



NOVEMBER 29, 2023

# SACRED HEART CATHOLIC SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

## MESSAGE FROM THE PRINCIPAL

WELCOME BACK FROM THANKSGIVING BREAK! I PRAY THAT EVERYONE HAD AN ENJOYABLE BREAK AND IS NOW READY FOR THE SEASON OF ADVENT, WHICH BEGINS THIS COMING SUNDAY. AS WE JOURNEY THROUGH ADVENT TOGETHER TOWARD OUR CHRISTMAS BREAK, WE WANT EVERYONE TO CONTINUE TO SUPPORT OUR 2ND QUARTER SERVICE PROJECT AND OUR I GIVE CATHOLIC EFFORTS. THE SERVICE PROJECT SUPPORTS THE ANGEL TREE PROJECT, SPECIFICALLY FOCUSED ON PROVIDING FOOD BOXES FOR FAMILIES IN NEED. OUR I GIVE CATHOLIC EFFORTS ARE FOCUSED ON THE SCHOOL'S CAMPUS EXCELLENCE FUND, WHICH HELPS PROVIDE NEEDED MAINTENANCE AND UPGRADES TO OUR CAMPUS. ALSO, IT'S TIME TO MARK YOUR CALENDAR FOR OUR CHRISTMAS FINE ARTS EVENING, TAKING PLACE ON THURSDAY, DECEMBER 7TH AT 6:00 PM. THIS IS A NEW TIME FOR OUR ANNUAL PROGRAM. WE LOOK FORWARD TO SEEING YOU THERE. UNTIL NEXT WEEK, STAY SAFE AND BE BLESSED!

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## UPCOMING DATES

**SATURDAY  
DECEMBER 2  
70TH ANNIVERSARY PARTY**

**WEDNESDAY  
DECEMBER 6  
PTO MEETING  
2:00**

**THURSDAY  
DECEMBER 7  
FINE ARTS EVENING  
6:00 - SHCC**

**TUESDAY  
DECEMBER 12  
PAINT YOUR OWN ORNAMENT  
3:15-4:00**

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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.

**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.**



YOUR STUDENT IS INVITED TO JOIN US TUESDAY, DECEMBER 12 FROM 3:15 - 4:00 TO PAINT THEIR OWN CHRISTMAS ORNAMENT! ALL SUPPLIES ARE PROVIDED AND THE EVENT IS FREE, COURTESY OF SHCS.

PLEASE CLICK THE LINK IN THE ORNAMENT IF YOUR STUDENT WILL BE JOINING!



**LEAVE US A  
REVIEW ON NICHE!**



- 1. CLICK THIS LINK**
- 2. SELECT "WRITE A REVIEW" IN THE TOP RIGHT CORNER**
- 3. SELECT "K-12 SCHOOL"**
- 4. SELECT "VA" AS THE STATE & SEARCH "SACRED HEART CATHOLIC SCHOOL"**
- 5. SELECT OUR SCHOOL & COMPLETE THE PROMPTS**

*thank you*

NOVEMBER 15, 2023



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)**

