



Celebrating Community

AT ALL SAINTS CATHOLIC SCHOOL

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**Hot Lunch Orders Due Online by 11:50 p.m.
Auction Super Week Starts Today**

Early Childhood, Kdg. Registration Starts Today for Current Families

Registration for our Early Childhood and Kindergarten classes for the 2020-2021 school year will open to current families **today**, Monday, January 13, at 5:00 p.m. All families will receive an email at 5:00 p.m. when the registration links are available. The registration links will also be available to access at 5:00 p.m. on the school's website, www.all saints scs.com, on that date. You will receive a confirmation email. Please follow up to secure your spot once you receive the confirmation.

To secure your spot for Preschool and Pre-Kindergarten, the registration forms and \$150 registration deposit must be completed and sent into the office before 3:00 p.m. on Friday, January 24. Due to the limited number of spots in our Early Childhood program, families are asked to submit their first and second choices. Families reserving Kindergarten placement need only to complete the form for now. Detailed registration, deposit, and pricing information for Kindergarten through 8th grade will be available in coming weeks.

Please note: All Saints families currently enrolled in our Early Childhood program are given priority, followed by all current All Saints families. Enrollment will open to the public during our New Family Open House on Sunday, January 26. At that point, available spots in our Early Childhood and Kindergarten programs will be filled on a first-come, first-serve basis.

Auction Super Week Starts Today

Auction Super Week runs today through Friday. We encourage your donations of gift cards and merchandise according to the following grade themes:

- Preschool/PreK-Micromini Original Scooter
- Kindergarten-American Girl and Xbox
- First grade-Ride ons
- Second grade-Legos and Nerf
- Third grade-Gift cards to various stores, restaurants, etc
- Fourth grade-Delta gift cards
- Fifth grade-Home automation- Google/Alexa/Ring/Nest
- Sixth grade-Golf (we will collect donations for a new complete set of golf clubs)
- Seventh grade-Chicago fun
- Eighth grade-Virtual Reality

If you wish to donate, you can do so in two ways: Donate a monetary amount (this can be done via cash, check, or a gift card). Monetary donations can be put in the bins that each teacher will have in their classroom. Donate the product for your grade's theme. Product donations can be sent to the office.



**Save the Date:
March 14, 2020**

Growing Leaders in Mind, Body, and Spirit

In The Know

Today-Friday, January 17

Auction Super Week

Monday, January 13

Early Childhood, Kdg. Registration
Opens for Current Families
5:00 p.m.

Wednesday, January 15

End-of-Quarter

Thursday, January 16

Spirit Day
No PCCS Afternoon Bus Service

Friday, January 17

Parents in Prayer
8:00 to 8:30 a.m., Chapel
No PCCS Afternoon Bus Service

Monday, January 20

Classes in Session--No PCCS Buses
Dress-Down Day for Fund
Donations

Protecting God's Children Session

Our Lady of Good Counsel will host a Protecting God's Children Workshop on Thursday, January 16, from 5:30 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. in the Social Hall.

Adults planning to volunteer at All Saints need to complete the Protecting God's Children Workshop before they can drive on field trips or help in the school.

Registration can be made at <https://www.virtusonline.org/virtus/index.cfm?>

Join Us for Parents in Prayer

Join us for Parents in Prayer on Friday from 8:00-8:30 a.m. in the chapel. Parents in Prayer is an opportunity to pray in the chapel for your child's homeroom intentions. We are hoping that each family will sign up for at least one prayer session this school year.

No PCCS PM Bus Service on Thursday and Friday

Please note there will be NO PCCS bus service in the afternoon on January 16 and 17. PCCS students have morning classes only on those days. Also, February 27 is a late start day for PCCS. There will be no morning buses that day. Please make alternate transportation arrangements.

Schedule Note for January 20

All Saints teachers and students will be in school on Monday, January 20. On December 2, students were not in session because of an Archdiocese of Detroit Professional Development day. To ensure we are meeting attendance requirements, school is in session on January 20. This is the incentive dress-down day for children of current families who have donated to the Fund for All Saints. There are no PCCS buses that day, so please make alternate transportation arrangements.

Calling All Cover Artists

Is there an aspiring artist in your family?

Your student should submit their letter-sized, cover-worthy artwork to Ms. Roser no later than February 1 for a chance to be this year's auction program cover artist. The cover should depict the theme: *Growing Our Future*.

The sample pictured here was last year's winning cover entry. Good luck and happy drawing!

Growing

OUR
Future!



January Virtue in Practice: Gratitude

Throughout the month of January, students, families, staff and the greater ASCS community will be invited to participate in the building of a large bulletin-board display featuring 10,000+ reasons we are grateful to God for the blessings in our lives.

This is a new community project that will serve as a visual reminder for the countless gifts God provides to us as individuals, as families, and as a community of faith. Participation is easy! Find the template at the end of this newsletter, print, complete as a family (or make multiple copies to share!), and return to school.

Open House Yard Signs Available

The All Saints Open House for new families is on Sunday, January 26, from 11:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. Please encourage your friends, family members, neighbors, and work colleagues to visit us for a tour! Yard signs promoting the open house are available. Please contact the school office if you would like one to display at your house.

OPEN HOUSE
PRESCHOOL TO 8TH GRADE

SUNDAY, JAN. 26, 2020

11:00 AM.
TO
2:00 P.M.



48735 WARREN RD. CANTON, MI 48187
[www.AllSaintsCS.com](http://www>AllSaintsCS.com)

Health Tips for Parents from the School Office

Many parents ask, "When is my child sick enough to stay home from school?" This is not always an easy question to answer! We hope that these tips can help!

A child who is sick will not be able to perform well in school and is likely to spread the illness to other children and staff. We suggest making a plan for childcare ahead of time so you will not be caught without a comforting place for your child to stay if he/she is ill.

If you do keep your child at home, it's important to phone the school on the first day. Our school policy states that you should not send your child to school if he/she has:

- Fever in the past 24 hours
- Vomiting in the past 24 hours
- Diarrhea in the past 24 hours
- Chills
- Sore throat
- Strep Throat (must have been taking an antibiotic for at least 24 hours before returning to school)
- Bad cold, with a very runny nose or bad cough, especially if it has kept the child awake at night
- Head lice—until your child has been treated according to the doctor's or professional's instructions

If your child becomes ill at school and the office staff feels your child is too sick to benefit from school or is contagious to other children, you will be called to come and take him/her home from school. It is essential that the office staff has a phone number where you can be contacted during the day and an emergency number in the event you cannot be reached. Please be sure that arrangements can be made to transport your child home from school and that childcare is available in case of illness.

If your daytime or emergency phone number changes during the year, please notify the office at 734-451-2490. These guidelines are meant to serve the best interests of all the children and staff in school. If you have questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to call.

RSVP for January 29 Mass and Potluck Dinner

All Saints is so excited to host our first-ever Catholic Schools Week Mass and Potluck Dinner!

What better way to celebrate Catholic education and our school than coming together as a community? On Wednesday, January 29, 2020, we will begin with Mass in our gym at 5:00 p.m. and have a community potluck following in the multi-purpose room.

All Saints will provide the main dish (chicken strips and baked chicken) and drinks, and we ask each family to sign up for a dish to pass.

Please RSVP to www.allsaintscs.com/potluck NO LATER than Thursday, January 23, 2020. We look forward to making this an annual tradition!

Save-the-Date for the Daddy Daughter Dance

Save the date for our Daddy Daughter Dance, coming to the All Saints gym on Saturday, February 8, from 6:00 to 9:00 p.m. The theme will be "A Winter Wonderland Night." Ticket reservation information will be available soon.

Visit Catholic Central's Activities Night

Catholic Central High School invites 7th and 8th grade boys and their families to meet club moderators and athletic coaches to learn more about the school's programs. The session is on Wednesday, January 15, from 7:00 to 8:00 p.m. For more information, contact CC Admissions at (248) 596-3876.



Cold Weather Reminders

With the colder weather arriving, here are just a couple of reminders for our families to keep in mind during the winter months:

- Students still go outside for recess if the temperature is above 10-degrees Fahrenheit, so please dress them in warm gear.
- All ASCS safeties must wear warm clothes outside on duty. They are outside much longer than normal and it is a good example for other students.
- Please do NOT drop off your students prior to the doors opening at 7:50 a.m. With no adult supervision and freezing temperatures, it is not safe for students to be outside.

Donation Drive to Benefit ArborWoman Center Begins Soon

The ASCS Service Planning Team January project is supporting the ArborWoman Center. This center helps women in the greater Ann Arbor area who are facing unexpected pregnancies and assists them with counseling and pregnancy care.

Please consider helping donating to ArborWoman. Specific dates and drop-off locations at school will be announced in a future issue of the newsletter. If students bring in a grade-level item or monetary donation during one of the days of Catholic Schools Week (date TBD), they will be able to wear dress-down clothes.

- K-1 Baby Wash and Diaper Ointment (or monetary donation)
- 2-3 Hooded Towels and Washcloths (or monetary donation)
- 4-5 Sleep & Plays- (3 sizes: 0-3 months, 3-6 months, or 6-9 months) (or monetary donation)
- 6-7 Outfits (or monetary donation)
- 8 Hats and Socks (or monetary donation)

Walk for Life Event Coming

Join other All Saints families at the Walk, Pray, Run for Life. The 5K run/walk will be on May 16, and money raised will support pro-life causes.

Please visit the link for more information and to register.
<http://www.walkprayrunforlife.com/>

Fellowship for Moms Hosts Events

Fellowship for Moms encourages all ASCS moms to attend their upcoming meetings, which are on Fridays, from 9:00 to 10:45 a.m., at St. John Neumann.

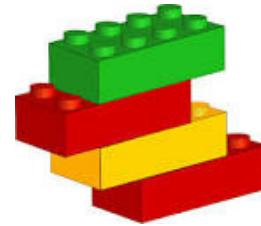
Fr. Mark Livingston is scheduled to speak on February 7 on the topic of "Forgiveness." This will be a great meeting for all moms to attend, even if they have not come to any other meetings. The group will start their session with brunch as usual, and Fr. Mark will begin his talk around 10:00 a.m. Childcare is always available.

For more details, please see the Fellowship for Moms flier at the end of this newsletter.

Seeking Cookie and Water Donations



All Saints is hosting our annual Open House for New Families on Sunday, January 26, from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. We are asking current families to donate packs of small water bottles and 2 dozen cookies (no nuts) for our hospitality table at the event. Please use this link: <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/409094cabac2ca31-all saints> to register. Please bring the donations on Friday, January 24, either at morning dropoff or afternoon pickup. Thank you in advance.



Girl Scouts Collect Lego Donations

ASCS Girl Scouts from 1st and 3rd grades need your help in supporting an upcoming "Legos on the Loose" collection drive.

In January, these students will be participating in an area-wide scouting event to earn their Take Action Engineering Badge. The scouts are asking for donations of unwanted or unloved Legos that you might wish to donate. Maybe you have Legos that are no longer played with or that will have been replaced after the holiday season. Any size donation is appreciated!

CC Hosts Trivia Night

Catholic Central High School is hosting a Trivia Night fund-raiser on Saturday, January 25, starting with a 5:30 p.m. Mass.

The event is open to parents, alumni, and supporters ages 21 and over. For more details, please see the flier at the end of this newsletter.

Drama Club to Perform 'Ever After'

The All Saints Drama Club will be presenting "Ever After: A Musical," on Friday, April 3. There will be two performances: at 10:00 a.m. and 7:00 p.m. Please see the poster at the end of this newsletter.

Mercy HS Hosts French Day

Mercy High School invites all 7th and 8th grade girls to spend a Saturday immersed in French culture.

For details about this February 8 event, please see the flier at the end of the newsletter.

Blue Thunder News

www.ascsatletics.com

Basketball Results

Saturday, January 11, 2020

JV Boys 1 **18**

St. Patrick Brighton #1 21

JV Boys 4 **6**

Our Lady of Sorrows #119

JV Boys 5 **25**

St. Joseph L.O. #1 10

JV Girls 2 **4**

St. Patrick Brighton #2 6

Varsity Boys 1 **29**

St. Anne #1 45

Friday, January 10, 2020

JV Boys 2 **24**

St. William #2 17

JV Boys 4 **2**

Our Lady of Victory #1 20

JV Boys 5 **25**

St. Pius X #1 27

Varsity Boys 1 **36**

St. Patrick Brighton #1 42

Varsity Boys 2 **29**

St. Patrick Brighton #2 16

Varsity Girls 1 **30**

St. Patrick Brighton 25

Varsity Girls 2 **24**

St. Francis Assisi #2 19



Basketball Highlights



The All Saints JV5 boys lost a heartbreaker to St. Pius 27-25 on Friday, but rebounded to victory over St. Joseph Lake Orion 25-10 on Saturday. The boys showed great heart, hustle, and team effort both days.



The Girls JV3 battled hard in a losing defensive effort to St. Pius X on Saturday with a final score of 14 to 6. Anna Bommarito, Kaylee Ketelhut, and Aubrey Darga all scored in the game. However, the St. Pius X girls were dominant in steals and rebounds, which made all the difference in the outcome.

All Saints Catholic School Fellowship for Moms

Meetings are on Fridays from 9-10:45 a.m. at St. John Neumann

The book, *Death by Minivan*, is written by Heather Renshaw

January 10th- Discuss chapters 5 (Patience) and 6 (Gentleness) of *Death by Minivan*

January 24th- Susan Zalupski, L.M.S.W., speaking on a variety of parenting issues

February 7th- Fr. Mark Livingston speaking on Forgiveness (Optional: read chapter 10 on Forgiveness of *Death by Minivan* prior to meeting)

February 21st- Discuss chapters 7 (Humor) and 8 (Kindness) of *Death by Minivan*

March 6th- Daily Mass as a group at 9AM, followed by a meal

March 20th- Discuss chapters 9 (Self-control) and 11 (Gratitude) of *Death by Minivan*

April 3rd- Charity Baby Shower supporting Guadalupe Workers

May 1st- Discuss chapters 12 (Goodness) and 13 (Faithfulness) of *Death by Minivan*

May 15th- Last meeting of the year



Join Us for All Saints' First Annual

Family Mass and Potluck Dinner



Wednesday, January 29, 2020

Join Us for Mass from 5:00 to 6:00 p.m.
Potluck Dinner Is from 6:00 to 7:00 p.m.

RSVP at www.allsaintscs.com/potluck by Thursday, January 23



The 2019-2020

ALL SAINTS DRAMA CLUB

Proudly Presents



The Ever After A Musical

Book by
Nathan Hartwick
Music & Lyrics by
Bill Francoeur

 **Pioneer**
Drama Service



Mark Your Calendars!

Friday April 3rd 2020
10am School Wide Show
7pm Show for the Public





DONATE YOUR LOOSE LEGOS

ASCS Lego Collection Drive

Sponsored by the First & Third Grade GIRL SCOUTS

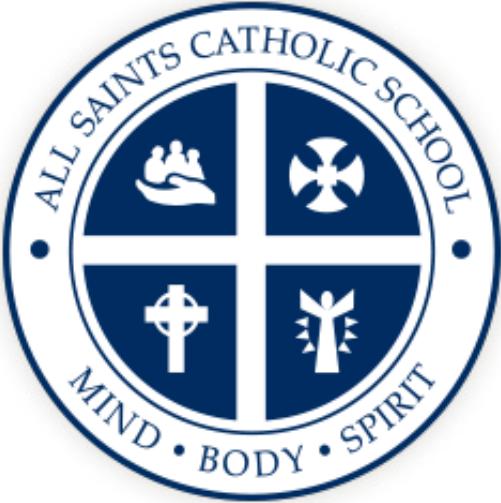
**Please send any “unwanted” Legos
in a zip lock bag, into school during
the weeks of Jan 6th-17th!**

Legos will be repurposed & made into kits for use throughout the ASCS
community & other organizations in need.

A box will be outside the office for donations

Questions? Contact Carie Bellamy at cbellamy@allsaintscs.com or
Kristin Felsburg at felsburgkris@yahoo.com

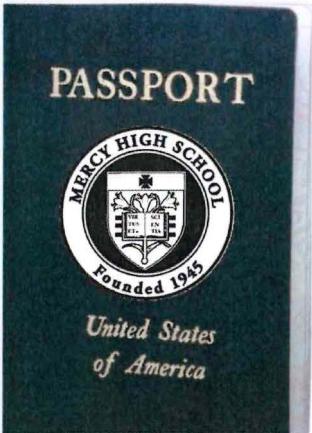
10,000 Reasons we are grateful to God!



Heavenly Father,
Thank you for

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit.
As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world
without end.

Amen.



Passport to France

Please join us for a morning of French conversation and culture at Mercy High School.

The day will be hosted by the Mercy High School French Department, French Honor Society, and French Club.

Saturday, February 8, 2020

9:00am - 1:30pm

Cost: \$40

All 7th and 8th Grade girls are invited to come to Mercy for the ultimate French immersion experience!

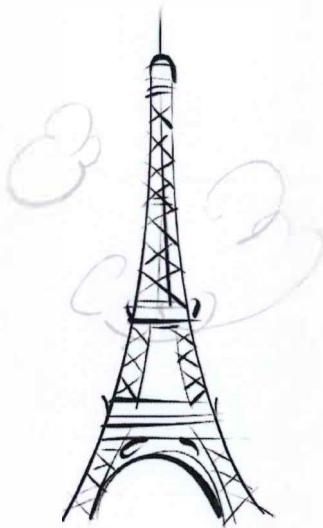
You will learn basic French vocabulary and conversation and learn about regional French cuisine, customs, music, and art.

The day includes a typical French breakfast upon arrival and students will have hands-on experience making their own crepes for lunch. Participants will also receive a special French souvenir.
Merci!

Space is limited! Please complete and return the bottom portion to register and send \$40 payment by February 1, 2020. Checks are to be made payable to Mercy High School.

Enter the building via the flagpole courtyard which faces 11 Mile Road.

Madame Joyce Campbell
Language Department Chair
jacampbell@mhsmi.org
248-893-3577



Student Name _____ Grade _____

Present School _____

Current Language Being Studied _____

Phone Number _____ E-Mail _____

Mail with payment to: *Mercy High School French Department Attn: Madame Campbell*
29300 W. 11 Mile Rd. Farmington Hills, MI 48336

Saturday, January 25

CC Families, Alumni & Friends
All Welcome! (age 21 and over)
Located in the large gym

Catholic Central Mothers' Club

TRIVIA NIGHT

in conjunction with the CC Dads' Club

Early bird pricing: \$25 by January 10th - \$35 January 10th thru the 20th - Deadline to register January 20th

Doors open at 5:00pm

Mass begins at 5:30pm in the chapel

Bar open 6:30pm - 11:00pm

Questions begin promptly at 7:00pm

\$25
Entry Fee
per person
- prepaid*

**Table vs. Table
Teams of 8**

Answers for sale!

50/50 Drawing!

Arm-to-arm for \$20

**2 Pizzas
provided per table!
Bring a dish to pass!
Adult Beverage Bar**
(drinks \$5 each)
Bring other drinks
& snacks!**

Superbowl Theme

Wear your football apparel!

**Best decorated table
wins a prize!**

