



Celebrating Community

AT ALL SAINTS CATHOLIC SCHOOL

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Hot Lunch Orders Due 11:50 p.m. Wednesday

Support the Fund for All Saints

THE FUND FOR
ALL SAINTS
2019-2020



The 2019-2020 Fund for All Saints campaign is in full swing!

We are already receiving a strong response to our annual fund appeal.

Please take this moment to make a difference in the lives of our students and contribute to our annual fund. Imagine the possibilities if 100 percent of our families donate!

Science Night Is Wednesday

Science Night is coming to All Saints on Wednesday, October 9, from 6:30 to 8:00 p.m.

Come join us for a fun night of 10 hands-on science exhibits with your family! The interactive displays, provided by the Michigan Science Center, are designed for students and their parents to enjoy together

Please contact Glenn Tjahjadi at Glenny.t@gmail.com to volunteer. Thank you!



Scholastic Book Fair Starts Today

It's Scholastic Book Fair Week!

Families are invited to come by and shop Monday - Thursday, from 8:05- 11:30 a.m. and 12:00 - 3:30 p.m. We would also like to invite you to our Family Night on Wednesday from 4:30 - 6:30 p.m.

We can't wait for you to see all of awesome new books - there is something for every reading level and every interest! There is SNOW much to read at our book fair!

Just a reminder that you can set up an eWallet account as late as the morning of your child's scheduled book fair visit!

<https://bookfairs.scholastic.com/bookfairs/parent-how-it-works.html>

Growing Leaders in Mind, Body, and Spirit

In The Know

Monday, October 7-
Friday October 11
Scholastic Book Fair

Wednesday, October 9
Family Book Fair Night
4:30 to 6:30 p.m.

Wednesday, October 9
Science Night
6:30 to 8:00 p.m.

Wednesday, October 9
November Hot Lunch Orders Due
11:50 p.m.

Friday, October 11
Movie Night (2nd-4th Grades)
6:15 to 8:00 p.m.

Sunday, October 13
Holy Fire Middle School Event

RSVP Now for Donuts With Dads



All Saints is excited to offer a new community-building event for our families!

Students, along with their dad, grandpa, uncle, or special adult male figure, are invited to Donuts With Dad, which will be held in the Multipurpose Room from 7:15 to 7:50 a.m. Because of our school population size, we are hosting two sessions:

- If your last name begins with A-K, your day is Monday, October 14. RSVP at www.allsaintscs.com/DonutsAtoK.
- If your last name starts with L-Z, your day is Tuesday, October 15. RSVP at www.allsaintscs.com/DonutsLtoZ.

To be sure we will have plenty of donuts available, please RSVP by Friday, October 11. We look forward to seeing your family members at this event!

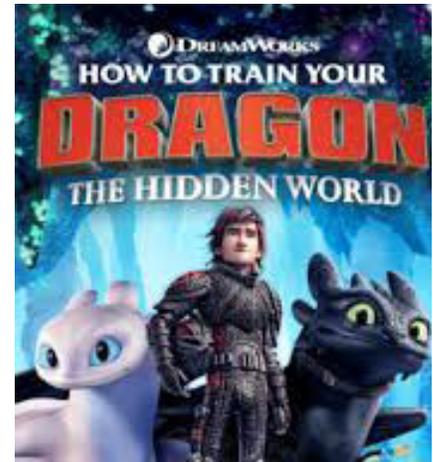
Movie Night for 2nd-4th

For students in grades 2-4 interested in movie night, we will be showing "How To Train Your Dragon: The Hidden World" on Friday, October 11.

Please purchase your tickets online by Wednesday, October 9 at www.allsaintscs.com/movie.

Each ticket is \$5, and includes admission, popcorn and a drink (lemonade, fruit punch or water are available); various candy will also be available for sale. Students can also bring a friend. Bring your blankets, or sit in a chair and enjoy a movie at school with your friends!

The movie starts at 6:15 p.m., with pickup promptly at 8:00 p.m.



Box Tops Contest Has Been Extended!

Our fall Box Tops competition has been extended! If you forgot to submit your Box Tops receipts, now is your chance to support All Saints!

Mrs. Clauss' homeroom is in the lead, with 540. Mrs. Detweiler's room is in second place, with 478. Mrs. Smith's homeroom is next with 355.

Who will win a class treat? Stay tuned for final totals. Friday, October 11 will be the final submission day.



October Virtue in Practice: Reverence

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Families Enjoy Pet Blessing



All Saints celebrated the feast of St. Francis of Assisi on October 4 with our annual Pet Blessing. Pastor Designate Fr. Paul Ballien, pastor of St. John Neumann, read a scripture passage and blessed the variety of dogs, cats, hamsters, rabbits, and other animals that our families brought for the occasion. Fr. Mark Livingston, the associate pastor of St. John Neumann, also was on hand to join in the celebration. Some of our teachers even brought their pets to receive a blessing!

New Student Council Officers Elected



Congratulations to our new All Saints Student Council Officers for the 2019-2020 school year: President Izzy Ahme, Vice President Maeve Skinner, Treasurer Lindsay Hermann, and Secretary Rylee Pankow. All Saints is proud of all of our student candidates who spoke just before the election. Congratulations to all of our nominees on their campaign efforts! Elections for homeroom representatives will take place today.

All Saints Parent Spirit Wear Is Now Available

All Saints Parent Spirit Wear is now available! Download the order form at the end of this newsletter to place your order. Payment can be turned in at the school office or through homerooms. To receive your shirt quickly, turn in your order by October 11.

RSVP for Hayride, Bonfire

On Friday, October 18, please join ASCS for a fun fall evening at Three Cedars Farm!

We will start the event with distributing wristbands (from our check-in table). Enjoy the barnyard play land, take a wagon hayride to the corn maze or continue to the bonfire, while joining ASCS families for cider and donuts. All of the fun starts at 6:00 p.m. and continues through the evening, so join us anytime from 6:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m.

Please order your tickets online at www.allsaintscs.com/events or send in the registration form and a check made payable to ASCS no later than Friday, October 11th. Tickets are \$10.00 per person (please pay in advance). The event is rain or shine. If you have any questions please contact Amy or Todd LaJoy at atlajoy07@gmail.com

Growing Leaders in Mind, Body, and Spirit

Classroom Happenings



Fourth graders participated in a DTE presentation about the Think! Energy Take Action program. The students learned about the importance of conserving natural resources, how electricity is created and conducted, and important safety tips when dealing with energy sources. Each student is receiving a kit from DTE to help families use energy more wisely.



Mrs. MacLellan's 2nd graders were learning about place values in math this week. They discovered a fun, tasty way to reinforce the lesson!



Third graders enjoyed a field trip on Friday to the Ann Arbor Creature Conservancy. The students had the opportunity to see and touch some of the animals they have been studying recently.

Join Us for Parents in Prayer on Fridays

Just a reminder that Parents in Prayer will be held on Fridays from 8:00-8:30 a.m. in the chapel. Parents in Prayer is an opportunity to pray in the chapel for your child's homeroom intentions. We are hoping each family will sign up for at least one prayer session this year. To sign up, follow the link for your child's homeroom.

Parents and grandparents, older siblings, or other relatives are welcome to act as representatives of the family. Someone will be in the chapel to guide you. Each homeroom has a prayer basket of intentions. On Fridays, these baskets will be available in the chapel on the counter against the wall. The family member enters the chapel at 8:00 a.m. on the selected date, picks up their homeroom's basket of intentions, finds a seat near the altar, silently reads through the intentions and prays, then brings the basket(s) to the altar. Family members are encouraged to stay for the rosary run by one of our prayer leaders. The rosary runs from 8:15-8:30. Once finished, the basket is returned to the counter.

A few helpful hints:

Please remember to sign in/out of the office.

Each homeroom has its own signup link. Grandparents (or other relatives) may sign up if they have a SignUp Genius account. If not, parents can sign up for them and put the person's name(s) in the comment section. The SignUp Genius has only one slot per Friday, but if parents or grandparents want to come together, that is fine, too.

The SignUp Genius and the baskets are labeled with homeroom number and teacher, not grade, so parents should convey this information to relatives before they sign up and arrive at the chapel.

If you wish to sign up for more than one homeroom on the same day, you must sign up for each homeroom separately. Also, when entering the chapel, please take all of your prayer baskets to your seat.

A few homerooms have not received links yet. We expect these to go out this week.

Through your efforts, we hope to further enrich and grow our Catholic faith life at All Saints. Please contact Mrs. Jenkins at mjenkins@allsaintscs.com if you have questions about Parents in Prayer.

Fr. Maus Celebrates Mass



Fr. Maus of St. Thomas a' Becket celebrated our weekly school Mass on Tuesday, October 1.

During his homily, Father said that Jesus reminded his disciples that worldly emotions, such as hatred and hostility, are the opposite of Christian values.

Father also spoke about St. Therese of Lisieux, whose feast day the Church celebrates on October 1.

In the spirit of St. Therese's example, Father said that little acts of humility and kindness toward others can be a step toward eventually changing the world.

Low-Gluten Hosts

If your child is in need of receiving a low-gluten host for communion at Mass, please send in a note requesting it for your child.

Place your request in an envelope marked "Low-Gluten," and have your student bring it to the office.

Each week there is a separate, low-gluten-host-only station available to Mass attendees with low gluten needs.

By knowing of your child's needs ahead of time will allow for our sacristan to supply the correct number of hosts prior to Mass.

St. John Neumann's Confirmation Prep Details

All Catholic school 8th graders seeking Confirmation at St. John Neumann this coming spring and their parents are required to attend the Confirmation Requirements Meeting on Monday, October 14, at 7:15 p.m. at St. John Neumann.

PLEASE NOTE: Some families may have previously received a different date for this meeting. Due to scheduling conflicts, that date has been changed. This October 14 date is the correct updated time. Please contact Marie Veillette at (734) 455-5910 x 116 or mveillette@sjncanton.org with questions.

Growing Leaders in Mind, Body, and Spirit

Students Make Rosaries Together



To focus on the Rosary and the virtue of reverence during the month of October, 8th graders in Mrs. Roose's religion classes worked with 2nd graders to assemble Rosaries. Each pair of students was given a packet with beads and a long thread. The students worked together to string the correct number of beads to form the decades of the Rosary. The younger students are excited to begin using their new homemade Rosaries when praying!

Volunteer Opportunity for Families

Here is a volunteer opportunity for our All Saints families. The ASCS community will once again be volunteering at Open Door Ministries in Canton. Open Door Ministries is a local food pantry in our area. This service opportunity is open to all ages. You can sign up on October 10th from 4:00-6:00 p.m., or October 17th from 4:00-6:00 p.m. The address is 4301 South Lilley Road, Canton, 48188. Their website is www.opendoorfoodministry.org.

This service opportunity is open to 15 individuals. When signing up, please enter each person's name separately. Here is the Sign Up Genius: <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/8050D49A9A82DA4FD0-open>

Save the Date for Pumpkin Night

Join us on Tuesday, October 22, 2019, for our annual Pumpkin Night and carving! Check-in begins at 6:15 p.m., and the event will end at 8:00 p.m. Pumpkin Night is for students in preschool through 3rd grade. Watch for an RSVP form coming soon.



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(734) 459-2490 Office

(734) 459-6873 Attendance

**Fall Book Fair Classroom 2019 Signup
October 7th-11th**

Times	Monday (Oct. 7)	Tuesday (Oct. 8)	Wednesday (Oct. 9)	Thursday (Oct. 10)	Friday (Oct. 11)
8:30 - 9:00 A.M.	Mrs. Smith 5-3				Closes at 8:30 a
9:00- 9:30 A.M.		Mrs. Alban 202	Mrs. Whalen 208	Ms. Swiderek 113 PreK	
9:30-10:00 A.M.	Mrs. Swartz 101	MASS			
10:00-10:30 A.M.	Mrs. Smith 5-2	MASS	Mrs. Trower 102		
10:30-11:00 A.M.	Mrs. Detweiler 105	MASS	Mr. Facione 209		
11:00- 11:30 A.M. (PS+PreK A.M. with parents*)	Mrs. Button 104	Mr. Arnould 203	Mrs. MacLellan 107		
11:30 A.M.-12:30 P.M.	LUNCH	LUNCH	LUNCH	LUNCH	LUNCH
12:30-1:00 P.M.	Mrs. Smith 5-1				
1:00- 1:30 P.M.	Mrs. Railling 109	Mrs. Gibb/Mrs. Lopez 204			
1:30- 2:00 P.M.	Mrs. Kolpacke 103	Mrs. Simmons 112	Ms. Venditelli 106		
2:00-2:30 P.M.	Mrs. Christie 108				
FAMILY NIGHT is Wednesday,					
October 9th from 4:30-6:30 P.M.					
BOOK FAIR OPEN LATE on:					
*Monday & Thursday until 3:30 P.M. *					
* Mrs. Muncy's classes (111) and					
Mrs. Sowders classes (114)					
attend with parents at dismissal.*					

Join Us For All Saints' First Annual

DONUTS with DAD

MONDAY, OCTOBER 14TH
7:15AM - 7:50AM (A-K)

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 15TH
7:15AM - 7:50AM (L-Z)

All Saints Multipurpose Room

Kids are invited to bring Dad, Grandpa, Uncle
OR another Special Male Adult for this event!



Please RSVP by completing the
online form
(A-K) or (L-Z)
by October 11th

- RSVP at www.allsaintscs.com/DonutsAtoK
- RSVP at www.allsaintscs.com/DonutsLtoZ

EVENT SPONSORED BY ALL SAINTS CATHOLIC SCHOOL

SCIENCEPALOOZA

Family Science Night

Wed., Oct. 9th

6:30 – 8:00 PM

Grades K – 8 :: All Saints Gym

Come join us for
a fun night of

**exploring,
discovering and
appreciating**
the wonders of science!

Experience
**10 interactive,
hands-on
program**
with your family!

Want to volunteer? Have questions?
Contact Glenny at
Glenny.t@gmail.com

10
Activities!



All Saints Parent Shirt Order Form

T-Shirt or Quarter Zip Options

Colors: Navy With Graphite Logo



Parent Name: _____ Style: _____

Oldest Student _____
 Homeroom: _____

Sizing: WOMEN: XS S M L XL 2XI Total: \$
 MEN: S M L XL 2XL 3XL

**First Order
 Will Be Placed
 October 11**

Parent Signature: _____

Please make check payable to All Saints Catholic School or ASCS.

Style Choices



**Women's Quarter Zip
 lightweight active wear
 Mind, Body, Spirit Logo**

\$30.00

Sizes: XS S M L XL 2XL

**Men's Quarter Zip
 lightweight active wear
 Mind, Body, Spirit Logo**

\$30.00

Sizes: S M L XL 2XL 3XL



**All Saints Mom
 T-Shirt
 Athletic Logo**

\$15.00

Sizes: XS S M L XL 2XL

**All Saints Dad
 T-Shirt
 Athletic Logo**

\$15.00

Sizes: S M L XL 2XL 3XL



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ASCS Annual Hayride, Corn Maze and Bonfire RSVP Form

ASCS Families

Three Cedars Farm – 7897 Six Mile Road, Northville (248) 437-8200

Friday, October 18th

6:00pm to 9:00pm

\$10.00 per person (please pay in advance)

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Please send this registration form and a check made payable to ASCS no later than Friday, October 11th. If you have any questions please contact Amy or Todd LaJoy at atlajoy07@gmail.com.

Family Name: _____

Number of Tickets Needed: _____
(\$10.00 per person)

Total amount included with form: _____ (checks made payable to ASCS)

Virtues
in Practice

Faith ~ Hope ~ Charity

Virtues in Practice
Monthly Newsletter

October 2019



October's Virtue - *Reverence*

“When we have the virtue of **reverence**, we show in our words and actions that we have respect for anything that has to do with God - His Holy Name, the Blessed Virgin Mary and all the saints, the Holy Eucharist, and all the holy objects found in a church or that have been given a special blessing. We also show **reverence** for God when we show **reverence** for each other, **because we are all made in His image and likeness.**”

(Virtues in Practice)

Reverence and Sacred Scripture

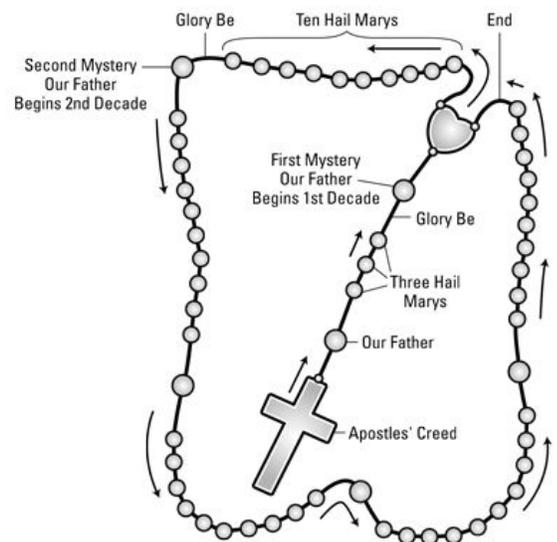
Therefore, we who are receiving the unshakable kingdom should have gratitude, with which we should offer worship pleasing to God in reverence and awe.

Hebrews 12:28

"The Rosary is a long chain that links heaven and earth. One end of it is in our hands and the other end is in the hands of the holy Virgin... The Rosary prayer rises like incense to the feet of the Almighty. Mary responds at once like a beneficial dew, bringing new life to human hearts."

-St. Therese of Lisieux

October is the **Month of the Rosary**. Reflect on the words of St. Therese of Lisieux and use the handy guide for help when praying the rosary.



Pre-K-2nd Grade

Prayer: *Act of Faith*

What is *Reverence*? *Showing your deepest respect for things of God*

Saint: *Saint Hyacinth (Feast Day: August 17)*

Question to ponder: *How do we show reverence for God and the things of God?*

Saint Hyacinth, you taught us that God will help us when we are acting out of reverence. Help us to show deep respect at all times, places, and people dedicated to God. Amen.

Saint Hyacinth, pray for us!



Painting from St. Hyacinth Basilica in Chicago.

3rd Grade - 5th Grade

Prayer: *Act of Faith*

What is *Reverence*? *Showing your deepest respect for things of God*

Saint: *Saint Tarcisus (Feast Day: August 15)*

Question to ponder: Why does it show reverence for God when we are reverent to people?

Saint Tarcisus, give us your attitude of reverence. Help us to defend all that is sacred, and to honor all that is holy. Amen.

Saint Tarcisus, pray for us!



Saint Tarcisus by Tracy L. Christianson

6th Grade-8th Grade

Prayer: *Act of Faith*

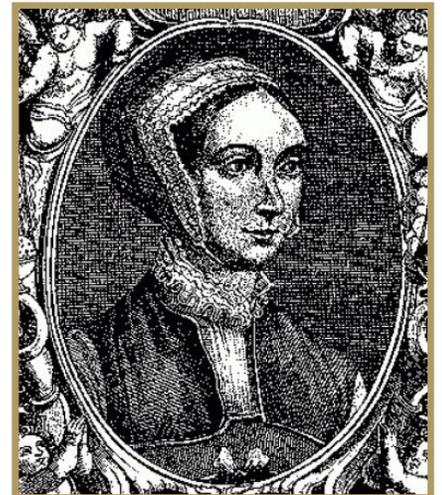
What is *Reverence*? *Showing your deepest respect for things of God*

Saint: *Saint Margaret Clitherow (Feast Day: March 26)*

Questions to ponder: Saint Margaret hid priests at the risk of her life and the safety of her family. Why do you think she risked so much?

Saint Margaret, help us to have a spirit of reverence, so that we may be witnesses of God's love and power. Help us, and help all those who live in countries where practicing Christian faith is forbidden. Help us to maintain a spirit of reverence in spite of social pressures and even persecutions. Give us the strength to glorify God, to help priests, and to offer a holy example to our families and friends in imitation of you. Amen.

Saint Margaret Clitherow, pray for us!



Engraved image of St. Margaret Clitherow

Monthly Home Project Suggestions – Reverence

For details on these and other suggestions, see the **Virtues in Practice Parent Guide** for the Year of Faith and the month of October. ([ASCS: Virtues in Practice](#))

All: Hang up a copy of the *Act of Faith* on the refrigerator. Pray the *Act of Faith* together as a family. (See the end of this newsletter for a large-print copy.)

Pre K-2nd Grade: As a family, take a tour of a church when it is empty. In a whisper, point out the statues, sanctuary, altar, tabernacle, sacristy, windows, etc. Practice showing reverence to Jesus in the Holy Eucharist by genuflecting facing the tabernacle.

3rd-5th Grade: Acknowledge the presence of Our Lord by making the *Sign of the Cross* whenever you pass a Catholic church this month.

6th-8th Grade: This month take time to really listen to those who speak with you. When they talk to you, don't multitask. Give each person your full attention. Do you notice a difference?

Reverence is showing your deepest respect for things of God.



2019-2020 Virtues Committee:

Amy Blanchette, Terese Gibb, Carol Pisarski, Jessica Railling, Amy Roose, Andrew Willing

For more information or for suggestions on monthly classroom activities/home projects please see: [Virtues in Practice](#) program website or contact a member of the 2019-2020 Virtues Committee. Also, for .pdf versions of ALL *Virtues in Practice* materials please see the [Catholic Identity](#) tab at [All Saints'](#) website.

What is a virtue?

A good habit is called a virtue. A bad habit is called a vice. Habits grow by practice. God always gives us the grace to choose and do what is good. If we think about what is right and open our hearts to God, we will make good choices and grow in virtue. Virtues make us free, happy, and holy. (*Virtues in Practice*, 2013)

As we progress through the school year, please pray the *Act of Faith* with your family. We are all working together to show children that God is first and foremost in our lives. The graces from this prayer are needed to open hearts, to guide leaders, and to beg the healing that only Our Lord can provide.

Act of Faith

O my God, I firmly believe
that You are one God in three divine Persons,
Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.

I believe that Your divine Son became man
and died for our sins and that He will come
to judge the living and the dead.

I believe these and all the truths
which the Holy Catholic Church teaches
because You have revealed them
Who can neither deceive nor be deceived.
Amen.