



St. Vincent de Paul School

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What's happening?

September 8

Parents Association Meeting, 7pm
Parish Hall

September 9

Welcome Assembly, 2:00pm

September 12

Seahawks Blue Day
Wear your favorite sports team gear.

September 13

Individual Picture Day
Full dress uniforms needed.

September 15

Back-to-School Night, 7pm

September 16

Mass, 9am
Sweatshirt/t-shirts orders are due.

September 24-25

Celebrating the Feast of St. Vincent de Paul at weekend Masses

September 26

Virtus Safe Environment Training for Volunteers, 6:30 Zoom

September 8, 2022

Dear Families,

St. Vincent's has been through the accreditation process three times. This year we are starting to work on our fourth accreditation. This process helps us take a look at our school to see what we are

doing well and where we can make improvements. Schools in the Archdiocese of Seattle use the National Catholic Education Association's National Standards and Benchmarks for Effective Catholic Elementary and Secondary Schools as the guide to our work and self-assessment. As we move through the fall, we will be seeking your feedback on various aspects of our school such as reviewing our mission statement. Look for more on this and in my weekly note and at our Parent Meetings.

Uniform Guidelines—Thank you for following the uniform guidelines. Our students look awesome! We still need a little help with shoes! When your child is getting ready in the morning, please check their shoes. Shoes should be black, white, or gray, or a combination of those colors. Laces need to match. Students can wear those colorful shoes/laces on non-uniform days.

Afternoon Extended Care—We 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. Contact me if you are interested.

Charleston Wrap Fundraiser—This fundraiser is starting today. Look for the information packet in the envelope. 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. **Since our 6th graders will be attending the outdoor school this year, parents of 6th graders may want to use this fundraiser to help offset the camp fee.**

Penny's Park Team—This is a volunteer opportunity that you can do on the weekends. We assign one or two families per week each month to pick up trash on Penny's Park, rake the play chips as needed, and blow off the driveway and walkway. So far, we only have one family signed up. Contact me if interested.

It is fun to greet the children each morning! Parents, you are doing a great job driving in the carpool and arriving on time!

St. Vincent de Paul, pray for us.

With my love and prayers,

Wanda

23rd Week in Ordinary Time

St. Vincent de Paul School Mission Statement

We are a faith-filled Catholic school that promotes academic achievement and spiritual development for our students and families. This is reflected through worship, learning, support of each other, and service to the community.

