

Sts. Peter and Paul School News

October 18, 2019

Please join us for Mass!
Saturday evening @ 5:30pm
Sunday morning @ 8:00am.

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Coming Events

- Oct. 23 **HOT LUNCH ORDERS DUE**
- Oct. 24 & 25 Parent/Teacher Conferences
- Oct. 28-Nov 1 Red Rosary Week
- Nov. 7 Home & School Meeting @7:00pm
- Nov. 27-29 Thanksgiving Break

Parent/Teacher Conferences

Please look in this envelope for your green conference appointment slip. If for some reason the time selected for you just won't work, please call the office right away and we will try to work something else out for you.

Halloween Celebration

Please see the back of this newsletter for info on Red Rosary Week dress up days and a trip to St. John Bosco School.

Look for the bright green permission slip for your students to attend St. John Bosco's Holyween Celebration. We need these back ASAP.

Saint Costume Ideas

The following excerpt from The Catholic All Year may help with creating a saint costume with your student.

"It can feel overwhelming to come up with saints' costumes for your children, but I really, *really* think it is worth it. The saints my kids know and love the best are the saints they have learned about and represented for All Saints' Day. Focusing on a saint's attributes-the things that identify her in art-makes creating a costume simple. For instance, St. Cecilia usually carries a musical instrument. St. Dominic has a dog. St. Jude wears a giant medallion and usually has the flame of the Holy Spirit above his head. So to create a costume for a saint, just find an image of him (www.catholic.org), do your best to approximate the saint's religious habit or period dress, add the attribute props, and you're set.

It is fun to dress up siblings as saints that knew each other, like SS. Francisco and Jacinta of Fatima.

Jedi robes, tunics, capes, big solid T-shirts, and bed sheets, can be the base of many saint costumes. Costumes can represent a job, hobby, or a profession associated with the saint. Thrift or costume stores can be a great resource."

Magazine Drive

Yeah! Tuesday at lunch everyone received ice cream!! On to our non-uniforms days.

- 50% ~ Non-uniform Day once per Quarter
- 75% ~ Pie the Student Council
- 100% ~ Free Afternoon
- The Magazine Drive ends on 10/18.

Maple Bars w/Moms

Tuesday Oct. 22nd students accompanied by their mom or grandma, aunt, (any important female figure in their life), are invited to "Maple Bars with Moms". We will have maple bars, milk and coffee at 7:30am in the Parish foyer.

It will be a quick and fun way to show off our guests!

Library Software Update

We are pleased to announce a new link to our upgraded library software program. The new program is now completely cloud-based. You can still access our library catalog, as well as log into your child's library account using their AR login information. Here you can check to see what books they have checked out and what fines, if any, they owe. It is a very handy resource!

<https://myspps.goalexandria.com/>

School Google Calendar

The school website, www.myspps.org now has a link to the school Google public calendar, check it out!

School Prepared Masses

SPPS students will be preparing a Saturday OR Sunday Mass one weekend of the month through the school year except December.

The schedule will start with **5th & 6th grade on Sun., Oct. 27th at 8:00am**, the 3rd & 4th grade will prepare on Sat., Nov. 23rd at 5:30pm, the 1st & 2nd will have Sun., Jan. 26th at 8:00am, and the 7th & 8th grade will prepare on Sat., Feb. 22nd at 5:30pm.

All SPPS students are expected to attend on these dates. **This is a way we can give back to our parish for their support of the school.** Please mark your calendars!

HELPING EACH STUDENT BECOME THE BEST VERSION OF THEMSELVES!