



## Principal's Thoughts

The Annual May Parent Meeting is scheduled for Wednesday, May 8<sup>th</sup>. Please plan on having at least one parent from each household attend. The purpose of this "State of the School Address" is to highlight important information about the current school year regarding finances, academic growth and updates from the School Board and PACE. The new families will be introduced and welcomed. News about the upcoming school year regarding changes in staffing, uniforms and curriculum will also be shared.

We will begin the evening with an appreciation reception on the Cauchi Hall patio at 5:30pm. The staff would like to thank all of you for the many hours you have given by helping in the classrooms, chaperoning field trips, planning parties and coordinating fundraising events to benefit our children. This is a wonderful opportunity to introduce yourselves to the new families to help them feel welcomed and see the power of our community.

A line in our philosophy states: *As a community of pastor, parents, teachers, and staff; we provide a caring environment.*

Let us come together on the 8<sup>th</sup> to celebrate this powerful message of partnership and dedication to your children.

### ***St. Agnes School Mission Statement***

***St. Agnes School, in partnership with the Catholic Schools in the Diocese of Oakland educate children in the Catholic faith and nurture their minds, bodies, and souls, inspiring them to live the Gospel of Jesus Christ, achieve their highest academic and creative potential, and actively serve and enrich the community***



#### • **Arbor Day Ceremony**

- You are invited to join us this Friday, April 26<sup>th</sup> at 1:30pm to celebrate Arbor Day.
- A tree will be planted on the lawn next to the church patio to commemorate the 60<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the Parish and celebrate the future generations that will enjoy its shade and beauty.
- Thank you to Tim McGallian for providing the golden shovels our Student Council members will use to help plant this tree, donated by Sloat Nursery. Mr. Hamerson and the choir also have a special song to sing and Fr. Luke will bestow a blessing.



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• **Teacher Appreciation**

- PACE is busy planning very special surprises for our staff to celebrate Teacher Appreciation Week.
- An envelope from PACE has been included in your envelope today and you should have received instructions from your room parent about this project. Thank you in advance for your timely attention to this matter.

• **May Crowning of Mary**

- The 7<sup>th</sup> grade students are busy preparing this much loved prayer service in honor of Mary our Mother.
- Please join us on Wednesday, May 1<sup>st</sup> at 9:00AM to pray for Mary's intercessions and recognize her for the powerful role model she is to us.
- Children are asked to bring a flower for their class bouquet.
- All students need to be in formal uniform.

• **Joyful Lunch-May 1<sup>st</sup>!**

- Thank you to the many parents that purchased the tickets for this event at the Auction.
- Students will be called over to the lunch tables at dismissal for a special lunch prepared by the staff. Games, dancing and much laughter will follow.
- Please pick children up by 2:00pm at the flag pole.

• **Uniform Exchange**

- Please consider donating your child's gently used uniform items to the Uniform Exchange Program. Clothing can be bagged and place on the tables next to the office or faculty room doors.
- The uniform will not be changing next year only the vendor we use.
- **Thank you in advance for participating.**

• **It's Time to Register!**

- Reserve your child's spot for vacation bible camp at St. Bonaventure the week of June 24<sup>th</sup>.
- Register online at: <https://www.stbonaventure.net/vacation-bible-camp>



- Thank you Mrs. Zahn for coordinating the Mother Son Event that was held last Saturday at Clayton Valley Bowl. It was wonderful to have this event back again! The pins were flying and the energy was high! I hope all mothers and sons in attendance had a great time!

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*Weekly Schoolwide Learning Expectation: 4.3 An effective communicator who is able to cooperate and collaborate with others.*



- **Don't Be Late!**

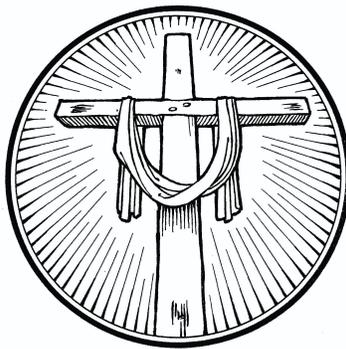
- "Don't Be late for a Very Important Date-Ticket sales end today at 11:59PM!
- Father Daughter Dance tickets are now on sale: \$45/couple and \$10 for each additional daughter.
- HURRY, to secure your spot for a magical evening of cherished memories and delightful moments.

- **Dine Out Coming May 1<sup>st</sup>**

- Please join us at Artesanal Grill next Wednesday between the hours of 11AM-7PM.
- A big thank you to the Barragan Family (Graciela and Jorge's parents) for donating 20% of the purchases back to St. Agnes!
- A flyer with the details has been included in your envelope today and must be presented at the time of purchase.

- **PACE Positions Available**

- You should have received an email blast last week advertising the open positions on the PACE Board.
- Please complete the form if you are interested in joining this very energetic and fun group.



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	<b>IMPORTANT DATES AND EVENTS</b>
4/24	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Alex &amp; Oliver Ziegenbusch-Principals for the Day!</li><li>• Father Daughter Ticket Sales End Today!</li></ul>
4/25	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• School Board Meeting 6:30pm - Ministry Center</li></ul>
4/26	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Coffee Social 7:45am</li><li>• 8:15am Mass (2<sup>nd</sup> &amp; 6<sup>th</sup> Formal)</li><li>• Arbor Day-Tree Planting Ceremony 1:30 Church Patio</li><li>• Progress Reports Go Home</li></ul>
4/27	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Work Party 9am-1pm</li><li>• Father Daughter Dance 6pm-9:30pm Cauchi Hall Patio</li></ul>
4/28	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• 5<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Easter (<i>Jn 15:1-8</i>)</li></ul>
4/30	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Spirit T-Shirt Tuesday</li></ul>
5/1	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• May Crowning 9am Formal-Bring a flower</li><li>• Minimum Day-12:00 Dismissal</li><li>• Joyful Lunch 12pm-2:00pm</li></ul>
5/4	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• First Eucharist Mass: 10am &amp; 12pm</li></ul>