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HAPPENINGS



CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR STUDENTS OF THE WEEK!

(For days of April 4, 2022 through April 8, 2022)

Maverick Reyes, Gr. TK, was recognized for always completing his work nicely and for always being a great helpers to Mrs. Luna. Keep up the awesome work Maverick!

Valerie Glanzman, **Gr. 2**, was recognized for showing great improvement in her effort and attention she is putting into her work. She has done a fantastic job cooperating with others on the playground recently. Keep it up Valerie!

Mark Pilarz, Gr. 5, was recognized for always putting in extra effort in all of his assignments. He has a great sense of humor and is a friend to all! Keep it up Mark!

Samantha David, Gr. 8, was recognized for being so thoughtful, curious, and insightful! She always has a positive attitude and sees the best in others. We appreciate your great attitude Sami!

WELL DONE!

Words of the Week:

Instead, be kind to each other, tenderhearted, forgiving one another, just as God through Christ has forgiven you.

(Ephesians 4:32)

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Special Dates of Interest:

- Thurs., April 28th—Spring Concert 6:30 pm—Church
- Fri., May 6th—Feast of St. Louise & Mother's Day Mass 10:00 am—Church
- Mon., May 9th thru Thurs., May 19th—STAR Testing
- Tues., May 17th —In N Out Lunch (Order through your Blackbaud account)
- Mon., May 16th thru Fri., May 20th—SPRIIT WEEK

Important Information...



PRAYERS FOR SICK...

Needed For... Please pray for:

♦ Shirley Elder, mother of Ms. Sue and great-grandmother of Maverick Reyes (Gr. TK) who is in hospice care.

Please keep her and her family in your prayers!

A SCHOOL FINANCE REMINDER....

40 service hours for the 2021-2022 school year should be completed by April 30th. All unworked service hours as of April 30th will be billed at a rate of \$25 per unworked service hour. This charge will be billed to your Blackbaud (SMART) account and will be due by May 10th.

\$200 in scrip rebate profit was due by March 31^{st} . If you did not reach \$200 in rebate profit by March 31^{st} , the shortage amount will be billed to your Blackbaud account and will be due by May 10^{th} .

If you have any questions regarding these charges, please contact Denise Wold in the Finance Dept at denisew@stlouisedm.org or 626-915-7873.

"May the Force Be With You Day! Wednesday, May 4th

The Student Council is hosting a "Star Wars" free dress day on Wednesday, May 4th! Students can wear a Star Wars t-shirt or Star Wars accessories (necklaces, headbands, socks, etc.) with P.E. uniform bottoms.



NO CAPES, SWORDS, MASKS, OR LIGHTSABERS ALLOWED ON THAT DAY!

LATE RE-REGISTRATION

For those who missed the "Paperwork & Service Hours Sign-Up" Night last Thursday, please turn it in to Ms. Sue ASAP in the school office during office hours. If you have not received your paperwork yet, PLEASE contact Ms. Sue ASAP.

The late re-registration fee is now \$475.00 per child; and, can be paid through your Blackbaud tuition account.

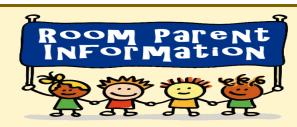
PRAYERS FOR DECEASED

Please pray for the happy repose of the soul of:

Norman Orr, grandfather of Jacob Orr (Gr. 5) who passed away during the Easter break.



May God grant him eternal rest! Please pray for him and his family!



Room Parents Mtg....

Attention Room Parents: Our LAST meeting is tomorrow, April 27th, at 6:30 pm via Zoom. The ZOOM meeting link is:

Join Zoom Meeting

https://la-archdiocese.zoom.us/j/99957223302?pwd=dnFvQmJoZVF4TDQ00G80VnRSMFRNQT09

Meeting ID: 999 5722 3302 Passcode: Vikings

All Room Parents must attend.

IMPORTANT Scrip News...

The Scrip program will soon have a new look! Our Scrip provider, ShopWithScrip, is launching a new website experience, providing participants with the convenient features and benefits that have previously only been available on the RaiseRight™ mobile app.

At the same time, they will be changing their name from ShopWithScrip to RaiseRight, so that everything lives under one brand. All account information, including usernames and passwords, order history, and earning summaries will remain the same, so no action is needed from you.

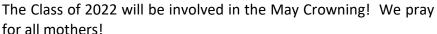
Anyone with a ShopWithScrip account will be receiving communication from the company within the next few weeks with information about the rebranding.

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Feast of St. Louise & Mother's Day Mass & May Crowning

Our Mother's Day Mass and May Crowning will be celebrated on Friday, May 6th, at 10:00 am. We invite all of our mothers/grandmothers/special persons to come and be a part of our School Mass for you! Join us for fellowship and refreshments starting at 8:30am in the Hall.







8th GRADE RETREAT

Remember our 8th Graders in your prayers as they go on their 8th Grade Retreat tomorrow, April 26th. We pray they will be open to the Holy Spirit as they prepare to take their next step in their educational life.



Thank You for Rice Bowl Donations...

Lenten donations from our students was \$745.00! We are extremely proud of and grateful to

our students' sacrifices during the Lenten season and to the parents for your beautiful support!

The amount raised will go to the .

FEAST OF ST. LOUISE

The feast of St. Louise de Marillac, our patron saint, is May 9th.

St. Louise de Marillac was a servant of the poor who did great works of Christian charity.

She treated the poor with great gentleness, respect & courtesy, for the poor are the members of Jesus Christ.

We will be celebrating her Feast day with a Mother's Day/May Crowning Mass on Friday, May 6th, at 10:00 am.

All are invited to join us!



LOOKING AHEAD...

The following is a list of upcoming Important dates to place on your calendar:

- Thurs., April 28th—Spring Concert 6:30 pm—Church
- Fri., May 6th—Feast of St. Louise & Mother's Day Mass 10:00 am—Church

Be sure to mark your calendars

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To the 2022 Spring Concert

GREATEST SHOULD

April 28, 2022 6:30pm

1720 E COVINA BLVD. COVINA, CA



SILENT & UCTION

We are working diligently to build up our Silent Auction Booth for this year's Frontier Days, but we need your help with donations. Here are some ideas of tax deductible donations:

Baskets
Sporting, Concert, or Amusement Park Tickets
TimeShare getaway
Electronics
Sports Memorabilia
Gift Cards

Services such as home cleaning, salon/spa services, music/dance lessons.

Donated items can be dropped off in the Parish Center or we can pick them up from you. Please contact frontierdays@stlouisedm.org for more information.



Spring Cleaning, Decluttering, Downsizing?

Please consider donating your items of value to the Frontier Days Carnival Boutique.

We will not be able to accept used clothing, shoes, stuffed animals or infant equipment.



St. Louise Frontier Days 2022 SCHOOL RAFFLE

Each SLS student is required to sell 5 books (\$20 each) for a total of \$100. DUE TOMORROW!!

PRIZES AND INCENTIVES

The following incentives are offered to encourage sales:

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5 BOOKS (value \$100)		ory commitment is ful April 27, 2022, earn F	filled! If turned in by ree Dress!	
6 BOOKS (value \$120)	Carnival Ride P	•	es: one (1) Free Frontier Days log & Drink and two (2) Frontier ts!)	
		N IN MANDATO! /EDNESDAY,	RY RAFFLE TICKETS IS APRIL 27 TH !	
IN ORDER TO QUALIFY FOR ALL ADDITIONAL PRIZES AND INCENTIVES, ALL MONEY MUST BE TURNED IN NO LATER THAN TOMORROW APRIL 27 TH !				
HIGHEST SELLERS EARN:				
1st Place - \$300		^d Place - \$200	3 rd Place - \$100	
HAVE YOU ORDERED YOUR ADDITIONAL RAFFLE BOOKS YET?				
2022 School Raffle Yes! I would like book(s) of Raffle Tickets sent home with my child. I understand that I am financially responsible for these books and must return either the money or the books by April 27th.				
STUDENT'S NAME:			GRADE	
PARENT'S SIGNATURE			TODAY'S DATE	
REQUESTS WILL BE FILLED ON THE NEXT SCHOOL DAY				
TO BE FILLED IN BY SCI	HOOL RAFFLE	FILLED ON	(Date) BY (Initia	

Thanks for supporting St. Louise School!

ALL CHECKS PAYABLE TO: ST. LOUISE FRONTIER DAYS CARNIVAL

*ALL MONIES MUST BE MARKED FOR SCHOOL RAFFLE.

*PLEASE USE SEPARATE ENVELOPES & PAYMENTS FOR EACH CHILD.

St. Louise Parent Club Elections

Attention all parents!

It's time again for the St. Louise Parent Club Elections!

If you are interested in being a nominee for any of the positions listed below, please email Mrs. Ossa, at principal@stlouisedm.org

NO LATER THAN THIS MONDAY, MAY 2ND

We are looking for volunteers who would be willing to share their time and their expertise. The Parent Club positions open for the 2022-2023 school year are:

Incoming Vice President—A two year term. The Vice President shall act as an aide to the President, and in the absence of the President shall perform the duties of President. The Vice President shall meet periodically with the chairpersons of the Standing Committees appointed by the Principal; shall keep the Parents' Club Board informed of the activities of the Committees and keep the Committees informed of the actions of the Board. The Vice President must have held the position of a room parent and would be the Room Parent chairperson, directing the activities of the room parents. 40 hour service commitment is fulfilled each of these two years.

<u>Incoming Development</u>—A two year term. Helps coordinate and run school fundraisers, such as the Box Tops program, the Ink Recycling program, restaurant fundraisers, etc. You will be an available active member in all Parent Club activities that may periodically arrive throughout the term and for the two year term; you will attend a monthly Parent Club meeting. 40 hour service commitment is fulfilled each of these two years.

Incoming Secretary—A two year term. The Secretary shall conduct all necessary correspondence of the Parents' Club. They shall see to it that the Membership is informed of Club activities through the weekly newsletter. They shall keep an accurate record of the proceedings of all meetings of the Parents' Club and the Board; shall be prepared to refer to minutes of previous meetings; and shall prepare a summary of unfinished business for the President. 40 hour service commitment is fulfilled each of these two years.

The board meets once a month. This is a great opportunity to get involved in your school. If you are interested, we would love to hear from you sometime this week!

Thank you in advance for stepping forward to volunteer to help make a difference for the benefit of our school!





We hope everyone enjoyed their time off. Here is the current status of Spring Seasons:

- Girls soccer Playoffs begin the weekend of 5/30 Congrats on a great season and good luck in playoffs.
- * Boys Soccer Season continues on with a double header on Saturday April 30th . Good luck with remainder of season.!!
- Track Semifinals are on Sunday May 1st at Bishop Amat Congrats !!
- Boys Volleyball Season begins on Wed , April 27th . Good Luck!!

SLS Weekly Sports Schedule

Tuesday, April 26th

Track – Practice 2:45 – 4:30 Boys Volleyball Practice 2:45 – 4:30

Wednesday, April 27th

Boys Soccer – Practice 2:45 – 4:30

Track – Practice 2:45 – 4:00

Boys Volleyball Game / St Louise vs OLA at Our Lady of Assumption-Claremont 3:45

Thursday, April 28th

Boys Soccer – Practice 2:45 – 4:30

Track – Practice 2:45 – 4:30

Girls Soccer - 2:45 – 4:30

Friday, April 29th

Boys Volleyball Game vs Holy Name of Mary at Holy Name of Mary 3:45pm

Saturday, April 30th

Girls Soccer Playoff game/ St Louise vs St Brendan at Cantwell High School 3:00pm

- Please arrive by 2:30pm

Boys will play 2 games on Saturday April 30th

Boys Soccer game / St Louise vs De La Salle at St Louise 9:00am

Boys Soccer game / St Louise vs St Vincent at St Louise 12:00pm

Sunday, May 1st

Track – Meet at Bishop Amat High School / Time TBA

- Athletes will be those that have qualified

GO VIKINGS!











ORDER IN-N-OUT FOR YOUR CHILD(REN)

AND FOR YOU!

\$6 PER ORDER INCLUDES BURGER,

CHIPS AND DRINK

ORDER THROUGH BLACKBAUD (SMART).*



That's right!

The In-N-Out Truck is coming to St. Louise. Order & Pay Through BlackBaud (Smart) Tuition by 5/9/2022 and enjoy this classic on 5/17/2022

- 1. Log Into your BlackBaud (Smart) Tuition account (contact 1-888-868-8828 if you need assistance.)
- 2. Select "Purchase Optional Items" on the top of the screen.
- 3. Select "Students" in the middle of the screen.
- 4. Check the name(s) of the student(s) you want to order for.
- 5. Check all the items you wish to order for each of the students.

Pick from:

Grilled Cheese Plain Grilled Cheese with Everything
Hamburger Plain Hamburger with Everything
Cheeseburger Plain Cheeseburger with Everything

- 6. Choose the quantity you want to order for each item selected for each student.
- 7. Select "Save"
- 8. Consent to the Agreement and for each item:
 - Check "I have read the description of this item and agree to purchase"
 - Check "I understand that all purchases are final and non-refundable"
- 9. Select "Agree"
- 10. Select "Continue"

11. Click "Pay Now". Choose the account to be used for payment: You can use the saved payment method or add a new one (remember, convenience fees are added to debit and credit card transactions.

12. Select "Checkout" - You can choose to print a receipt. This is your only opportunity to print a receipt.

\$6 per order Non-soda beverage and a bag of chips included

Parents can order, too. Place your order under any of your children and send an email to susanr@stlouisedm.org to let us know to save that burger for you.

BROUGHT TO YOU BY THE ST LOUISE PARENT CLUB

PARISH NEWS...

CHILD ABUSE PREVENTION MONTH

April is Child Abuse Prevention Month.

Each year we share our efforts to maintain a safe environment for all children on our grounds. This continues with fingerprinting and Virtus training for all those working with children, safe facilities, security measures, and following Covid guidelines. Also, check out our bulletin's weekly "Did You Know" message with contact phone numbers for help.

This year, we give particular attention to the plight of God's children suffering in Ukraine and Russia.

Prayer for Peace in Ukraine and Russia

Our God of Mercy and Peace,

we implore You to shower Your graces on the people of Ukraine and Russia. Bring peace to their lands.

Holy Spirit, our Consolation, comfort all those who fear. Grant wisdom and discernment to those in power.

Our Lord, Jesus Christ, Prince of Peace, turn all hearts to You, our Savior.

St. Joseph, guard all those who have sought refuge away from their land, and bring them safely home.

Mary, our Mother, with your gentle arms, embrace all your suffering children.

O God, our Father, we beseech you to comfort the suffering, heal the wounded, and accept the souls of the faithful departed into Your Heavenly Kingdom.

Amen.

FINGERPRINTING

St. Louise de Marillac will be hosting a Fingerprinting session for the Los Angeles Archdiocese on Monday, May 9th in the Hall.

Please call the Parish Office to make your appointment at 626-915-7873. We will have appointments beginning at 12 PM and the last appointment is at 6:40 PM. If you make an appointment and are unable to come, please call and cancel. The last day to make an appointment is on Wednesday, May 4th at 12 PM. This is a service free of charge.

Per the LA Archdiocese anyone who is getting fingerprinted, must be wearing a mask at all times.

All clergy, paid parish/school personnel and volunteers who work regularly in a supervisory role with children or youth must be fingerprinted

VIRTUS TRAINING

St. Louise de Marillac VIRTUS® Protecting God's Children™ session on Monday, May 9th from 6 PM to 9 PM in the Conference Room.

VIRTUS® Protecting God's Children Adult Awareness Session is a three-hour training that helps clergy, staff, volunteers and parents to understand the facts and myths about child sexual abuse; how perpetrators operate; and how caring adults can take five important steps to keep children safe. The parent session also stresses monitoring of computers, cell phones and other technology that perpetrators use to gain access to children and young people.

To attend the session, you must sign up at the Parish Office by

calling 626-915-7873. Space is limited. This is a service free of charge .



A Prayer for Healing Victims of Abuse

Holy Spirit, comforter of hearts, heal your people's wounds and transform brokenness into wholeness.

Grant us the courage and wisdom, humility and grace, to act with justice.

Breathe wisdom into our prayers and labors.

Grant that all harmed by abuse may find peace and justice.

We ask this through Christ, our Lord

Amen

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CASINO BUS TRIP

The St. Louise Women's Bowling League are bowling their sweeps in Laughlin, Nevada.

Join them for a 3 day/2 night trip to the Aquarius Hotel and Casino from May 18th to the 20th. The cost is \$136 for a double occupancy room or \$199 for a single. This includes a deluxe motor coach transportation, hotel, and baggage handling. Join us for fun, fellowship, and games.

For more information or to reserve your spot, call Pat Schneider at 626-963-4553.

MOTHER'S DAY FLOWER SALE

The Respect Life Ministry is requesting volunteers to help with the Annual Mother's Day Flower Sale which will take place on Sunday, May 9th.

Volunteers are needed on Saturday, May 8th between 9:00 am and 3:00 pm to make flower arrangements and to assist in other duties such as preparing vases. If you would like to volunteer, please leave your name and phone number at the parish office and state that you want to be a Respect

Life Flower Sale Volunteer.

The Respect Life Ministry is also requesting donations of any flower vases to be used for the arrangements. The vases can be left at the Parish Office at the front desk. It is appreciated if the vases could be cleaned.



DID YOU KNOW?

"United Together in Prayer"

June 2022 marks the 20th Anniversary of the USCCB Charter for the Protection of Children and Young People. We, as the People of God, continue our commitment to Promise to Protect and Pledge to Heal, we ask you to unite in a special prayer for victims of child sexual abuse. Please see page 3 for the prayer, A Prayer for Healing Victims of Abuse.

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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MOTHER'S DAY NOVENA CARDS

Sunday, May 8th, is Mother's Day. St. Louise de Marillac is honoring Mothers and Mother figures, both living and deceased, with a "Spiritual Bouquet" by enrolling mothers in our Novena of Masses. A Novena consists of 9 days of prayer.

We have envelopes available in the vestibule, at the north and two south end tables inside the church, and in the Parish Office.

Please PRINT names clearly on the envelopes and return by Mother's Day, May 8th to the Parish Office, or place in the offertory collection with your gift. On Mother's Day, the envelopes are placed next to the Tabernacle. Your loved ones will be remembered throughout the nine days of the Novena.



ST. VINCENT DE PAUL



Once again during the Month of May, our Society of St. Vincent de Paul, St. Louise de Marillac Conference, will honor our mother Mary by inviting the St. Louise Parish family to support the needs of mothers and children at Mary Mercy's Center.

Mary's Mercy Center is a long-term Catholic/Christian residential home that is committed to providing a home for adult pregnant women and their children as a healthy alternative to abortion, domestic violence, substance abuse and homelessness.

Your donations of children's items will be greatly appreciated and may be brought to the Parish Center **starting Sunday, May 1st** and continuing throughout the remainder of the month of May.

Items most in need are: Diapers—Size 3 & Up, Pull-Ups, children's pajamas size 3 & up, children's play clothing—size 3 & up, toiletry items such as: shampoo, tooth paste, toothbrushes. We can only accept new clothing items.

Thank you so much for your continued support to those in our community who need our help!



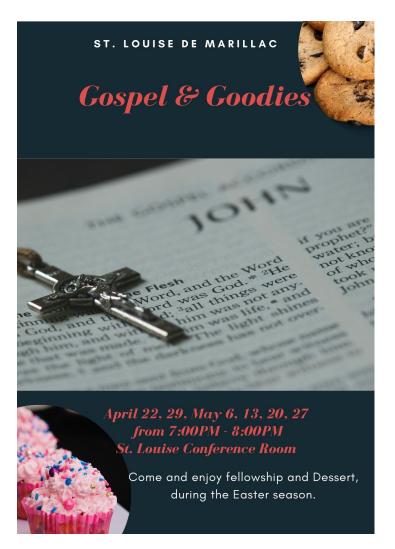
CATHOLIC MEN'S FELLOWSHIP

The Catholic Men's Fellowship of St. Louise (CMF) is a lay apostolate that reaches out to all men. Our next meeting will be on **Thursday, April 28, 2022**. Our brother Frank Andino will be leading us for Lectio Divina on Sunday's Gospel. Please join us for Fellowship, Prayer, Dinner and Reflection. Rosary begins at 6:45 PM inside the Multi Purpose Room.

Our Purpose is to encourage men to become daily Disciples of Christ. *Lk.* 9:23. Our Mission is to help men renew their minds and transform their hearts and lives for Jesus Christ. *Rom.* 12:22. For more information contact Faith Formation at (626) 332-5822 or Miguel Ruiz (626) 419-2637or email at: CMF@stlouisedm.org.

Follow us now on Instagram @catholicmensfellowship and Facebook Catholic Men's Fellowship St. Louise De Marillac and catholicmen.org.





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