

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,

Friday was the 4th Grade's presentation of their Saint Projects. The students lead Mass, blessed us with their voices, taught us about Saints who demonstrated their unyielding Faith, celebrated in the Media Center with family and earned a pizza party from Father John. Thank you to Mrs. Sansbury and Mrs. Gerth for preparing the students for this wonderful day and the fifth-grade room parents for hosting the reception following Mass.

Monday we will begin 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 provided data guidelines. A more detailed letter regarding this process will be sent home to parents. Thank you for your continued support and cooperation regarding masks and the safety of our school community!

Wednesday we will be celebrating Veterans Day with Veterans from our parish, school families and the Florence Community. Weather permitting, we will be outside giving tribute to the people who have served, past and present, for our Country! The students have a beautiful program to present under the direction of Mrs. Gerth, Mr. C., and Mr. Spivey. Please join us! I want you to be as touched as I am watching your children do what they do best-share their talents to bring joy!

Blessings,

Mrs. Galemme

Upcoming EVENTS MARK YOUR CALENDAR

Oct. 18 – Nov. 12 – Food Drive

November 9 – House Meeting; Students should wear their House T-shirt

November 10 – 9 a.m. Veterans Day Program

November 12 – School Pictures; International Festival; PTO Meeting 1:30 p.m. in the Pavilion

November 14 – Parish Anniversary

Nov. 15 – Dec. 10 – Toys for Tots

November 17 – 2:15 p.m. Prayers of Thanksgiving

November 18 – Birthday NUT Card Day; Family Thanksgiving Lunch

November 19 – Noon Dismissal (students and staff)

November 22-26 – No School; Thanksgiving Break

Please Send Pictures



If you have any family members who are veterans, living or deceased, please send in pictures for our program. Please make sure the child's name is on the back and give to their homeroom teacher by **November 8**. The pictures will be returned after the program.



We will have **House Meetings on Tuesday, November 9!** The uniform for Tuesday is the house T-shirt. Students may wear jeans with their house shirt.

Picture Day

Friday, November 12

Students should wear Mass uniforms. Information was sent in the Tuesday Folder. There will be no make-up pictures. Orders can be placed online at Lifetouch. You will need to use the Picture Day ID: EVTWMXFH4



PARENT SURVEY

Please take a few minutes to complete a survey regarding our school. Your response is confidential and very much appreciated. Please have the survey completed by Friday, November 19. Use the following link to access the survey.

[Parent Survey](#)

Covid Updates for St. Anthony School

Student cases	0
Faculty cases	0
Students quarantined	0
Faculty quarantined	0

Please remember to
send your child/children
with masks!

Thanksgiving Lunch

Thursday, November 18

Join us as we give thanks for God's blessings and enjoy a Thanksgiving feast together.

Lunch times

3K - 3rd Grade 10:50 - 11:20

4th - 8th Grades 11:40 - 12:10

Menu: Ham, Macaroni and Cheese, Green Beans, Crescent Roll, and Apple Crisp

Please remember to **RSVP**
by Friday, November 12.

Rosary Challenge

Our school community prayed **160 rosaries** for the respect of human life from conception to natural death! The house totals were St. Crispin - 56, St. John Bosco - 28, St. Jude - 51, and St. Paul - 25.

Please extend this invitation to family and friends. We would love for them to join us.

We Salute Our Veterans

November 10

In front of St. Anthony Church

Donuts and Coffee at 8:15 a.m.

Program by St. Anthony School at 9:00 a.m.

Veterans and their spouses are invited. Please call the church office at 843-662-5674 to make a reservation.



International Festival

Friday, November 12, 5-8 p.m.

Saint Anthony Catholic School

Join us for a world tour filled with fun, live music with "Ritmo y Corazón", dancing and delicious foods.

Countries represented will include Azerbaijan, Botswana, Brazil, Cuba, Germany, Haiti, India, Italy, Lebanon, Mexico, Moldova, Pakistan, Philippines, Poland, Republic of Georgia, Romania, Thailand, Ukraine, USA, Venezuela and West Bank.

Free Admission

*Tickets for food will be available for purchase, or they can be purchased in advance at the school office.

Can you help?

We are in need of canopy tents for the International Festival. If you have a tent that we can use, please contact Elle Thomas, ethomas@saintanthonycatholic.com or call the school office.

Food Drive - House Competition

Final Week

The houses have been in intense competition. House points to date: St. Crispin - 339; St. John Bosco - 595; St. Jude - 686; and St. Paul - 444.

Weekly Special - This week only

Pie Crust Mix earns 3 points

Cake Frosting earns 2 points

Canned Fruit earns 2 points

Cheerios, Kix, or Frosted Mini Wheats (18 - 24 oz)
earns 3 points



Lynch Creek Farm Fundraiser

Lynch Creek Farm is a family-owned business in Shelton, WA. They create beautiful fresh greenery wreaths, trees, centerpieces, and garland that are perfect to use to decorate your home for the holidays or for stress free gift giving (items may be shipped directly to the recipient). There are gorgeous fall and winter holiday options available.

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**THANK
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DAY**
Thursday & Friday
NOV 19 & 20

Get a sneak peak at all the bonuses on Wednesday, November 17.

Take advantage of this event to raise more money and make a bigger impact on your organization. It's a great opportunity to earn during the busiest shopping season of the year. Get gift cards for gifts, decorations, party preparations, special outfits, and so much more.



A very special shout out to **Juan Pablo and Claudia Narvaez, Marcie Tranquill, and Thad Woodall** for coaching our St. Anthony Bears soccer teams for the 2021 Fall Soccer Season. Your hard work, time, patience and dedication is greatly appreciated! You are all a true blessing!



Our **1st - 3rd Grade Soccer Team** had a great season and showed tremendous growth and confidence in playing the game of soccer. They played hard all year and in the Pee Dee Independent Soccer Tournament. We are all so very proud of you!

Our **4th - 6th Grade Soccer Team** had a great season. They entered the Pee Dee Independent Soccer Tournament undefeated. They played in the tournament with heart and integrity. We are all so proud of you!

GO BEARS!

BASKETBALL

The Basketball season will begin after Thanksgiving. Please be on the lookout for permission forms and liability forms coming home in Tuesday Folder. If you would like for your child to play, please return all information ASAP so teams can be formed, and coaches obtained.

St. Anthony Catholic Church Sesquicentennial Celebration

November 14, 2021

1:00 p.m. Bilingual Mass
Individual Healing Prayers following Mass

2:30 - 4:30 p.m. Parish Picnic
Meat and drinks provided by the parish. Families are asked to bring dishes based on the first letter of their last name.

A - D potato salad, coleslaw, or cold salad
E - I fruit or vegetable tray
J - M desserts
N - Z mac and cheese or vegetable casserole