



Principal's Thoughts

All Saints Day is Tuesday, November 1st. This Feast Day reminds us to reflect on the lives of the saints, our models of faith and partners in Heaven. We pray the Litany of the Saints, singing the name of each to emphasize their importance. A common fallacy is that Catholics worship false Gods because they believe in and pray to saints. This can't be further from the truth! Just as we ask our friends on earth to pray for us, we also ask our friends in heaven to intercede on our behalf for our needs and to pray for us. We do not believe that the Saints themselves will do God's work. This belief is evident during the Penitential Rite near the beginning of Mass when we acknowledge our sinfulness in preparation to receive the Eucharist. One option during this Rite is to recite the Confiteor Prayer. This prayer ends with "therefore I ask blessed Mary ever-Virgin, all the Angels and Saints, and you, my brothers and sisters, to pray for me to the Lord our God." This communion of saints is an integral part of our faith and embraces who we are as the Church.

We are excited to celebrate our first schoolwide Mass of the year to give witness to these Saints. Our third grade class has been busy preparing for this liturgy and researching their saint in order to share this information with their classmates. The students will also come dressed as this saint and march into church while the song *When the Saints Go Marching* is sung. If you have not had a chance to attend this Mass, now is your chance!



- **Kids Club Charges Posted**
 - Charges for 9/16/22-10/14/22 have been posted to your FACTS account.
 - Fees are due November 1st.
- **FACTS Account Check Up**
 - Please check your accounts for any outstanding balances owed. All families have two separate accounts: Service Agreement (Tuition) & Service Billing (Incidental Fees.)
 - A \$35.00 late fee is assessed **every** month in each account for any outstanding monies owed.
 - When you access your account a payment plan and billing box appears. If you see red, you have a delinquent balance(s.)
 - If you click on the "View Details" in the top right hand corner, you will see all activity details. To the right of this section is a drop down menu for terms which lists the years you have had an account with FACTS and gives account information by year.
 - Thank you for your support.
- **New Spirit Items Available!**
 - Pre-order your YETI cooler or tumbler today! All orders must be in by November 11, 2022.
 - A Spirit Wear order form with the latest offerings has been included in your envelope. These orders are also due November 11th.

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PACE NEWS

- **Make Your Life Easier!**
 - Dine Out next Wednesday, November 2 at Panda Express from 10am-9pm!
 - A flyer with additional details and the code for online ordering can be found in your envelope today. You must show this flyer or use the code when ordering.
- **Make Your Holidays Sweet!**
 - The annual pie sale is underway and orders must be in by November 4th.
 - Pies will be delivered on Monday, November 14 during afternoon carline or until 6:00 during Kids Club.
 - Six flavors are offered! The order form has been posted on our website.
- **See You at Fall Fest THIS Friday, October 28th!**
 - If you haven't ordered your event bracelet or tickets there is still time! You will need this for the Haunted House, Trunk-o-Treating, carnival games, costume parade and the much loved cake walk!
 - A flyer with additional details along with an order form is posted on our website.

- **Directories Have Arrived!**
 - A Family Directory was sent home last week.
 - This Directory contains a class list and the contact information of the children in your child(ren)'s classes in order to arrange play dates, get homework help etc. Please do not use this resource for marketing purposes. We have a section in the back of the book, listing our sponsors. Please support and patronize the businesses our school families when you have the chance.
- **Holiday Boutique**
 - Catholic Daughters of Americas is inviting you to their holiday boutique Saturday, October 29th from 10am-4pm in Cauchi Hall.
 - A flyer has been posted on our website.

St. Agnes School Mission Statement

St. Agnes School, in partnership with the Catholic Schools in the Diocese of Oakland educate children in the Catholic faith and nurture their minds, bodies, and souls, inspiring them to live the Gospel of Jesus Christ, achieve their highest academic and creative potential, and actively serve and enrich the community.


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Weekly Student Learning Expectation:

3.1 A life-long learner who is able to use knowledge, skills, and strategies necessary to learn.

	IMPORTANT DATES AND EVENTS
10/27	• School Board Meeting 6:30 via Zoom
10/28	• Fall Fest
10/29	• Work Party 9-1
10/30	• 31 st Sunday of Ordinary Time Lk 19:1-10
10/31	• Happy Halloween!
11/1	• All Saints Day Mass: Holy Day of Obligation 9am (Mt. 5:1/12a)
11/2	• Minimum Day - 12:00 Dismissal • Dine Out @ Panda Express
11/3	• STAR Testing Begins Through November 10 th

Student Council Presents: Halloween Fun!

Orange & Black Non-Uniform Dress
Pumpkin Carving Contest-Bring
carved/decorated pumpkins to the Library.
Morning Class Parties
WAT Assembly 11:30
Rally 1:30
Trick-O'-Treating 2:15



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