



## Principal's Thoughts

We love having the presence of the QuiNhon Missionary Sisters of the Holy Cross, Sister Maria Xuan and Sister Mary Anh, assisting in the first grade classroom. Both ladies have been a blessing to our school and the children love them! This past Sunday, Sr. Maria Xuan entered the Juniorate stage, a 5 year process to prepare for her perpetual vows. Sister is no longer a novitiate and will now wear a black veil. Please join us as we pray for Sister and her entire congregation.

### 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.**

### ***Wheel-a-Thon (WAT) September 26, 2026***

- *Permission slips are **due tomorrow**, September 18<sup>th</sup>. This document is mandatory for a student to participate. The form was sent home last week in your family envelope and has been posted on our website.*
- *The \$5.00 snack and supply donation is due tomorrow, 9/18.*
- *Create your Pledgestar account for any donations your child receives. Children electing not to ride can still secure pledges for cheering on their classmates. Please remember ALL students benefit from this event that is the only way we fund class field trips.*



### • **Little Vinnie's Helpers Unite!**

- The Little Vinnies Ministry kick-off meeting will be held tomorrow, September 18<sup>th</sup> from 3:15-4:15 in the Ministry Center.
- Junior High students are welcome to join!

**Schoolwide Learning Expectation 1.5:** *A faith-centered person living the Gospel message who is able to practice forgiveness.*

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### TIME SENSITIVE

- **Altar Server Ministry Training**

- Calling all children in grades 3 and above who have received the Sacraments of Eucharist and Reconciliation to consider becoming an altar server.
- Several dates to attend a training have been scheduled for your convenience: October 11, 18 or 25. Once trained students will shadow more experienced Servers during Sunday Mass and school liturgies.
- A flyer has been posted on our website.

- **First Children's Liturgy of the Year**

- The 8<sup>th</sup> grade and Kinder students will be hosting the first children's liturgy of the year on Sunday, September 21<sup>st</sup> at 9am. We encourage as many students as possible in ALL grades to attend. **A non-uniform dress pass will be given to all students in attendance**



- **We Need You**

- Our events cannot take place without you. We are still in need of the following chair people: Mother Son Co-Chair and Reindeer Lane Chair. Please consider giving of your time to ensure we can have these much loved opportunities for our students.

### *Parish News*

#### **St. Vincent de Paul Friends of the Poor Walk**

- Please join us for our annual Walk for the Poor on Saturday 27<sup>th</sup> at 9am.
- A flyer with additional details and how to register has been included in your family envelope today.
- Help us to help others!

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### **Virtue**


*Virtues are dispositions and habits that guide your decision making and action steps to the positive. Through virtues, God gives us the grace to live as we should and to be charitable with all mankind.*

**Weekly Virtue: Docility** (related to the Virtue of Prudence)

**Definition:** Willingness to learn from other people; receptivity and flexibility.

**Prayer:** Dear Jesus, You are my teacher in every situation. Before acting on important matters, please give me the humility to seek Your wisdom and the wisdom of others, in order to make the best decision.

**Looks Like:** *Listening to and thinking about another person's ideas. Taking correction peacefully.*

	IMPORTANT DATES AND EVENTS
9/18	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• WAT forms and \$5.00 donation due</li><li>• Scrip Sold 9-11am</li><li>• Little Vinnies Meeting 3:15pm – Ministry Center</li></ul>
9/19	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• 8:15 Mass 6<sup>th</sup> Gr. Formal</li><li>• Scrip Sold 9-11am</li></ul>
9/20	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Work Party 9am-1pm</li></ul>
9/21	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• 25<sup>TH</sup> Sunday of Ordinary Time</li><li>• Children's Liturgy 9am – Hosted by the Kinders and 8<sup>th</sup> grade students</li></ul>