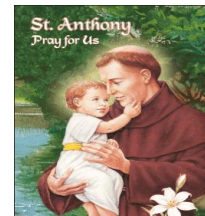


Bear Blast

September 14 - 18, 2020



Our Mission - St. Anthony Catholic School is committed to educating the whole child, by providing a learning environment that promotes academic excellence, spiritual growth, and moral development - building a solid foundation for today's youth to succeed in tomorrow's world.



Message from the Principal

Dear St. Anthony Families,

We, at St. Anthony Catholic School, consider it a privilege to work with parents in the education of children because we believe parents are the primary educators of their children. Therefore, it is your right and your duty to become the primary role models for the development of your child's life - physically, mentally, spiritually, emotionally, and psychologically. Your choice of St. Anthony Catholic School involves a commitment and exhibits a concern for helping your child to recognize God as the greatest good in his/her life. During these formative years (Pre-K to 8th grade), your child needs constant support from both parents and faculty in order to develop his/her moral, intellectual, social, cultural, and physical growth. Coming together between school and home or within the home will only teach respect for all authority. We are in the business of growing children here at St. Anthony Catholic School. Thank you, parents, for continuing to be a partner.

Happy Grandparent's Day!

It takes a village to raise children! We see it every day here at St. Anthony Catholic School. We have so many wonderful Grandparents in our school community. You see them helping with House competitions, sitting in car-line, donating their time as room parents or cafeteria helpers, making wonderful donations to our school, helping with homework, and loving our school! Happy Grandparents Day to our amazing St. Anthony Grandparents.

Blessings,

Mrs. Galemma

Mark your calendar!

September 17 – Confirmation 7:00 p.m.

September 25 – Noon Dismissal; PD for teachers

October 2 – Blessing of the Animals 2:30 p.m.

October 8 – 2:00 Dismissal; Faculty Meeting



The online lunch ordering for September is closed. If something unexpected happens and you need your child to have a lunch, please call the school office by 9:00 a.m. We do not currently have the flexibility to prepare lunches without notice. Thank you for your cooperation.

Reporting an absence.



To assist us in the monitoring necessary for Covid protocols, please notify the school office anytime your child is absent for an appointment or an illness.

Parent Corner

Thank you for all you have done to successfully navigate these first weeks of school. Just to help put things in perspective – click the link to watch this video.

[Simple Hybrid Model](#)

Let's celebrate all the things happening at our school!
Don't forget to like and share us on Facebook.

#MORETHANCLASSROOMS

Thank You!

We would like to extend a special thanks to:

- Ainsley and Elija Morales' grandmother for donating bottled water and treating all of our students to donuts.
- Maggie Weaver's grandmother for having our playground area treated to control our insect problems.



Students in 5K – 8th grades will continue testing this week. Please help your child be successful by:

- ensuring your child gets a good night sleep
- encouraging your child to eat a good breakfast
- making sure your child arrives at school on time



Just a few reminders to help make sure we are using masks effectively.

- Masks should be washed daily. This makes it safer for your child as well as others.
- Masks are not effective once they become wet. If possible, please send an extra mask with your child. However, we have extras if needed.

Loving God, Thank you for our St. Anthony School Family. We pray that our school community will be a bit like heaven where everyone feels accepted, loved, cared for and safe. Help us to leave behind the mistakes of yesterday and give us a fresh start every day. Show us how to forgive and not fight. Give us faith and strength to do our best in everything. Like an acorn grows into an oak tree, may we flourish and grow into the people you want us to be so that we can make the world a better place. In the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, **Amen.**



We ask your help in protecting our students with allergies. **Please refrain from sending lunches and snacks containing items with nuts.**

Attractions® Dining and Value Guide

This year, St. Anthony Catholic School has chosen to offer our supporters the Attractions® Dining and Value Guide. Using 2 or 3 coupons at your favorite restaurants and stores will easily pay for the book. Using the other coupons will save you hundreds of dollars or more!

The main goal of this sale is to raise funds for technology learning devices. All money raised will directly benefit every student at our school.

Let's get ready to sell!



ThanksScrip Day is September 17!

ThankScrip Day is like the Black Friday of Scrip! It only happens 3 times a year, so mark your calendar because it's coming Thursday, September 17th. It's a huge opportunity to multiply your organization's earnings. For the first time ever, you can get a sneak peek of all the available bonuses in the RaiseRight app on September 16th. Use scrip for ordering take out at your favorite restaurant, a wardrobe refresh, those new sheets you want from an online retailer or even get a head start on your Christmas shopping with gift cards. Don't miss this great opportunity to get higher than normal bonuses!

Things to know: Bonuses apply to eGift cards and money added to your reloadable gift cards only (not physical cards); Families must have an online account to participate.

Please see the following information to set up the new Scrip App. ([Scrip App Directions](#))

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