



A Note From the Principal

Dear Parents,

Ask your children about the **Student Learning Expectations and Mission Statement**. We say them during morning announcements and they know both so well. The Student Learning Expectations is a list of qualities we are striving for all of our students to understand and live. Our Mission Statement is what drives our school and is who we are as a school community. Both are located in your Parent Handbook.

Catherine Lucero, MA
Principal
With God all things are possible



The **Saint Parade** will take place 9:20 a.m. before we go to Mass at 10:00 a.m. All are welcome to come and watch the parade and attend Mass with us on All Saints Day, November 1.

On November 5 through November 13, we will be praying a schoolwide **Novena of the Divine Mercy beginning at 3:00 p.m.** to honor the **Anniversary of the Diocese of Phoenix**. Parents are welcome to join us each day. Please check in at the school office

The **Fifth Grade** will host the **Rosary** on Friday, November 8 after the 8:30 Mass. All are welcome to join us in praying the Rosary.



We now have an **After Care phone** that you can call in case of an emergency. Put this number in your phone so you can call an After Care staff member. The number is:



480-371-4107

Parents please sign up on the Parent Portal so you can view our child's grades as often as you would like. If you need assistance ask your child's teacher or someone in the front office.

Another **Spirit Shirt order** will be sent home the week of November 11. Students are to wear them every Friday! This is the same shirt that will be worn for the Jog-a-Thon.



Important Message

The **Second Grade** and some of the older students are being prepared for the **Sacrament of Reconciliation - Confession**. Parents, you are **required** to attend two meetings so you can learn about the Sacrament of Reconciliation along with your child. The two meetings are on Tuesday, November 5 and Tuesday, November 19 at 6:00 p.m. in the Hall. We ask that parents **only** attend both meetings.

November 19 is our monthly **Nuestro Pequeno Hermanos (NPH)** free dress day for \$1. All proceeds to toward that sponsorship of three orphans. Each year the 8th grade goes on a mission trip to meet our pequenos!

Calendar of Events

- + There is a School Board Meeting on Tuesday, November 12, 6:00 p.m. in the school library
- + Fall Sports pictures and retake pictures are on Thursday, November 14. Packets will be sent home with your children
- + On November 15 we are so fortunate to Our Lady of Fatima
- + There is a Knights club meeting on Thursday, November 21 at 6:00 p.m. Everyone is welcome to join



The 8th grade will be going on their Annual Retreat at the end of the month. They leave on November 25 and return on November 27. Please keep them in your prayers during this time.

The school will be on Thanksgiving Break beginning November 27 at 1:00 p.m. School will resume on Monday, December 2.

PROGRESS *report*

Progress Reports for the Second Quarter will be sent home on Wednesday, November 20. Please review it with you children and see what you can do to assist them. If you have any questions please contact your child's teacher.

On Wednesday, November 27 school has early dismissal at 1:00 p.m. There will be NO AFTER CARE so please be sure to make arrangements to pick up our children at 1:00 p.m.

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to be thankful for