



# The Halo Report



## Saint Augustine Catholic School

1421 V Street NW, Washington, DC 20009

**Theme 2019-2020:**

"IF WE LIVE IN THE SPIRIT, LET US ALSO FOLLOW THE SPIRIT." - GALATIANS 5:25

### Greetings Parents/Guardians and Teachers!

We hope that you are having a Blessed week and would like to remind you that report cards will be mailed out at the end of this week, if they have not picked up by the end of this week.

### **November 14<sup>th</sup> – HSA Tag Day**

There will be a tag day for all the students whose Parents attended the monthly HSA meeting. Please be sure to wear fall colors as we kick off the season.

### **November 17<sup>th</sup> – November 23<sup>th</sup> Discover Catholic Schools Week**

The week begins with 10:00 am Mass at Saint Augustine Church. All staff are required to attend with students. The school choir will sing at the 10:00 am Mass. A tag day will be given for their service at a later date.

During the week we will have different event that will highlight the theme of discovering faith during the week.

Parents you are welcome to come and support your child(ren) during Catholic School Week. We welcome Virtus trained parents to assist during the week. Contact the main office to volunteer. (See attached for the list of weekly activities)

### **Annual Thanksgiving Food Drive(Catholic School Week):**

Our Annual Thanksgiving Food Drive has begun! Students are asked to bring in non-perishable bagged, canned, or boxed food to support The Little Sisters of the Poor. The last day to accept non-perishable foods will be **Friday, November 22<sup>nd</sup>**. See attached flyer

### **November 20<sup>th</sup> - High School Placement Test (HSPT):**

The HSPT for the eighth-graders will be on Wednesday, November 20, 2019, starting promptly at 8:30. Please keep our eighth grader in your prayers. **PLEASE HAVE YOUR CHILD ARRIVE AT SCHOOL ON TIME AND WELL RESTED.**



11/14  
Eighth Grade Parent Meeting  
6:00pm

11/17  
Student Mass for November Catholic School Week

11/20  
High School Placement Test for Eighth Grade

11/22  
Thanksgiving School Canned Food Drive Ends

11/26  
Thanksgivings Luncheon 11:30am  
Students and Staff only

11/27 Thanksgiving Break Begins  
Early Dismissal 12:30  
No Aftercare or After school Activities

Monday 12/2  
Classes Resume

Monday 12/2  
HSA Meeting  
6:00 PM



## **Student Uniform Guidelines**

On Monday, December 2<sup>nd</sup> girls will be allow to start wearing navy blue pants as a part of their school uniform. We encourage tights under their uniforms in colder weather.

## **Virtus Training:**

Were you unable to chaperone? Please visit the following website:

[https://virtusonline.org/virtus/reg\\_list.cfm?theme=0](https://virtusonline.org/virtus/reg_list.cfm?theme=0) to register and to locate a training class that fits your schedule. Upon completion contact Mrs. Judon at (202)265-1470.

## **School Attendance and Tardiness**

Tardiness has become a problem especially on Friday's during Mass attendance is taken seriously at Saint Augustine Catholic School. Tardiness will now be counted towards detentions, with three tardys leading to a detention. Please refer to the parent/student handbook page 11.(Section under Tardiness)

## **UPDATE FROM AFTERCARE :**

As of October 15<sup>th</sup> you will be charged \$30.00 if you do not pick-up your child(ren) as soon as their afterschool activity ends.(Please refer to the parent/student handbook page 12.)

On Sunday November 17<sup>th</sup>, starting at 11:30am – 12:30pm there will be a Soccer & Flag Football – Skills Challenge 2019 in the Saint Augustine Room.

Cheerleading will be held on Thursdays (3:45pm-4:45pm) and will now be available for Grades 4<sup>th</sup> -8<sup>th</sup>.

The Youth Leadership PALS Program has been moved to Friday's and will begin at 3:45 pm and end at 4:45pm.

The new co-educational activity Double Dutch will be offered Monday and Fridays 3:45pm to 4:45 pm beginning in January, 2020.

Please continue to keep Sister Gloria Agumagu in your prayers.

We hope that you find this information helpful in this week's *Halo Report*. Each week on Wednesday, you will find a new *Halo Report* in the main office and e-mailed to each parent and staff member. If you have any questions or concerns, please contact the main office.

Have a blessed weekend.

Sincerely,

**Mrs. Lorrain M. Lee**  
**Acting Principal**



St. Augustine



# PLEASE SUPPORT!!!!

SAINT AUGUSTINE CATHOLIC SCHOOL'S  
ANNUAL THANKSGIVING FOOD DRIVE

Please Donate  
**Non-Perishable Goods** to  
Help Feed the Less Fortunate



Feeding the  
Community

in  
The Washington, DC  
Metropolitan Area.

Please drop off your donated goods at the school which is located at  
1421 V Street NW Washington, DC 20009

Thank you very much for your generosity and helping to end  
hunger.

Have a Blessed Thanksgiving Holiday,

The Students, Parents, Alumni, Faculty and Staff of  
Saint Augustine Catholic School.

Every 3.8 seconds a person  
dies of hunger  
**75%**  
of them are children



## Tentative Schedule

### Discover Catholic Schools Week

November 17 -22, 2019

#### Sunday: Discover With Your Parish

- Mass @ 10:00 am
- Choir will sing
- Mandatory for Staff
- CSW – Discover with your Parish
- (Soccer & Flag Football – Skills Challenge 2019 –Grades PK3 – 8<sup>th</sup> – 11:30 am – 12:30 pm)  
Saint Augustine Room – under the direction of Coach Riley)

#### Monday: Discover Catholic School Students

#### Tuesday: Discover Catholic School Parents

#### Wednesday: Discover Catholic School Educators

#### Thursday: Celebrating the Faith-Based Community

- Donuts and juice for parents (when they drop off their child/children)(1st floor hallway)  
7:00 – 7:45 am
- Tag Day for students who have donated at non-perishable food items for the Food Drive (Food Drive begins November 5 – 20)
- Team Building activities (Grades PK – 8) (Ex. egg relay, two-legged race, relay game, and an obstacle course)

#### Friday: Celebrating Catholic School Donors

- Catholic Schools Week Mass 8:15 am
- Community Day (Ex. school will make things for the senior citizens home, goody bags, etc.



*8<sup>th</sup>*

*GRADE PARENT  
MEETING*

*Thursday November 14, 2019*

*@*

*6:00pm*

*Please Come!*

*Very Important Information*

*8<sup>th</sup> grade classroom*

SAINT AUGUSTINE CATHOLIC CHURCH/SCHOOL

"HOME OF THE SAINTS"

Presents...

CSW-DISCOVER WITH YOUR PARISH

SOCCER & FLAG FOOTBALL

SKILLS CHALLENGE 2019

GRADES PK3-8TH

WHEN: SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 17<sup>th</sup>

11:30am-12:30pm

WHERE: THE SAINT AUGUSTINE GYM

1421 V ST. NW, WASH., DC

COME JOIN US FOR AN AFTERNOON OF:

FUN, FAITH, FAMILY & FELLOWSHIP

CALL OR TEXT COACH RILEY FOR MORE INFO 202-246-5233