



## St. Vincent de Paul School

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### *What's happening?*

**November 14**

**Operation Christmas Child  
Shoebboxes are due.**

**November 18**

High School Application Process  
Meeting for Parents of 8th Grade  
Students

7pm, School

**Note Date Change**

Operation Christmas Child  
Shoebox Collection Assembly  
9am

**November 19**

Grades 5 and 6  
Thanksgiving Feast  
Parish Hall

Grades 7 and 8

Thanksgiving Feast  
South Narthex

**November 20**

Parents Association Meeting 7pm  
Social Time 6:30

Thanksgiving Prayer Service, 2:15

November 13, 2025

**32nd Week in Ordinary Time**

Dear Families,

We honored 23 veterans during our Veterans Day Assembly on Monday. Tech Sargent Lewkowicz, father of Grace in second grade, talked to students and taught us how to salute so we could salute the attending veterans. Mr. Bowman shared information about his great grandfather who served in World War II. Students received a small American flag as they left the gym. Thank you to Mr. Gambill and Ms. Colby for preparing the assembly for us.

### **Meeting for Parents of 8th Grade Students, Date Changed to November 18th**

I will have a meeting for parents of 8th grade students on **November 18th** to review the high school application process. Please plan to attend this meeting. We will cover what St. Vincent's is responsible for and what the student and parent are responsible for in this process.

### **Important Information Regarding Financial Aid for Next Year, 2026-27**

- ***If you think you may need financial assistance for tuition next year, you must apply for a Fulcrum Tuition Assistance Grant (TAP Grant).*** The application window closes December 15th. Any financial requests from our school are only granted to families who apply for the TAP Grants. Apply today, please do not put this off.
- To apply: Go to [FulcrumFoundation.org](http://FulcrumFoundation.org), click on Grants & Programs, then Supporting Students. Scroll down to Tuition Assistance Grants (TAP Grants) and apply.

### **Playground Improvements**

A parishioner has indicated that she would like to fund some improvements to our playground. If you have any suggestions for improvements or additions to our play area, please let me know.

### **St. Vincent School Sweatshirt and Jeans Day**

- It seems we need a little clarification on this dress day. If a student has a St. Vincent School Sweatshirt or T-shirt (does not include camp or CYO sweatshirt or t-shirts), he/she may wear it with blue jeans on our Tuesday St. Vincent School Sweatshirt/T-shirt and Jeans Day.
- We do not wear our white polos and school sweaters with blue jeans on this day.
- If your child does not have a St. Vincent sweatshirt or t-shirt, then he/she needs to wear his/her regular uniform. If your child does not have blue jeans, then he/she needs to wear his/her regular uniform.
- If you have any questions, please let me know.

### **Uniform Reminder**

Even though the weather is getting cooler, students still need to wear their uniform shoes (sport shoes or tennis shoes that are black, white, gray, or a combination of those colors) during the school day. This means that if your child wears boots to school, he/she still needs to bring their regular shoes to wear during class. Thanks for helping with this.

### **Gym Monitor Needed**

If you are interested in a gym monitor position, please call me.

### **Conferences**

We do not have regular school on the upcoming conference days this month. Please bring your child to your scheduled student/parent/teacher conference.

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

*Wanda*

