

November 15, 2023

SACRED HEART CATHOLIC SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

MESSAGE FROM THE PRINCIPAL

HAPPY THANKSGIVING! SINCE WE WILL NOT HAVE SCHOOL NEXT WEEK, I THOUGHT IT APPROPRIATE TO GO AHEAD AND WISH EVERYONE A HAPPY THANKSGIVING! WE ARE SO THANKFUL THAT YOU ARE A PART OF OUR COMMUNITY AND FOR EVERYTHING THAT OUR FAMILIES DO FOR OUR SCHOOL. WHEN WE RETURN FROM THANKSGIVING BREAK, WE

WILL HAVE INTERIM REPORTS ON NOVEMBER 30TH. WE ALSO WANT TO REMIND EVERYONE, ESPECIALLY OUR ALUMNI, ABOUT OUR 70TH ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION, HAPPENING ON SATURDAY, DECEMBER 2ND FOLLOWING THE 5 PM VIGIL MASS. I PRAY THAT **EVERYONE HAS A SAFE AND** RELAXING THANKSGIVING HOLIDAY.

UPCOMING DATES

NOVEMBER 20 -November 24 No CLASSES THANKSGIVING BREAK

NOVEMBER 23 & 24 OFFICE CLOSED

WEDNESDAY November 29 70TH DAY OF SCHOOL

SATURDAY DECEMBER 2 70TH ANNIVERSARY PARTY

> WEDNESDAY DECEMBER 6 PTO MEETING 2:00

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VIRTUS

VIRTUS IS A VERY IMPORTANT PART OF OUR SAFE ENVIRONMENT. IT IS A CLASS REQUIRED BY ALL VOLUNTEERS TO TEACH ADULTS HOW TO IDENTIFY UNSAFE ADULTS AND HOW TO PROTECT OUR STUDENTS FROM THESE UNSAFE ADULTS. CLASSES WILL BE OFFERED MONTHLY AT THE SCHOOL. ALL VOLUNTEERS MUST REGISTER AND PARTICIPATE IN A SESSION BEFORE SIGNING UP FOR FIELD TRIPS, CAFETERIA HELP, ETC. YOU CAN REGISTER FOR A SESSION BY HEADING TO VIRTUS.ORG AND CHOOSING DIOCESE OF RICHMOND WHEN CREATING YOUR ACCOUNT.

November 15, 2023: 5:30 P.M.
January 24, 2024: 9:30 A.M.
February 21, 2024: 5:30 P.M.
March 20, 2024: 9:30 A.M.
April 17, 2024: 5:30 P.M.
May 1, 2024: 9:30 A.M.

ENROLL IN OUR NEW MESSENGER SERVICE!

SHCS HAS PURCHASED A NEW NOTIFICATION ALERT SYSTEM.

PARENT ALERT WILL ALLOW US TO SEND OUT COMMUNICATIONS

VIA TEXT, PHONE CALL, AND EMAIL FOR ALL NOTIFICATIONS.

THIS NEW SYSTEM WILL TAKE THE PLACE OF SCHOOL

MESSENGER.

TEXT "START" TO 31706 TO GET STARTED TODAY!

ALL TEXT ALERTS WILL BEGIN WITH "SHCS INFO" & ALL CALLS WILL COME FROM 434-793-2656

THE SHCS OFFICE WILL BE CLOSED NOVEMBER 23 & 24.

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DEAR SACRED HEART FAMILY,



AS WE CONTINUE TO GIVE BACK TO OUR COMMUNITY AND TEACH OUR STUDENTS THE IMPORTANCE OF SERVITUDE AND MINISTERING TO OTHERS, OUR ADVENT SERVICE PROJECT PROVIDES ANOTHER OPPORTUNITY TO DO SO.

EVERY YEAR DURING ADVENT SHCS PARTICIPATES IN SACRED HEART CHURCH'S ANGEL TREE OUTREACH PROGRAM FOR FAMILIES IN NEED IN THE DANVILLE AREA.

WE WILL AGAIN BE COLLECTING FOOD ITEMS TO FILL FOOD BOXES FOR AREA FAMILIES. EACH SAINT FAMILY HAS DECORATED A BOX TO FILL! WE ARE ATTACHING A LIST OF ITEMS THAT ARE STAPLES FOR A PANTRY, AND THAT WOULD ALSO BE NICE TO HAVE FOR A HOLIDAY MEAL. IF EACH STUDENT WOULD BRING IN A FOOD ITEM OR A COUPLE OF DOLLARS, WE WILL USE THE MONEY TO PURCHASE A GROCERY CARD FOR A HAM OR TURKEY TO GO WITH EACH BOX. THERE WILL BE TEN FOOD BOXES IN ALL.

As always, thank you for your generosity each year with this wonderful project putting our students into action on the Corporal Work of Mercy, "Feed the Hungry"! Please send in your food OR monetary donations by Wednesday, December 13th

PEACE & BLESSINGS,

THE SACRED HEART CATHOLIC SCHOOL THEOLOGY DEPARTMENT

SUGGESTED FOOD BASKET ITEMS

(PLEASE LIMIT CAN SIZE TO 16 OZ.)

RICE BEANS FLOUR MUSTARD SALSA SOFT DRINKS

CEREAL SOUPS CRACKERS KETCHUP TORTILLAS COOKIES

CANNED FRUIT & VEGETABLES CANNED MEATS SNACKS NABS

MAYONNAISE CAKE MIX ICING PEANUT BUTTER POTATOES

SUGAR FRUIT ROLL-UPS VEGETABLE OIL JELLO PUDDING

JUICE PASTA JARRED SAUCE

LITTLE DEBBIE SNACKS (OR THE LIKE)