



Bear Blast

October 17 - 21, 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,

Metric Week was awesome!!! A big shout out to Mrs. Williams for organizing such a fun week! Thank you for making us think!

Our school Rosary is continuing to add beads! As John Paul II explained, this loving repetition "embodies the desire for Christ to become the breath, soul and all of one's life" (RVM, 27). Thank you for continuing to give God some space in our day and filling it with words of praise for him.

We are at the end of our 1st Nine weeks! Can you believe it? Parent/Teacher conferences are coming up. We, at St. Anthony Catholic School, consider it a privilege to collaborate with parents in the education of children because we believe parents are the primary educators of their children. Teachers and parents provide a vital support system to help students learn and grow. When parents and teachers communicate and work together effectively, the support for the student is at its best. The link to sign up for conferences will be sent in an email.

Looking forward to the next 9 weeks!

Blessings,

Mrs. Salemmo



Wednesday, October 19 is NUT Card Day for students with an October birthday. Students may be out of uniform, but must adhere to the dress code.

UPCOMING EVENTS

October 1 - 31 – Rosary Challenge

October 3 - 21 – Baby Bottle Coin Collection

October 17 – End First Quarter; Lower School Quiz Bowl

Oct. 17 – Nov. 7– Food Drive

October 18 – Middle School Quiz Bowl

October 19 – Birthday NUT Card Day

October 20 – Pro-Life Chalk Day; students wear House T-shirt

October 21 – Noon Dismissal; Staff Development

October 25 – Report Cards issued; Feast of St. Crispin; students in St. Crispin wear House T-shirts; 6:30 p.m. Confirmation

October 26 – Picture Day

October 27 – Feast of St. Jude; students in St. Jude wear House T-shirts; Parent Conferences 4:30 – 6:30

November 1 – All Saints Day; School Mass

November 4 – 4th Grade Saints Projects; International Festival 5-8 p.m.

November 5 – Chorus sings at Pecan Festival

November 7– 2:00 Dismissal;

November 10 – Veterans Day Program

Noon Dismissal on Friday

After Care will be available

Regular charges apply

Students should bring a bagged lunch.

Pro-Life Chalk Day, October 20

Students should wear their House T-shirt. Each house will have an area to share their Pro-Life Messages.



The St. Anthony Women's Guild is partnering with the school in the Baby Bottle Coin Collection. We have **extended our collection until October 21** to coincide with the parish collection. At this time, the amount collected by each house is: **St. Crispin \$608.18, St. John Bosco \$525.43, St. Jude \$750.48, and St. Paul \$80.79.**



House Competition

We have officially started our Food Drive! We are collecting food for the Food Pantry and Thanksgiving boxes. Check the attached sheet or the Tuesday Folder for more information.

Rosary Challenge

Each time your family prays a Rosary for life, complete and return **one** of the beads. We are building Rosaries with the beads in the Library. Each bead turned in earns one House Point. Current House Points are St. Crispin 9, St. John Bosco 9, St. Jude 8, and St. Paul 9.

Links for Praying the Rosary:

[How to Pray the Rosary](#)

[How to Pray the Rosary with Bishop Barron](#) (video)

QUIZ BOWL!

Middle School and Lower School Quiz Bowl competitions will be held October 17th and 18th in Columbia. St. Anthony Teams will be traveling to compete with other teams from all over the state. Please pray for safe travels! **Go Bears!**

parent-teacher conferences

Thursday, October 28th 4:30 – 6:30 p.m.

Friday, October 29th 8:00 a.m. – Noon

You will receive an email with the link to sign-up for conferences.

Extended Care will be available during parent/teacher conferences Thursday and Friday. If you are in need of Extended Care, please sign-in your child/children with Mrs. Neel in the Family Center prior to your conference. Extended Care fees will apply.

Fall Flower Fundraiser



We raised \$270.30!!

Thank you to everyone who participated. A special thank-you to **Forest Lake Greenhouses** for providing the flowers and to **Barbara and Tim Davis** for taking the time to organize this fundraiser.



O Most Holy Lord, Creator of heaven and earth, from Your gentle hand flows the gift of life.

**To Your sons and daughters
You have given the role of stewards to care
for all of Your creation from womb to tomb.**

**Hear us as we pray for a greater respect
for all of life throughout our world:**

- that the unborn may be born.
- that the child may be safe.
- that the teen may be prepared.
- that the young adult may be other-centered.
- that the adult may be selfless.
- that the aged may be revered.
- that the dying may have dignity.
- that the deceased may rest in peace.
- that the resources of creation may be used well.
- that all Your creation may be blessed.

**Having served You loyally on earth,
may we obtain the rewards of everlasting life.**

We ask this through Christ our Lord. Amen.

- Rev. Michael Pavlakovich
Light of the World Catholic Parish
Littleton, CO



Auditions for Students in Grades 4-8

Students will need to choose one of the following dates to audition: October 23 3:00 - 4:45 p.m. or October 25 3:45 - 5:00 p.m. Sign-up sheets will be in the Tuesday Folder.

Please extend this invitation to family and friends. We would love for them to join us. We will be outside and COVID safety protocols will be in place.

We Salute Our Veterans

November 10

In front of St. Anthony Church

Donuts and Coffee at 8:15

Program by St. Anthony School at 9:00

Veterans and their spouses are invited.



The International Festival is one way we showcase the diversity of our school. It is set up as a world tour filled with fun, live music, dancing, and delicious food. Please consider sharing your interest or knowledge of a country.

The festival will be November 4th, 5 – 8 p.m. in the Family Center. Watch for more details in the Tuesday Folder.

Attractions®

Dining and Value Guide

This year, St. Anthony Catholic School has chosen to offer our supporters the Attractions® Dining and Value Guide. All money raised will directly benefit every student at our school. Our Goal is to raise \$4000.

Prizes will be awarded!

- Sell 1 book - Pick an item from the Treasure Box
- Top Selling Class - Pizza Party and a NUT Card!
- Top Selling Individual - \$25 SCRIP Bucks AND one Spirit Wear Item!!!

Please return unsold coupon books to the office by **October 25**. Any books not returned will be invoiced \$20.00 per book.

NOTE - If students would like to sell Attractions Books after the 9 am and/or 11am Masses on October 16 or October 21, there will be a sign-up sheet in the office.

If you have any questions, please contact Barbara Davis at babsdavis2015@gmail.com 843-217-3606.

Picture Day

Wednesday, October 26

SOCCER

Schedule for Week of October 17 - 22

4K/5K Team

Monday	5:30 – 6:30 p.m.	Home Game vs. All Saints
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1st – 3rd Team

Tuesday	4:00 – 5:00 p.m.	Home Game vs Kings Academy
Saturday	9:00 – 10:30 a.m.	Practice

4th – 6th Team**

Tuesday	Game cancelled due to Quiz Bowl	
Wednesday	5:15 – 6:30 p.m.	Practice

Please see the updated schedule at
[Fall Soccer Schedule](#)

Volleyball Clinic

Monday, October 17

4:30 - 5:45 p.m.

Thomas Hart Academy

Please wear a St Anthony Spirit Wear Shirt with black or navy shorts, regular socks and good tennis shoes.

We will focus on volleyball fundamentals (passing, setting, serving, rules) & will finish with scrimmage play. Please have each participant bring a water bottle and knee pads.

Just a reminder

As it gets chillier, non-uniform sweatshirts and hoodies may be worn outside during recess and before and after school. However, only approved items are allowed to be worn in the classrooms during the school day. Please make sure your child's name is on all items. We want to be able to return items to the correct owner.

FOOD DRIVE – HOUSE COMPETITION

Our Food Drive will run **October 17 – November 4**. We will be collecting supplies for the St. Anthony Food Pantry and supplies for the boxes prepared at Thanksgiving. Any surplus items will be donated to Lighthouse Ministries. To make this fun we are having a competition between the houses to see which house collects the most food. However, the biggest emphasis is on each student participating, to the extent possible, so that together we make a difference.

Below is a list of some of the most needed items and the House points that will be awarded. The points are based on a standard size item. Items not on the list will be awarded comparable points. Point values may change to reflect the current need.

Each week we will have a “Weekly Special.” This will help us target items that we have not received in great quantity. It may also include items not on the list below.

Please do not send items in glass containers. Do not send institutional size canned goods. Please be sure to check the expiration date on packages.



canned fruits – 1
canned vegetables – 1
sweet potatoes - 1
cranberry sauce - 1
pie fillings - 2
pumpkin pie mix - 2



canned chicken - 2
canned tuna - 2
Spam, Treet - 2
Beef Stew - 2
Vienna Sausages – 1



mashed potatoes - 1
scalloped potatoes - 1
gravy mix – 1/2
gravy - 1
stuffing mix - 1



instant grits - 2
quick oats - 2
instant oatmeal - 1



cake mix - 1
muffin mix - 1
pie crust mix - 2
frosting - 1



evaporated milk - 1
powdered milk - 2
Tang Juice Mix - 2