



What's happening?

November 3, 2022

31st Week in Ordinary Time

November 3

School Commission, 7pm

Dear Families,

November 8

St. Vincent School Sweatshirt and Jeans Day

In Sunday's Gospel reading Jesus said, "Zacchaeus, come down quickly, for today I must stay at your house." I wonder how I would feel if Jesus said he wanted to come to our house? Is Jesus calling to you, to me? Is he calling us to be disciples, to be saints? I am grateful for all of the saints who have gone before me and for all of the saints in-the-making in my life today, especially the 250 little ones I see each day here at St. Vincent's.



November 10

Mass, 9am

November 11

No School—Veterans Day

Dia de los Muertos

A big thank you to Mrs. Colby-Sanchez and Mr. Donovan and all of the parents who helped set up the altars for Dia de los Muertos! This was a wonderful learning experience for our students.

November 14-18

St. Vincent de Paul School Thanksgiving Food Drive

Trunk or Treat

A big thank you to Frank Aquino and Jenn Emil and all of the parents who helped with the Trunk or Treat! What a fun event!

November 21-23

Student, Teacher, Parent Conferences

Fulcrum Foundation Tuition Assistance Grants

Several more families have applied for a grant for 2023-24! The grant application window is open for Fulcrum Tuition Assistance Grants and will close in December for St. Vincent's so please apply now. ***Tuition assistance for next year will only be considered for families who have applied for the Fulcrum Tuition Assistance.*** Be sure to fully complete the application as incomplete applications will not be considered.

Birthday Book Sale and Scholastic Book Sale

Go to fulcrumfoundation.org. Click on Grants and Programs, then click on Supporting Students, scroll down to Tuition Assistance Grants (TAP Grants), and click apply.

No Regular School on Conference Days

November 28

1st Week of Advent

Parent Survey

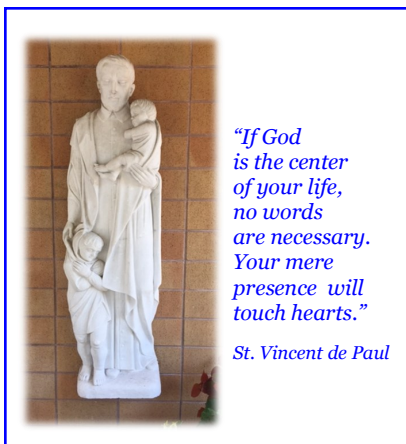
Thank you for completing the Parent Survey for our accreditation process. If you haven't done this yet, please do it as soon as possible. We are extending the window through Friday. Here is the link. <https://forms.gle/A7mRnH1SrJhFoBtx8>

November 29

Amelia Mancuso will be our Student Principal for the Day!

Student, Teacher, Parent Conferences

Conference schedules went out last week. Please be sure to mark your calendar so you don't miss your child's conference. Just a reminder, there is no regular school on conferences days, November 21-23.



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

St. Vincent de Paul

Grandparents Tea

We will be hosting a Grandparents Tea on December 15th following the Christmas Concert Dress Rehearsal, If you have grandparents who would like to attend the Tea, please be sure we have their names by November 21st. We will mail an invitation to the grandparents so they can rsvp. If you need to rsvp for the grandparents, please do so. *It's important for us to know which grandparents are attending so we can plan our table seating and prepare the children who will be attending the Tea.*

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Grandparents Tea

Please send an invitation to the following grandparents (please print):

Grandchild's Name _____

Name _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip code _____

Grandchild's Name _____

Name _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip code _____

CYO/Gym Activity Center Guidelines

With CYO practices starting, this is a good time to remind everyone of the Activity Center Guidelines. Please review these with your child. Thanks.

Activity Center—Guidelines for Users

No one, coaches or players, may enter the gym until the supervisor is present.

Parents should not drop off players for practice or games until their coach is present.

Only team members and coaches may be on the floor during practice times.

All spectators during practice will sit on the stage area.

Children who are not practicing with their team must be accompanied by their parents.

Children may not be in the classrooms behind the stage during practices.

The supervisor has final authority during any scheduled use of the Activity Center.

Thanksgiving Food Drive

Our Thanksgiving Food Drive is the week of November 14-18. All of the food items we collect will go to the parish St. Vincent de Paul Society's Food Bank. These items will help fill the holiday baskets for families in our community.



Stewardship Pledge Cards

If you are a St. Vincent de Paul parishioner, please return your Stewardship Pledge Card for 2023 as soon as possible. Let's show Bishop Schuster that our school community has a strong commitment to the parish by returning our pledges this week.

Book Fair and Birthday Book Sale

The book fair is quickly approaching! Be sure to be on the lookout for a book fair flyer coming home in your communication folders. These flyers will give you an idea which books will be available during the book fair. There is a flyer for middle grade books and one for primary grades; you may get one or both of these flyers. If you have any questions before the book fair starts, you can email Ms. Haines at ahaines@stvs.us.

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

Wanda