

Bear Blast

February 14 - 18, 2022



Our Mission - *United by our core values of Faith, Family, Knowledge and Service, St. Anthony Catholic School is committed to providing a learning environment that promotes academic excellence, spiritual growth, and moral development. Preparing students to be good stewards of God's gifts.*



Message from the Principal

Dear St. Anthony Families,

It is auction week! Class projects are endearing and unique, menu is complete, decorations are ready to be assembled, auction items are loaded on the website, paddle raise is ready to take off, House competition is underway, and the Golden Ticket is golden! Marie Gliniski and her Mardi Gras Carnival Committee has been working hard to make this event spectacular. Please follow the link to the Auction website and get your paddle! Please share our event with your friends and neighbors. I am also excited to announce that we will have Mardi Gras dinners available with each purchased ticket and available for pickup at the Family Center. This event is our school's most important fundraiser of the year, and we are excited to have you be a part of it.

Re-registration Packets for the 2022 - 2023 schoolyear will be sent home with your children in the Tuesday Folder this week. Please remember to return your student Re-Enrollment form with the \$100.00 registration fee per student. Thank you!

Happy St. Valentine's Day to all of you!

"And now these three remain: faith, hope and love. But the greatest of these is love." 1 Corinthians

Blessings,

Mrs. Salemmo

Mark Your Calendar

February 14 – Happy Valentines Day; class parties at 2:15 p.m.; students may wear valentine shirts with uniform bottoms

February 17 – 6:30 p.m. First Reconciliation

February 18 – Noon Dismissal (students & staff)

February 19 – Virtual Mardi Gras Carnival

February 21 – No School; Presidents' Day

February 24 – Birthday NUT Day

March 4 – No School; Diocesan PD

March 21 – End Third Quarter



Students may wear valentine shirts with uniform bottoms on Monday. Pink or red hairbows are also acceptable.

Classroom parties will be at 2:15 unless the teacher has communicated a different schedule.

Prayer to St. Valentine



O St. Valentine, lover of Christ and the Church,
we ask your intercession
that we may learn
how to love God
above all things, and
to selflessly love
one another.

O glorious St. Valentine,
pray for us, that we too
may have the steadfast
faith of the martyrs.

Noon Dismissal on Friday

After Care will be available

Normal Fees apply

Students should bring a bagged lunch.

MASK UPDATE



Monday we will be moving back to the first phase of the mask exit process given by the Diocese of Charleston's Catholic School's Office which allows for masks to be removed while students are seated at their desks. Following two weeks of success with phase one, we will be following the original guideline of requiring masks indoors only when social distancing cannot be maintained. We will continue to monitor data and move back to masks if the data goes above the guidelines.



We want to welcome Alexandria Toborg and Sherell Williams to our school. They are both students at Florence-Darlington Technical College who will be completing a Field Experience in our 4K and 5K classes. We are excited about the opportunities for both Alexandria and Sherell and for our students.

BASKETBALL

Schedule for the Week of February 14 - 18

Third/Fourth Grade Team**

Tuesday	4:00 p.m.	St. Anthony at All Saints
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Fifth/Sixth Grade Team**

Tuesday	5:00 p.m.	St. Anthony at All Saints
Wednesday	4:20 p.m.	Home Game vs. Montessori

**Basketball players are allowed to wear their jerseys to school on days of games as long as they have uniform bottoms on. Also, the white T-Shirt must be worn under the jersey.

Click for the [Revised Basketball Schedule](#)

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Mrs. Cibock has done a wonderful job preparing our students for the sacraments. Please join us in prayer for the students receiving their First Reconciliation this Thursday, March 17.

A Prayer for our Reconciliation Candidates

Loving God help us to teach our children that you love us totally and unconditionally. Help us to encourage our children to grow in love and to learn how to say sorry, knowing that you always forgive. Give us the courage to pray with our children and to share our faith with them as we journey together. We ask this through Christ our Lord. Amen



Tuesday, 3:30 – 4:30

Warbucks, Grace and Annie

Thursday, 3:30 – 4:30

Scene 5 NYC

Our "off-book" day is February 24. That means that no books will be allowed on stage from here on. Lines need to be memorized.



February 24th
and
February 25th

February ThankScriping Day is coming and it's two days long! Mark your calendar for the big event, happening the 24th and 25th. It's a huge opportunity to multiply your organization's earnings with bonuses on many popular brands.

Things to know:

- Bonuses apply to eGift cards and reloadable gift cards only.
- Families must have an online account to participate.

If you have any questions about the St. Anthony Scrip program, please contact Teri Kooper at tkooper@bellsouth.net



Custom Mardi Gras Masks - \$10

Help St. Anthony celebrate Mardi Gras Carnival by purchasing a custom Mardi Gras mask decoration.

All masks will be displayed on the schoolyard during the week of February 14 and will be on display during the live auction February 19th.

Email the name you would like displayed on your mask to saintanthonygala@gmail.com

It's a House Party

Voting is Now Open!


VOTE FOR YOUR FAVORITE HOUSE! THE HOUSE WITH THE MOST VOTES
WILL HAVE ITS OWN MARDI GRAS CARNIVAL
AT THE PAVILION

\$1.00

Use Your Camera to **VOTE NOW**

CATELOG TAB

ST. JUDE	ITEM #801
ST. PAUL	ITEM #802
ST. JOHN BOSCO	ITEM #803
ST. CRISPIN	ITEM #804



St. Anthony Virtual Mardi Gras Carnival

Putting All the Pieces Together

Online Auction

Online Auction is available for everyone to bid on items from February 4th until February 19th at 8pm. You must register ahead of bidding, but registration for this is free!

Tickets

There are many ticket options to fit individuals, couples, or families. Only one bid ticket is needed per family (\$30). The Golden Ticket is back by popular demand and again, only 50 are available!

Dinner

Brooklyn South Deli will be catering the Virtual Mardi Gras Carnival Live Auction. Additional dinners can be added to any of our ticket options for \$25. Dinner options will be Chicken & Sausage Jambalaya or Shrimp and Grits with Salad, Bread, Dessert, & choice of beverage. These dinners will be available for pickup on Saturday, February 19th at the Monsignor Duffy Family Center between 4:00 and 6:30 pm.

Carnival Auction Preview

Join us for a little Mardi Gras Carnival Fun & Auction Preview! We will have all auction items available for viewing in the Monsignor Duffy Family Center. We want to give everyone an opportunity to check out the items and we also want to bring you a little Carnival fun!

Preview Fun!

Come in and enjoy coffee, wine, beer, water, or tea and a homemade cupcake by Brooklyn South Deli. Join us for either of our Auction Previews:

Friday, February 18th 3:30-6:30
Saturday, February 19th 4:00 - 6:30

Preview Fun!

Wine Basket Raffle

\$10 per ticket. Take a chance on this amazing wine basket! Packed full of all your favorite wine and wine essentials!

Preview Fun!

Guess How Many Beads

\$1 per vote. How many beads can fit into one hurricane glass? The winner of this fun game will be given a Family Fun Basket packed with all the fun a family needs to have a great time!

Preview Fun!

50/50 board

\$10 per spot. 100 spots for sale and the winning # will split the pot with St. Anthony School! \$500 to each!

Live Auction

The live auction will start promptly at 7:00 pm on February 19th. A bid ticket/paddle must be purchased prior to the event.

An email will be sent to those that bought a bid ticket 10 minutes prior to the live auction.

This will provide access to the live event. This auction has so many incredible items; Vacation Packages, Student Creations, Family Fun Days, Raceway Tickets and so much more!