



St. Vincent de Paul School

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What's happening?

September 21, 2023

September 19

Back-to-School Night, 7pm
This evening is for parents of students in Prek-Grade 8.

September 20

Jr. High Select Choir sings the national anthem at the Rainiers game.

September 22

Mass, 9am
Full Dress Uniforms

September 23

Parish Beautification Day, 9-2
Taste of Federal Way

September 27

Feast of St. Vincent de Paul
Mass, 9am, Full Dress Uniforms
Bring a can of food.

September 29

Faith Families Family Reunion

October 5

School Commission, 7pm

October 6

Mass, 9am, Full Dress Uniforms

October 12

Mass, 9am, Full Dress Uniforms
All School Read-in, 7pm, gym

October 13

No School
Archdiocesan Teacher Retreat Day



Dear Families,

Next week, we celebrate the Feast of St. Vincent de Paul on September 27th. We are asking students to bring a can of food to add to the parish food drive in honor of our patron saint, St. Vincent. Students will take the can of food to Mass as our gifts at the offertory. St. Vincent tried to help others, especially the poor and marginalized. We are encouraged to do the same. The parish food drive is September 30th and October 1st. Let's fill our parish food bank!

MAP Testing

We will be finishing up the MAP Testing next week for students in grades 2-8. Your child's testing schedule should be in his/her planner. Please be sure your child gets a good night's rest and has a nutritious breakfast and snacks. Results will be shared along with report cards at the end of the first trimester.

Carpool

The morning and afternoon carpools are moving along smoothly. It would be helpful if a few more cars could come between 8:10-8:20. This way all of the children will be in the building prior to classes starting at 8:30. Thanks so much for your cooperation with this.

Sacraments and Adult Faith Opportunities

Be sure to register your child for any needed sacramental programs. Please note the parish opportunities for adult faith formation and experiences, such as Eucharistic Adoration, praying a novena to St. Vincent (started on Sept. 18 and ending Sept. 27, but you can start now), Eucharistic Revival, Bible Study, and more. Check the parish newsletter and website for details.

Part-Time Opportunity

We need help during lunch/lunch recess from 11:30-1:30. Please contact me if you are interested in this paid part-time position.

Principals Retreat

By the time you are reading this, I will be at the Principals Retreat in Seabeck, Washington. During the retreat, principals are learning and experiencing the content we will share with our individual faculty/staff members during our local retreats in October. We also have an opportunity to share ideas and concerns principal-to-principal as well as some time to have fun together. Please keep me in your prayers today.

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

Wanda

24th Week in Ordinary Time

