



HAPPENINGS

CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR STUDENTS OF THE WEEK!

(For week of Sept. 18, 2023 - Sept. 22, 2023)



Payton Albano, Gr. 1, was recognized for being an awesome worker in the classroom. We can always count on you to help your classmates & teachers. You have been a wonderful addition to our school. Awesome job Peyton!

Aubrey Alvarez, Gr. 4, was recognized for always working hard and being on tasks at all times. Great work, Aubrey!

Thalia Gonzalez, Gr. 7, was recognized for being such a great role model to her classmates inside & outside the classroom. Bravo Thalia!!

Well done !!



AFTER-SCHOOL DAYCARE LOCATION BACK IN MULTI-PURPOSE ROOM STARTING THIS WEEK!

We are happy to announce that our afterschool daycare program is back in the Multi-Purpose Building beginning

TODAY, OCT. 2nd!

Because of the continuing construction taking place, for now, when picking up your child, you MUST parking lot area closest to the church and walk over to pickup your child(ren).

Once the gates have all been put in place, we will send out another email as to how after-school daycare will be handled.

SCHOOL FINANCE MESSAGE...

As a reminder, tuition and fees showing on your Blackbaud account are due next Tuesday, October 10th, by 9:00 p.m. PST.

Any payments received after 9:00 p.m. on the 10th will incur a \$60 late fee.



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Special Dates of Interest:

- ◇ Oct. 7th—Blessing of the Animals
- ◇ Oct. 13th—"Fall Picture" Make-Up Day
- ◇ Oct. 20th—"All School" Mass—10 am—Church
- ◇ Oct. 31st—HAPPY HALLOWEEN!
"Read-A-Thon" Begins
Class Halloween Parties
NOON DISMISSAL (Daycare available until 3 pm)
- ◇ Nov. 1st—"Feast of All Saints" All School Mass
10 am—Church
- ◇ Nov. 3rd—Student Council's "Pizza Lunch" Fundraiser
- ◇ Nov. 9th—End of First Trimester
- ◇ Nov. 10th—**NO SCHOOL (Veteran's Day Observed)**
- ◇ Nov. 17th "Read-A-Thon" Ends
- ◇ Nov. 20th & 21st—NOON DISMISSAL BOTH DAYS
(due to "Parent/Teacher" Conferences)
- ◇ Nov. 22nd thru Nov. 24th—NO SCHOOL
(Thanksgiving Holiday)
- ◇ Nov. 27th—Return to School

Important to



St. Louise School's Dia de Los Muertos Altar!

This year, St. Louise School will be hosting a school-wide Dia de Los Muertos altar! The altar up will be up from October 24th through November 3rd.

Students can bring a photo of a loved ones who have passed to add to our school "ofrenda". They are asked to give their photos to their teacher and the teachers will then give to Mrs. Luna and Mrs. Cervantes, our TK & Kindergarten teachers, who will be putting the "ofrenda" together.

Photos should be a printout, **NOT THE ORIGINAL**, so we don't run the risk of ruining the picture (color copies preferred). If you have several family members, consider making a collage of their photos to turn in (remember **NOT ORIGINALS**).

Please have photos/collages labeled with students name and grade so we can give them back after Dia De Los Muertos.

**Photos MUST BE turned in
NO LATER THAN
MONDAY, OCTOBER 16TH.**

ATTENTION ROOM PARENTS

The money for the Halloween parties is available now in the office for you to pick up!



LOOKING AHEAD...

The following is a list of upcoming important dates to remember:

- ◇ Sept. 30th & Oct. 1st—8th Gr. "Pumpkin Sale" Fundraiser (after all Weekend Masses)
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Words of the Week:

"Always be a first-rate version of yourself, instead of a second-rate version of somebody else."—Judy Garland

VIRTUS SESSION—OCT. 11TH—HERE AT ST. LOUISE!

Another VIRTUS training session has been scheduled for here at St. Louise on **WEDNESDAY, OCT. 11TH**, from 6 to 9 pm in the Msgr. Pierce Hall. **There still several spots available for registration.**

If you still need to get your VIRTUS training, call the Parish Center at 626-915-783 ASAP to get scheduled before all spots get reserved!

WE CAN DO THIS!!! FOOD WITH INTEGRITY.
COMMUNITY STARTS HERE. 25% TASTES MADE FRESH EVERY DAY.
FOIL-WRAP GOODNESS. BETTER THAN ANY OTHER DAY.
GOODNESS CAN CHANGE THE WORLD. SOMETHING GOOD.
GENEROUS HELPING HANDS CAN CHANGE THE WORLD. SOMETHING GOOD.
BURRITOS. ORGANIC. BETTER. BETTERTASTE.
CAUSE. EFFECT. BETTERTASTE.
WORLD. BETTERTASTE.
WORLD. BETTERTASTE.

DO GOOD WITH CHIPOTLE



CHIPOTLE FUNDRAISER FOR
**ST. LOUISE DE MARILLAC
SCHOOL**

33% OF EVENT SALES GET DONATED TO THE CAUSE

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 18TH | 4-8PM
1365 E GLADSTONE ST STE 700, GLENDORA, CA, 91740

ORDER ONLINE FOR PICKUP USING CODE **89RF2ZR**
OR SHOW THIS FLYER IN RESTAURANT



For online orders to count towards the fundraiser, they must be placed for pickup only from the restaurant location of, and during the hours of, the fundraiser. Delivery orders and gift cards do not qualify. \$150 minimum event sales required to receive any donation.

St. Louise de Marillac 60th Jubilee



and

Dedication to Jim Corbitt (Father Bingo)

October 20, 2023
(One Night Only)

Join us as we honor Jim Corbitt (aka Father Bingo) with a night of bingo and ceremony to dedicate the Jim Corbitt memorial space and plaque in the hall courtyard. Jim dedicated over 35 years to managing our St. Louise bingo program. Show your support and appreciation by joining us on October 20th. Adults only. Limited seating available.

4:00 pm Doors Open	\$35/person presale
5:00 pm Dedication Ceremony	\$45/person at the door
6:00 pm Early Bird Games	Includes dinner
7:00 pm Regular Bingo Games Begin	(chili/baked potatoes/hot dogs)
	2 early bird games
	15 regular games

Tickets will be sent home in the family envelope on October 17th.

Questions? Contact Denise Wold denisew@stlouisedm.org 626-915-7873

Last Name of Oldest Child: _____

Number of Tickets: _____ x \$35 = \$ _____ (cash or check payable to St. Louise)

Finance Office Only

Date _____ Amount: _____ Cash _____ Check # _____

Did You Know..

St Louise Sports Weekly Schedule for Oct. 2nd—Oct. 8th

Save the dates:

Cross Country Meet: Sunday, Oct 22nd , Times TBA

- La Reina High School (106 W Janns Rd., Thousand Oaks, Ca)

AFTER-SCHOOL TEAM PRACTICES PICK-UP INSTRUCTIONS: Starting this week, parents will be able to park in the school parking lot on church side to do after practice pickups for all sports.

- Cheer will meet in front of the Girls bathroom and the Coach will walk them over to the courts/field
- A Football will meet in the 7th grade and the coach will walk them over to the field.
- B Football will meet in front of the 6th grade and the coach will walk them over to the field
- A Volleyball will meet in 8th grade and the coach will walk them over to the field.
- B Volleyball will meet in front of 6th grade and the coach will walk them over to field
- Cross Country will meet in front of 7th grade and the coach will walk them over to the field.



Tuesday, Oct 3rd:

- A level Football: Practice 3:00 – 4:30
- A Level Team 1 Volleyball: Practice 3:00 – 4:30
- A Level Team 2 Volleyball: Practice 3:00 – 4:30
- Cheer Practice 3:00 – 4:30 (Cheer participation has been closed)
- B Level Volleyball Practice 3:00 – 4:30 (4th – 6th grades can participate)

Wednesday, Oct 4th:

- A level Football: Practice 3:00 – 4:30
- A level Football: Practice 3:00 – 4:30
- A Level Team 1 Volleyball: Practice 3:00 – 4:30
- A Level Team 2 Volleyball: Practice 3:00 – 4:30
- Cross Country 3:00 – 3:45 (Grades 3rd – 8th can participate)



Thursday, Oct 5th:

- A level Football: Practice 3:00 – 4:30
- B Level Football Practice 3:00 – 4:30 (4th – 6th grades can participate)
- A Level Team 1 Volleyball: Practice 3:00 – 4:30
- A Level Team 2 Volleyball: Practice 3:00 – 4:30
- B Level Volleyball Practice 3:00 – 4:30 (4th – 6th grades can participate)

Friday, Oct 6th: No after school activities

Saturday, Oct 7th: No activities planned.

Sunday, Oct 8th:

- Team 2 Volleyball at St Lucy's 1:00pm vs Holy Name 2
- Team 1 Volleyball at St Lucy's 3:00pm vs OLA 2

(St Lucy's: 655 Sierra Madre Ave, Glendora, CA 91741)

- A Level Football at Damien HS 1:00pm vs St John the Baptist (2280 Damien Ave, La Verne, CA 91750)
- **Cheer – Will attend A level football game at Damien HS: 1:00pm**
- Golf CYO Tournament (Times to be announced)

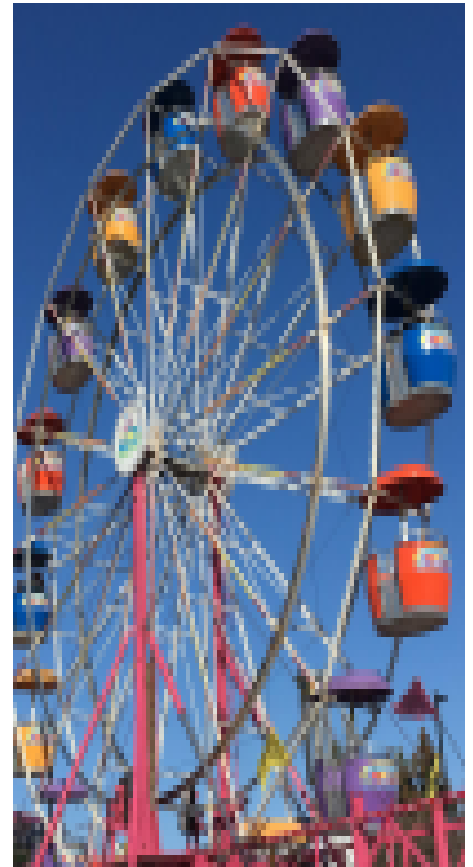
At Arroyo Seco Golf Course (1055 Lohman Lane, South Pasadena 91030)



Did You Know...

2024

Frontier Days Carnival Volunteers



We would like to thank all the Frontier Days Carnival Volunteers for their willingness to give their time and service.

Your support allows us to continue to carry out the St. Louise de Marillac tradition of planning this amazing family community event that is enjoyed by many.

We would like to invite all RETURNING carnival volunteers to a brief carnival recap meeting as well as NEW families that are interested in learning how to sign up for the 2024 Frontier Days Carnival.

Tuesday, October 10th at 6:30pm. Location : MSGR. PIERCE HALL

Light refreshments will be provided

8th Annual Trunk or Treat St. Louise Faith Formation



St. Louise De Marillac Catholic Church,
1720 E. Covina Blvd. Covina, Ca 91724



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.

**Free
Candy**

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.



Trunk Contest!

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.



REGISTER NOW



**31
OCT**

Music • Games • Candy

St. Louise de Marillac

1720 E. Covina Blvd., Covina Ca 91724

**St.
Louise
Parish
Picnic**

**Sunday,
October 8th**

1 PM to 4 PM

Food served to 3:30 PM

*Free Food, Fun, and
Activities for the
Entire Family.*



PARISH NEWS...

REGIONAL CONGRESS

The annual San Gabriel Regional Congress is on Saturday, October 21st. This one-day event is open to all Catechists, directors and coordinators of Faith Formation, and other parish ministers! Our day will include morning mass, keynote messages, exhibitor fair, and workshops in English and Spanish on a variety of topics!

It is from 8:00 AM to 4:00 PM at Bishop Amat Memorial High School, 14301 Fairgrove Ave, La Puente, California 91746.

Early Bird Registration is \$30.00 per person. Early Bird price ends on Friday October 6th at 11:59pm. Regular registration is \$35.00 per person. Regular price begins on October 7th. Online registration closes on Sunday October 15th at 11:59 PM.

For more information, go to:
<https://lacatholics.org/2022/06/02/san-gabriel-regional-congress/>

Please Support

**Cub Scout
Pack 457**



**Annual Pancake
Breakfast**

Sunday, October 22nd
7 AM to 12 PM
Parish Hall

Tickets \$10.00



Includes: pancake, eggs, sausage, coffee, and milk or orange juice

St. Louise de Marillac

Women of Faith Young Adult Ministry

We welcome all
young women
ages 18 to 30 to
join our new
young adult
ministry.

Beginning
Thursday, October
12th
7 PM - 8:30 PM

For more
information, contact
Ivonne Melendrez:

Email: Ivonnem@stlouisedm.org

Phone: 626-332-5822 ext. 405



Calling all
talented
teens to join
our new
Teen Choir
here at St.
Louise de
Marillac!



Teen Choir

for 5 PM Mass

Beginning Sunday,
October 8th

Practices are on
select Sundays at 4
PM before Mass.

Contact
IvonneM@stlouisedm.org
626-332-5822 ext. 405

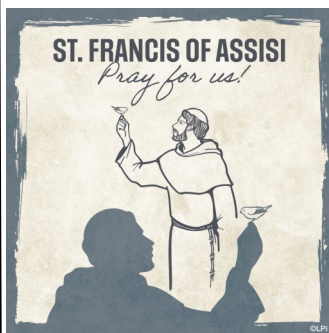


PARISH NEWS...

BLESSING OF THE ANIMALS

Our clergy of St. Louise de Marillac will bless your animal(s) next Saturday, **October 7th, at 9:30 AM** on the basketball courts at the annual "Blessing of the Animals."

It has been a Catholic tradition to bless our animals on or near the feast day of St. Francis. Please bring your pets to be blessed on this day by our priests! Bring your cats, dogs, guinea pigs, fish, lizards, snakes, birds, mice, rabbits, turtles, hamsters, etc. There will be a prayer and a blessing that is said in the spirit of St. Francis who had a particular affinity to animals.



St. Francis of Assisi (1181 – 1226) left a life of luxury for a life devoted to Christianity after reportedly hearing the voice of God, who commanded him to rebuild the Christian church and live in poverty. He founded the

men's Order of Friars Minor, the women's Order of St. Clare, the Third Order of St. Francis and the Custody of the Holy Land.

Born in 1181 in Italy, St. Francis of Assisi was renowned for drinking and partying as a youth. During a military expedition/battle between Assisi and Perugia, he was captured and imprisoned for ransom. He spent nearly a year in prison and began receiving visions from God. After his release from prison, St. Francis of Assisi claimed to have heard the voice of Christ, who told him to restore the Christian Church and live a life of poverty. As a result, St. Francis of Assisi abandoned his life of luxury and became a devotee of the Catholic faith.

Today, St. Francis of Assisi, known for his deep love of nature and animals, is the patron saint of the environment and animals. His feast day is on Oct. 4th.

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St. Louise de Marillac's
Annual Marian Tribute
and America needs Fatima Rosary Rally
Commemorates the 106th anniversary
of Our Lady's final appearance at
Fatima, Portugal in October 1917.



Saturday,
October 14th in
the Hall after the
8:30 AM Mass.

You may bring
flowers for Mary's
bouquet.

Potluck reception
after the prayers.

Please bring your
favorite dish to
share.

DID YOU KNOW?

What is doxing?

Doxing is publicly sharing someone's private information, like home address, phone number, or social security number, as a form of punishment or revenge putting them at risk of hacking, identity fraud, or other violence. If someone is doxed, they may have their phone number swamped with spam or explicit texts and messages or if their address is shared, they may be unsafe in their own home.

For more information about doxing, read the VIRTUS® article "Doxing: What is that?" at:

lacatholics.org/did-you-know/

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.