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### *Gray Notes 02/12/2020*

*Memory Verse: "Hear me, all of you, and understand. Nothing that enters one from outside can defile that person; but the things that come out from within are what defile." – Mark 7:15*

### **SCHOOL CLOSED FOR STAFF AND STUDENTS**

WINTER BREAK (Thursday, February 13<sup>th</sup> and Friday, February 14<sup>th</sup>)  
PRESIDENTS' DAY (Monday, February 17<sup>th</sup>)  
School will resume for all on Tuesday, February 18<sup>th</sup>.

### **THE PUPPET CO. "RAPUNZEL" FIELD TRIP RESCHEDULED**

The Puppet Co. "Rapunzel" field trip for students in Pre-K through Grade 1 has been rescheduled to Friday, February 21<sup>st</sup>.

### **REMINDER!!! OPEN ENROLLMENT HAS BEGUN FOR 2020-2021**

OPEN ENROLLMENT for all has begun!!! Returning families should have received an email message from TADS inviting you to re-register your child for the 2020-2021 school year. The website for TADS is TADS.com. If you have not received an email message from TADS, please contact the school's Administrative Office immediately.

### **FINANCIAL AID**

Please don't forget to sign-up for financial assistance in TADS. The deadline for new families is February 14<sup>th</sup>.

### **INCLEMENT WEATHER POLICY**

In case of inclement weather, parents should listen to the local radio and television stations for updates. You may also receive a message from the school via "School Notify" regarding closings, delayed openings or early dismissals. **We follow PRINCE GEORGE'S COUNTY PUBLIC SCHOOLS for weather related emergencies.**

If Prince George's County Public Schools open two hours late due to inclement weather, Saint Francis Xavier Academy will open two hours late.

**PLEASE NOTE: On days of delayed openings Before Care is not available.**

If Prince George's County Public Schools open two hours late due to inclement weather on a previously scheduled early dismissal day for Saint Francis Xavier Academy, Saint Francis Xavier Academy will not open.

***School may open late or close early due to inclement weather or other emergencies. It is important that the school has current emergency contact information to reach parents/guardians or other designated persons when there are early closings. Please be advised that during such emergencies, the Extended Care Program will not be offered. Please refer to the 2019-2020 Parent/Student Handbook.***

## **CALENDAR**

### **February 2020**

- 13 Winter Break (02/13 – 02/14) School Closed
- 17 **President's Day (School Closed)**
- 18 **School Resumes**
- 21 Mass  
Black History Program
- 26 Ash Wednesday Mass  
"Dress Up/Wear Purple" Fundraiser
- 28 Mass

### **March 2020**

- 4 **Early Dismissal @ 12:30 pm**
- 6 Mass  
Stations of the Cross (Grades 1 and 2)
- 9 ADW Spring Collaboration Day for Staff (School Closed for Students)
- 13 Mass  
Stations of the Cross (Grades 3 and 4)
- 19 Lifetouch Spring Photos Taken
- 20 Mass  
Stations of the Cross (Grades 5 and 6)  
**3<sup>rd</sup> Installment of Graduation Fee Due**
- 27 Mass  
Stations of the Cross (Grades 7 and 8)