



Principal's Thoughts

This past Sunday the Kinders and 8th grade students hosted our first Children's Liturgy of the year. The participation of school families from various grades was lovely to see! Fr. Luke is always so pleased to see you and your children at Mass. The energy level was high and a feeling of joy was clearly felt! Each year during the month of October, the ushers of the parishes are asked to count the number of parishioners in attendance at each Mass. This data as well financial information are indicators of the viability of the parish and ultimately the Diocese. It is Fr. Luke's hope that our numbers will reflect a trend of increasing weekly attendance. Bringing your family to Mass makes a huge impact. Please make every effort to attend Mass. Our next children's Mass will take place on October 20th so mark your calendars but more importantly, I hope you will plan to attend every Sunday.

"Without Christ, we are condemned to be dominated by the fatigue of daily life with all its worries and the fear of tomorrow. The Sunday encounter with the Lord gives us the strength to live today with confidence and courage and to move forward with hope." Pope Francis



- **Daycare Fees**
 - Daycare fees for August 19th - September 13th have been added to the FACTS accounts of the families using Kids Club this past month.
- **Last Chance!**
 - The Amen Golf Tournament is **THIS** coming Monday! Don't miss out on a day of fun in the sun with lunch and dinner included! All levels of talent are welcome!
 - Don't play golf? Please consider joining the group for dinner at the Dana Hills Cabana Club after the tournament. Children are welcome and eat free! Please make your reservations at: <https://fundraiser.bid/theamenopen>.
- **Mark your Calendars for September 24th**
 - A Sign-up Genius will be open to reserve a time for your Parent/Teacher conference.
 - Please click on your child's teacher's name and use this access code: 2425conferences.
 - This link will be available until October 2nd.
 - All families need to make an appointment for either October 9th or 10th.

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Wheel-a-thon News

Count Down: 9 DAYS LEFT!

- **Pledge on Pledgestar**
 - If you did not receive an email about signing up for your Pledgestar account, here is the link: <https://pledgestar.com/stagnes>. You can also view how much has been donated to your child's class!
- **WAT Packet has been posted on our website.**
 - **Please review the drop off and pickup procedures!**
 - Please have your child practice riding their bikes. Training wheels will only be allowed for grades K-2.
 - Make sure your child's helmet is labeled with their name.



- **October Dine Out**
 - Join us at Jacks Urban Eats on Wednesday, October 2nd from 4pm-8pm. St. Agnes School will receive 20% of your purchase.
 - You can eat in or order out!
- **Save the Date!**
 - PACE is thrilled to announce that the annual St. Agnes Auction will take place Saturday, March 22, 2025, at the Garaventa Center at Carondelet High School.
 - This year's theme, inspired by The Masters Tournament, is "An Auction Unlike Any Other." Get your green jackets ready!
- **Anyone Know How to Attach Tiles to a Wall?**
 - We are looking for someone in the construction business that is licensed and carries liability insurance, who can hang our latest addition to our tile wall.
 - Please contact Mrs. Lucia if you can help!

Weekly Schoolwide Learning Expectation: 2.1 A conscientious individual in a diverse society who is able to treat self and others with dignity and respect.

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TIME SENSITIVE

- **Scrip Statements**
 - Each trimester you will receive a statement showing your progress in reaching your goal of generating \$300 in profit by using scrip for your purchases.
 - Your statement that was sent home last week, reflects sales from May 1, 2024-September 8, 2024.
- **Nothing Bundt Cakes Reading Challenge**
 - Students will receive a free Bundlet for each month they read 400+ minutes!
 - A flyer with details and a reading log has been posted on our website. Enjoy!

Parish Events

- **Let's Go for a Walk!**
 - The St. Vincent de Paul Society will be hosting a Walk for the Poor on Saturday, September 21 at 9am here at St. Agnes
 - A flyer with details on how to register and/or make a donation can be found in our website.
- **Boutique Shopping**
 - You are cordially invited to shop at the Holiday Boutique on September 28th from 10am-4pm in Cauchi Hall. A flyer with details has been posted on our website.
 - Many vendors and crafts will be displayed to help you start your holiday shopping early!
- **Calling All Tea Drinkers**
 - Mark your calendars for Saturday, October 12 from 11:30am-2:00pm for the St. Agnes Women's Guild Anniversary Tea.
 - This will be a catered event by Sunrise Bistro.
 - Bring your decorating talents to life by decorating your table with the 60's in mind in honor of the 60th Anniversary of the parish.
 - A flyer to make your reservations is on our website. Please consider hosting a table with your daughter and her classmates! Deadline for reservations is October 1st.



We pray for those who have died and those who mourn their passing: The Jarin's paternal grandfather. May they feel God's presence and know our love.

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	IMPORTANT DATES AND EVENTS
9/20	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• 8:15 Mass – 7th Gr. Formal
9/21	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• 9am-1pm Work Party
9/22	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• 25th Sunday of Ordinary Time Mk9:30-37
9/23	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Amen Golf Tournament-Oakhurst
9/24	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Spirit T-Shirt Tuesday
9/26	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Rally 1:30pm• School Board Mtg. 6:30 Ministry Center
9/27	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• WAT!• Coffee Social• Minimum Day-12:00 Dismissal

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.