



December News

Dear Parents and Guardians,

2017

November was quite a month here at Our Lady of Sorrows School. We said a heartfelt goodbye to Mrs. Anita Tartaglia, who decided to retire, and we bid a warm hello to our new Administrative Assistant, Mrs. Jennifer Ench. We began the month with a beautiful school mass on All Saints Day, which was planned by the Sixth Grade with the help of Mr. Ferro. The Student Council provided us with an election day to remember, as Molly Donahue and Ciara McKeon presented a mock debate on the issues. An informative presentation on the Civil War was also made possible through the efforts of the Student Council. Our HSA ran a smashing Tricky Tray Fundraiser which was enjoyed by a full house of Our Lady of Sorrows School supporters. Special thanks to Diana Tynan and Michelle Lomuscio for all of their efforts to make the night a success! Additional thanks to all of the volunteers who gave so generously of their time to help with the event.

Thanksgiving is a holiday that has special meaning for us as a community of children and their families, teachers, and staff. We are truly blessed here at Our Lady of Sorrows and for those blessings we are sincerely grateful.

In the halls, the sounds of children singing Christmas carols abounds. As we go into December in the season of Advent, we have the gift of Jesus' birth ahead of us. On December 5th, in the gym, our children in grades kindergarten through eight will sing carols and narrate the first Christmas. Closer to Christmas, the Pre-Kindergarten will put on a nativity pageant that will be sure to warm our hearts as we welcome Jesus Christ on Christmas Day.

Happiness, love, and peace to all during this holiday month and always. God bless us all!

Love,

Ms. Foley

Friday, December 1

Optional winter uniform and slacks for the girls may be worn through March. Slacks are those from Flynn & O'Hara Uniform Co.

12:15 Dismissal – Faculty Meeting

Sat/Sun, December 2-3

H.S.A Wreath sale after all Masses

Week of December 4th

Tuesday, December 5

Thursday, December 7th

Friday, December 8th

Sat/Sun December 9-10

Saturday, December 9

Sunday, December 10

Tuesday, December 12

Wednesday, December 13

Friday, December 15

Sat/Sun, December 16-17

Monday, December 18

Tuesday, December 19

Wednesday, December 20

Friday, December 22

December 23 – January 2

January 3

Secret Santa's Workshop

Christmas Performance - *A Christmas to Believe In*

7:30PM OLS Gym

Report Cards issued

Feast of the Immaculate Conception- Holy Day, School Closed

H.S.A Wreath Sale after all Masses

Sacrament of First Reconciliation 10:00 am

Holiday Extravaganza 10am-2pm Please stop by and enjoy!

-Food, crafts, pictures with Santa

School Mass -9: 30Am (Grade 5)

Christmas Caroling in School

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H.S.A Wreath Sale after all Masses

Penance Service – 9:00AM Grades 6, 7, & 8

Penance service – 9:00Am Grades 3, 4 & 5

PreK 3 & 4 Dress Rehearsal – 9Am

PreK 3 & 4 Christmas Show – 9Am – School Gym

Parents and children invited to attend.

12:15 Dismissal – NO AFTERCARE

School is closed for Christmas Vacation

School re – opens



A note of thanks to all who brought in their Halloween candy, food for the Thanksgiving Food drive, and items for Puerto Rico. We helped a lot of families.

Thank you to all who so generously gave their time to prepare and run our Tricky Tray event. A big thank you to all who donated money and/or baskets.

Coming Attractions

- Jan. 4 National Geography Bee
- Jan. 5 Feast of the Holy Name School mass 9:30 am Grade 4
12:15 Dismissal – Faculty Meeting
- Jan. 11 Spelling Bee
- Jan. 15 Martin Luther King Day – School Closed
- Jan. 19 8th Grade Graduation pictures
- Jan. 28 Opening of Catholic Schools Week – 9:30AM Mass – All student
- Jan. 30 Religion Spelling Bee – 1:15PM St. Joseph’s Hall Gr. 4-8
- Jan. 31 Funplex Grades K-8
No School for Prek3 & PreK4

