# PPENINGS



### **CONGRATULATIONS TO** OUR STUDENTS OF THE WEEK!

(For week of Oct. 17, 2022 - Oct. 21, 2022)

Dilynn Hernandez Gr. K, was recognized for always following directions and keeping a "calm body" in class. She is always ready to learn and participate in class discussions. Take a bow for such awesome work Dilynn!

Kristine Carrera, Gr. 3, was recognized for working hard this trimester and keeping up with all her assignments. Her hard work is paying off. Awesome work Kristine!

Malia Habash, Gr. 6, was recognized for showing a great amount of "grit" and putting a ton of extra effort into everything she does. She has been doing an outstanding job in all of her assignments and exams for all of her classes. She also works well with others and actively participates in class directions. Keep up the great effort Malia!

### Well done!!

### ALL SAINT'S DAY TUESDAY, NOV. 1ST

Next Tuesday, Nov. 1st, is the Feast of All Saints. This special feast day is set aside to honor all those who have attained Heaven; but, have not been designated as a Saint by the Church.



Our school's All Saints Day Mass is at 10:00 am. Parents and friends are encouraged and welcome to join us!

If you are not able to join us for our Mass, the other Mass times are for this feast day are as follows - Monday, Oct. 31st, at 7:00 pm. Masses for Tuesday, Nov. 1st, are at 8:30 am and 7:00 pm.

> Please make an effort to attend Mass as All Saint's Day is a Holy Day of Obligation.

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### Special Dates of Interest:

Friday, Oct. 28th -

"Pink Out" Free Dress" & "Buck-a Jean" Day

(for ALL students—Wear "all pink" and bring a \$1 that day so you can wear jeans)

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### Important to Remember...

### Words of the Week:

"Let God's promises shine on your problems."

- Corrie Ten Boom

### ATTENTION ROOM PARENTS



Money for the Halloween parties is now available in the school office for pick up.

You will be able to decorate for your class party on Oct. 31st beginning at 10:30 am.



### PRAYERS FOR DECEASED

Please pray for the happy repose of the soul of:

\* Bertha Sanchez, grandmother of Hazel Sanchez (Gr. K) and Sebastian Sanchez (Gr. 3) who passed away yesterday.

### May God grant them eternal rest!

### Half Day Reminder...

PLEASE NOTE: There will be Half Day on Monday, Oct. 31st, in celebration of the Halloween festivities. There will be Day Care until 6:00 pm that day.





# NO SCHOOL DAY REMINDER

Friday, Nov. 12th...

A reminder that there will be **NO SCHOOL on Friday, Nov. 11th,** due to the Veteran's Day holiday. Please be sure to mark your calendars now!

### PRAYERS FOR SICK...

Please pray for the following who need our prayers:



Maria Castro, great-grandmother of Carmelo Reed (Gr. 1) who is in the hospital

Please keep her and her family in your prayers!



2022 Red Ribbon Week
"Celebrate Life, Live Drug Free!" October 24 – 28, 2022



### **Thursday (10/27)**

Red Ribbon handouts will be given out on these days. There are NO special "dress" days on these days

### Friday (10/28)

"PINK OUT" Dress & "Buck-a-Bottom" Day - Students may wear pink shirts with uniform bottoms, and pink accessories (headbands, bracelets, etc.).

Students may also pay \$1.00 to wear any other type of bottoms (i.e. shorts, jeans, etc.) The proceeds for the Buck-a-Bottom" will go to help Miss Vasquez.

Please remember to follow the "Casual Free Dress" guidelines/policy.

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### UPCOMING PARENT-TEACHER CONFERENCES

The Parent/Teacher Conferences will be held in person in the classrooms on Monday, Nov. 21st, and Tuesday, Nov. 22nd. School will be dismissed at 12 Noon both days. Junior high students (6th, 7th, & 8th Grades) are asked to

### join the parents for the conferences.

Parent/Teacher Conferences sign-ups will again be done through the SignUp Genius app. Links for the SignUp Genius app were sent out this past Friday through Gradelink; and, the links opened up yesterday, Oct. 24th. Signups will done online through Thursday, Nov. 10th.

There will be daycare available on both days until 6:00 pm. We would love to have both parents present and we ask that you are on time for your conferences.

### PLEASE FOLLOW THESE INSTRUCTIONS TO SIGN UP FOR YOUR APPOINTMENT:

- Copy and paste the link that was emailed to you to enter SignUpGenius
- Once in the app, choose an available time, click on the sign up tab, and enter your information to schedule your appointment. PLEASE NOTE: In the "Comments" section, PLEASE be sure to enter your child's name.



### **COVID-19 REMINDER**

Recently, there has been an increase in sick children. Most have been coughs and colds, however, we have had a couple of positive COVID-19 cases recently. If your child becomes ill, please test for COVID-19. A home test is sufficient.

Even if your child is negative for COVID-19, please keep your children at home until symptoms are better and children have been fever free for 24 hours without the use of fever-reducing medicine. Remember, we want to lessen the spread of regular germs too.

If your child does test positive for COVID-19, we ask that you please notify the school office at principal@stlouisedm.org.

If a positive child or adult has been on campus in the past 48 hours, the school will notify the community of a positive case via email. If your child is identified as a "close contact" you will receive a separate email. Close contacts can remain in school but will need to wear a mask for a period of 5 days while on campus (the school can provide masks). Symptoms should be monitored, and close contacts should test after day 5 of exposure.

We thank you for helping to keep our community safe and healthy.

### AFTER SCHOOL "POPSICLE" SALE



### FRIDAY, OCTOBER 28TH

St. Louise Parent Club will be selling popsicle treats after school for \$1.00.



Help support our school by purchasing a yummy treat for \$1.00!

## CATER TOTS NOVEMBER HOT LUNCH ORDERS ...

The November menu is online and ready for ordering. For service starting on Nov. 1st, orders must be placed and paid for by Sunday, Oct. 30th before 9am.

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# **Our 5th Annual Read-A-Thon**

Kicks Off

# Friday, October 28th, 2022



Goal \$12,000

Run Dates Oct 28th - Nov 11th



# 5TH ANNUAL ST. LOUISE READ-A-THON PRIZES

### **CLASS PRIZES**

Most Money Raised		
TK to 2nd	3rd to 5th	6th to 8th
Dessert Party	Dessert Party	Pizza Party

	Most Minutes Read	
TK to 2nd	3rd to 5th	6th to 8th
Free Dress	Extended Break	Homework Pass

### INDIVIDUAL STUDENT PRIZES

	Most Money Raised	
TK to 2nd	3rd to 5th	6th to 8th
\$25 Target Gift Card	\$25 Dick's SG Gift Card	\$25 Amazon Gift Card

Most Minutes Read		
TK to 2nd	3rd to 5th	6th to 8th
\$10 Chick-Fil-A Gift Card	\$10 Yogurtland Gift Card	\$10 In-n-Out Gift Card

### TEACHER PRIZES (Classes with the most money raised)

Ist Place	2nd Place	3rd Place
\$100 Amazon Gift Card	\$75 Amazon Gift Card	\$50 Amazon Gift Card

# PUMPKIN DECORATING CONTEST I'm Din Din Din Din Din

All Students from grades TK-8th are invited to participate in the annual pumpkin decorating contest hosted by Student Council. Pumpkins MAY be carved; and, can be any size. You can use many materials such as paint, stickers, and other decorating supplies.

Bring your decorated pumpkin to school on Monday morning, 10-31-22, before school begins. Please put your name and grade level on a small card to be placed under your pumpkin and a small container for the coins to be placed into.

**All** students are asked to bring coins on Monday, October 31st so they can vote by placing their coins into the containers next to the pumpkins they like the best.

Winners will be announced at the Halloween rally. All pumpkins entered must be picked up and taken home at the end of the school day on Monday, 10-31-22.

> THANKS AND WE HOPE TO SEE ALL OF YOUR PUMPKINS ON MONDAY 10-31-22!!

### FREE DRESS ON MONDAY 10-31-22!!

Students may wear any shorts/jeans and Halloween shirts in the following colors: green, orange, purple, yellow, white, or black clothing that is acceptable as free dress.

Just a reminder: No spaghetti straps, midriffs, torn or ripped jeans,

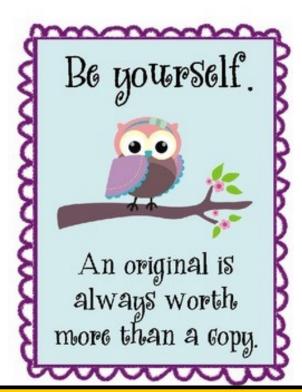
# **FYI...**



### LOOKING AHEAD...

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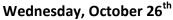


### **SLS SPORTS NEWS...**

### Week of October 25<sup>th</sup> – Oct 30<sup>th</sup>

Tuesday, October 25<sup>th</sup>

Boys A Football – Practice 2:45 – 4:30



Boys A Football – Game day vs OLA (Home) 3:45 pm

Girls A Volleyball – Practice 2:45 – 4:30 Girls B Volleyball – Game day vs Sacred Heart 3:45 pm

Cross Country – Practice 2:45 pm – 3:45 pm

Thursday, October 27<sup>th</sup>

Boys A Football – Game day vs Holy Name (Home) 4:00 pm

Girls A Volleyball – Practice 2:45 – 4:30 pm Boys B level Football – Game day vs Sacred Heart (Away) 3:45 pm

Friday, October 28th

No after school sports activities

**Saturday, October 29th**Girls A Volleyball Playoffs TBA

**Sunday, October 30th**Girls A Volleyball Playoffs TBA





### Save the date:

- Girls A level Playoff games begin weekend of October 29<sup>th</sup> / 30<sup>th</sup>. We will find out schedule by Wed evening.
- Boys A level Playoff games begin the weekend of Nov 5<sup>th</sup> / 6<sup>th</sup>
- ◆ Cross Country Nov 11 XC meet

### **LET'S GO VIKINGS!**

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## 7th Annual Trunk or Treat St. Louise Faith Formation







Calling all ghosts, goblins, pirates, and princesses: Join us Monday, October 31st from 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM on the parking lot for an evening of safe fun for the whole family! Candy will be handed out from each vehicle and games will take place on the basketball courts. Food and drinks will be available for purchase.

For more information on the event regarding safety requirements, vehicle decorating (scan the QR code), or if you wish to make a snack/candy donation, please contact the Faith Formation Office at 626-332-5822.

If you are interested in signing up your trunk and participating in our Trunk or Treat event, - please provide the information below. You will receive an email with the full details, for decorating your vehicle.







Free

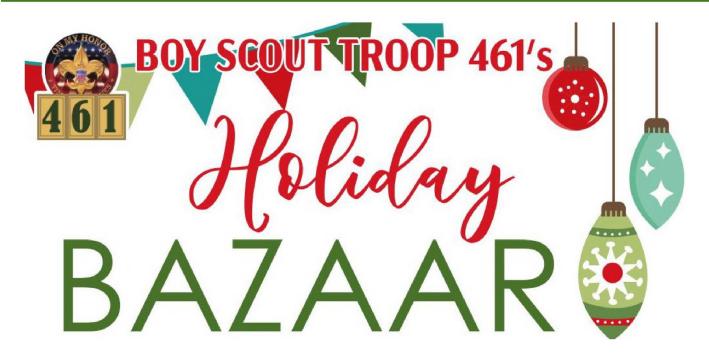
Candy

Music • Games • Candy

St. Louise de Marillac 1720 E. Covina Blyd., Covina Ca 91724

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### 3rd ANNUAL



Sunday, November 6, 2022 8:00 – 2:00 PM

St. Louise de Marillac Church - Parish Hall 1720 E. Covina Blvd Covina, CA.

Bring the whole family!

**Stress-free Holiday Shopping** 

Support local crafters and independent businesses!

**Enjoy delicious food and treats!** 

Find unique gifts for the holidays!

**Great Raffles!** 

### ADMISSION IS FREE

FOR MORE INFORMATION OR INTERESTED VENDORS, PLEASE CONTACT EMILY GUZMAN AT: BSATroop461@gmail.com

All proceeds to support Boy Scout Troop 461



### St. Louise de Marillac Catholic Church

### Confirmation/Youth Ministry Poinsettia Fundraiser

Orders must be received by October 30 Payment needs to be included with orders. Orders can be picked up December 11, 2022 between 8 am -1 pm. Any questions please contact: I vonne Melendrez 626-332-5822 or email: I vonnem@stlouisedm.org

Make Checks payable to: St. Louise Youth Ministry
Memo: Poinsettia Fundraiser

	Name:
Phone:	E mail:
Poinsettia 'Freedom'	6 inch Potted Flower Quality plant are \$15 each with a Memorial ornament with Name of a Deceased Member. Each plant is wrapped in foil, making it ideal for gift giving. \$15.00 x QTY=
Name	on Memorial Ornament:
	nay order Poinsettias to decorate our altar during Christmas. es to be displayed on the ornaments, on the back of the order form. 1-2 names fit.
	\$15.00 x QTY= Total Amount of your Order=
Τh	ank you for your continued support!

Pick up by the Hall

1720 E. Covina Blvd.

Covina, Ca 91724

11T H

DECEMBER

9 AM - 1 PM



DINE-IN & CARRY OUT
926 S GRAND AVE
GLENDORA, CA 91740
(626) 594-0086

# DINE-OUT FUNDRAISER ALL MONTH LONG IN OCTOBER! WED-SUN 3:30 -8:30PM

Join us for a dine-out fundraiser and help support our local restaurants. Our friends at Red Lantern in Glendora will be donating a percentage of the sales to help support the Knights of Columbus and your local parish.



Present this flyer at the time of purchase, the restaurant will donate 20% on all sit down and takeout orders, excluding specials.

### PASTOR'S CORNER



### **Blessed Carlo Acutis**

In just a little over a week we will be celebrating All Saints Day. This is the day we recognize all the Saints in heaven, some not canonized by the Church. Only God knows all the Saints, so we celebrate all of them. This year, you might want to celebrate our youngest Beatified in this century.

Carlo Acutis, an Italian youth, died on October 12, 2006, at the age of 13. In his very short life, he demonstrated a

great love for Jesus and Eucharist. He was a fan of St. Francis and asked that he be buried in Assisi like his hero. In 2020, Pope Francis declared him Blessed. Only four people have been Canonized or Beatified in the 21st Century who were also born in the 20th Century.

In many ways, he is a Saint for our times. Carlo was a self-taught computer programmer and gamer who loved soccer and the Eucharist. As a teenager, Carlo was diagnosed with leukemia. He offered his sufferings for Pope Benedict XVI and for the Church, saying "I offer all the suffering I will have to suffer for the Lord, for the Pope, and the Church."

From a young age, Carlo seemed to have a special love for God, even though his parents weren't especially devout. His mom said that before Carlo, she went to Mass only for her First Communion, her confirmation, and her wedding. But as a young child, Carlo loved to pray the rosary. After he made his First Communion, he went to Mass as often as he could. He went to confession weekly. He asked his parents to take him on pilgrimages — to the places of the saints, and to the sites of Eucharistic miracles.



His witness of faith led to a deep conversion in his mom, because, according to the priest promoting his cause for sainthood, he "managed to drag his relatives, his parents to Mass every day. It was not the other way around; it was not his parents bringing the little boy to Mass,, but he managed to get himself to Mass and to convince others to receive Communion daily."

He was known for defending kids at school who got picked on, especially disabled kids. When a friend's parents were getting a divorce, Carlo made a special effort to include his friend in the Acutis family life.

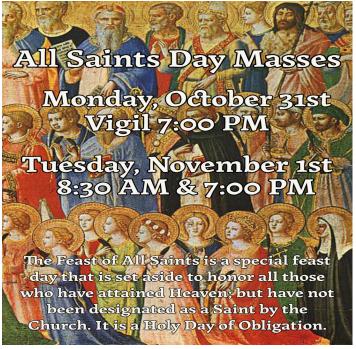
His devotion to Eucharist was fierce. He told people that "the more often we receive the Eucharist, the more we will become like Jesus, so that on this earth we will have a foretaste of heaven." He was buried in jeans and a pair of Nikes, the casual clothes he preferred in life.

In our Religious Education classes, we should teach our children about Carlo Acutis. Imagine that in our Confirmation classes students can learn about a Beatified person, close to them in both age and favorite activities. He certainly can be a role model for our teenage children.

Watch a video of Blessed Carlo Acutis at https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=YUOgYiw\_OZO or search YouTube for: Blessed Carlo Acutis, The Tech Teen who found Jesus | EWTN Vaticano.

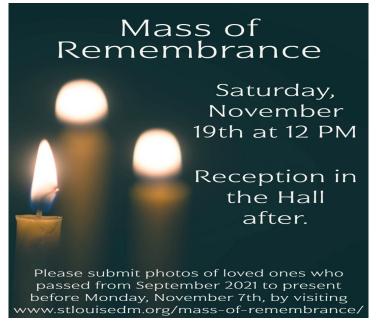
Pastor Pobet Fullow

### PARISH NEWS...









### **DID YOU KNOW?**

### Have a safe and happy Halloween

With Halloween coming up, here are some safety tips for parents taking little ones trick or treating. Parents should check costumes for safety — be sure that they fit well and will not cause children to trip. Consider adding reflective tape to costumes, shoes, or trick or treat bags to make your children easier to see in the dark. Avoid sharp, long, or otherwise dangerous costume accessories like swords and canes. Also, check candy before children consume it.

For more information, read "Halloween Health & Safety Tips" at https://www.healthychildren.org/English/safety-prevention/all-around/Pages/Halloween-Safety-Tips.aspx.

For more information on other ways to keep kids safe, contact Linda Filkins, the Parish Safeguard Committee Chairperson at the Parish Office at (626) 915-7873 or the Archdiocesan Safeguard the Children Office at (213) 637-7227. For particular help, call the Victims Assistance Office at (213) 637-7650.

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