



## Principal's Thoughts

Welcome back! I hope you enjoyed the Easter break and a change in routine. We are now entering the final stretch which tends to be one of the busiest times of the school year, there is still so much to learn and so many activities to attend! April is a bittersweet time for me as the renewal of teacher contracts and planning for the next school year takes place. I always wait with great anticipation to see if all contracts are returned. Alas, the paperwork is in and we will need to bid farewell to three very important people of our community: who have decided to retire: Mrs. Cesca, Ms. Papetti and Mrs. Wright. Collectively these women, each with their own expertise, have served St. Agnes School for over seventy years! Mrs. Cesca is looking forward to traveling with her husband, Ms. Papetti is moving to be closer to her children and Mrs. Wright will continue to use her talents serving on the liturgy/environment committee for St. Agnes Church. We are indebted to each of them for their dedication in serving our children and teaching them so many valuable lessons. They will be dearly missed but we are excited for them as they begin this next chapter in their lives. We will celebrate these wonderful ladies at our end of the year prayer service in June. Now we need to pray that qualified applicants come knocking on our door.

### *Education in Virtue*

#### ***Weekly Virtue: Prayerfulness***

***Definition:*** Being still, listening, and being willing to talk to God as a friend.

***Prayer:*** Dear Jesus, I desire to have You as my best friend. Give me a desire to spend time with You each day, as I do with my friends. Help me always to put You first in my life, even when I am busy.

***Looks Like:*** Maintaining a spirit of stillness with your body, mind, and heart while praying.

*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.*

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**He has risen! Alleluia!**

## Newsletter-4/15/26



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- **Don't Forget!!**
  - Next Wednesday, April 22<sup>nd</sup> our Mandatory Parent Meeting is scheduled for 7pm in the Church. At least one parent from each family needs to be in attendance.
  - Please help us welcome our new families for the 2026-2027 school year and hear the latest financial, testing and accreditation news for St. Agnes School.
- **Tracy Timms Open**
  - See you this Saturday at 10am for a spectacular day of golf and celebration!
  - Questions? See the flyer on our website or contact Chris Lynch: Cflynch42@gmail.com
- **2026 Concord Police Bike Rodeo 5/2**
  - Join Concord PD for a skills course, raffle, free bike repair and new bike give aways!
  - See the flyer on our website for registration details and additional information.



- **Open PACE Positions-Last Chance**
  - Various positions are open if you are interested in joining the Board. This is a lovely group of people that do VERY important work for our school. **Today is the last day to apply.**
  - Here is the link:  
[https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLScSrCfDJ8yBXo9QemogCCNvSnF8D3-UBJkgH\\_jwFWChMyaHsg/viewform?usp=header](https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLScSrCfDJ8yBXo9QemogCCNvSnF8D3-UBJkgH_jwFWChMyaHsg/viewform?usp=header)
- **Denim & Diamonds**
  - Dads and daughters, gather your boots and get ready to dance!
  - Tickets are now on sale for the Father/Daughter Dance scheduled for Saturday, April 25 from 6pm-9pm.
  - A flyer with details and the QR code to purchase tickets has been posted on the website.
- **Mother/Son Bingo Event**
  - Moms, bring your special young man to Cauchi Hall on April 24<sup>th</sup> for a fun night of Bingo, snacks and tons of fun!
  - Please see the flyer, posted on our website to order your tickets using the QR code.

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*Schoolwide Learning Expectation 4.1: An effective communicator who is able to listen actively to others.*

	IMPORTANT DATES AND EVENTS
4/15	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• 7<sup>th</sup> Grade Day at Carondelet and De La Salle</li></ul>
4/16	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Scrip Sold 9-11am</li><li>• Egg My Yard Non-Uniform Dress Day</li></ul>
4/17	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• 8:15am Mass (5<sup>th</sup> Gr. Formal)</li><li>• Scrip Sold 9-11am</li></ul>
4/18	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Work Party 9am-1pm</li><li>• Tracy Timms Golf Open 10am Bridges Golf Course</li></ul>
4/19	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Children's Liturgy 9am-3<sup>rd</sup> Gr. Hosts</li><li>• 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday of Lent</li></ul>
4/20	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Last Day for Auction Dress Week</li></ul>
4/21	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Spirit T-Shirt Tuesday</li></ul>
4/22	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Mandatory Parent Meeting 7pm</li></ul>

### 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.