 from 2:30-4pm.
- 2 adult volunteers to help with the graduation breakfast on Thursday, June 5 from 8-1pm.
- 4-5 volunteers to help with the Graduation Reception on Thursday, June 5 from 8-10pm.

If you can help with any of these volunteer opportunities, let me know.

Family Free Dress Week

If you would like to purchase the Family Free Dress Week, please do so prior to May 27th. The cost is \$35 per family.

Graduation Day

- Graduation Day is June 5th. There is no school for students in preschool to grade 6 that day. The 7th and 8th graders will come to school at their regular time. 7th graders come to school in full-dress uniforms.
- The Graduation Mass is at 7pm and all are welcome to attend.

THANK YOU!

A big thank you to all of our parents for making last week so special for our teachers. The teacher appreciation sign was uplifting each morning. The treats were yummy and delicious. We were definitely feeling the love!

MAP Testing

Students in grades 2-8 will take the MAP test on May 20 & 21. Please be sure your child is rested and has a nutritious breakfast and snack on these days.

The Easter Season continues....

Even though we continue to pray for our beloved Pope Francis, we celebrate the gift of our new Pope, Pope Leo XIV, during this liturgical season of hope and new life. It was wonderful that the entire school was able to see the white smoke, watch the announcement of Pope Leo, and pray for him. This was a great moment to be in a Catholic school and one our students and teachers will hold in their hearts forever.

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

Wanda

School Commission – Meeting Highlights

When: May 1, 2025, at 7:00pm

Where: St. Vincent DePaul school

School Commission New Member procedures – Formal procedures and guidelines for evaluating new members are currently being developed. Once they are reviewed and finalized, the commission will share them during the upcoming school year.

Multicultural Committee

Parents Nichelle and Byron Brown, along with Mrs. Stewart, currently form the multicultural committee. An overview of the committee's purpose was presented at the Parents Association meeting. Parents interested in joining, please contact Mrs. Stewart.

Principal Report

Share current events and happenings at school

- A busy month in May with the following events:
 - * May Crowning, Spirit Week, Staff Appreciation Week, 1st Communion, 8th grade retreat, 6th grade camp, and 8th grade rosary.
 - * MAP testing on 5/20-5/21 for students grades 2-8th
- June events:
 - * 7/8th grade dance, and 8th grade graduation mass on 6/5 at 7pm.

Next School Commission Meeting: June 12, 2025, at 7:00pm.

◇ *A full copy of the commission minutes is available upon request at the school office.*