



St. Vincent de Paul School

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What's happening?

September 23
Seahawks Blue Day

September 24
Taste of Federal Way
11:30am-2pm

September 24-25
Celebrating the Feast of St. Vincent de Paul at weekend Masses

September 26
Virtus Safe Environment Training for Volunteers, 6:30, Be sure to register for this Zoom meeting.

September 27
Mass at Gethsemane Cemetery, 7pm

September 30
Mass, 9am

October 1
Blessing of Animals, 2 pm

October 5
Grapevine and Sacramental Preparation Classes Start

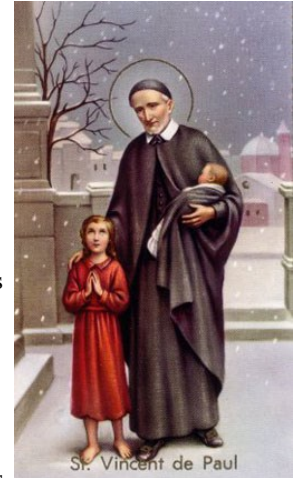
October 6
School Commission, 7pm

September 22, 2022

25th Week in Ordinary Time

Dear Families,

This weekend our parish celebrates our patron saint, St. Vincent de Paul. Please join our parish at each Mass in collecting food for the St. Vincent de Paul Society's Food Bank. This food supports families in our community. Our students will help move the food from the church to the food bank on Monday morning. There will be a special Mass on Tuesday, September 27th, at Gethsemane Cemetery. Students decorated luminary bags that will be placed on the graves of St. Vincent parishioners who are buried there. St. Vincent de Paul, pray for us.



First Reconciliation and First Communion—If your child is in second grade or needs a sacramental catch-up program, please register your child for the parish sacramental programs for First Reconciliation and First Communion as classes start this fall. If you need a registration form, please contact the parish or school office.

Confirmation—Last year following the directive of the Archdiocese our parish moved Confirmation to 7th grade. Because of this the Confirmation program is open to all 6-12th graders. We will meet on Wednesday evenings starting on October 5th from 6:30pm to 8pm. We would love to have your family be a part of our program. To register or ask questions please contact Katie Goodson at 253-839-2320 ext 205 or kgoodson@stvincentparish.org.

Extended Care—We really need volunteers or a part-time employee to help with the afternoon extended care. Hours are Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday from 3-6 and on Wednesdays 2-6. If Miss Julie is ill or needs an afternoon off, one of the faculty/staff has to cover the extended care children and this makes for a long day. Contact me if you are interested in helping or in the part-time position.

Charleston Wrap Fundraiser—This fundraiser has started! Everything is ordered online and shipped directly to the person ordering so share the information with family and friends. The order deadline is October 15th. You receive 40% fundraising credit on most items.

Fred Meyer—Please link your Fred Meyer Rewards Card to St. Vincent de Paul School. You receive your rewards and each quarter throughout the year, Kroeger sends us a check for a percentage of purchases. We received \$380 for the last quarter. Thank you!

Attendance—When you child is ill, please email attendance@stvs.us to let us know. Teachers don't always have time to check emails before school begins. Thank you.

I will be at the Principals Retreat when you read this weekly note. Please keep me your prayers as I will be praying for all of you, the children, and the faculty/staff.

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

Wanda

