



Sacred Heart Catholic School

Gervais

Sacred Heart Newsletter – October 23, 2019

SHINE WITH THE LIGHT OF JESUS



October		November	
24	3/4/5 Box Top Free Dress	6	9:00 AM Veterans Day Celebration
25	8:15 AM Mass		11:30 Dismissal Conferences
30	Free Dress Day	7	NO School-Conference Day
	9:00 AM Rosary K/1/2	8	NO School-Conference Day
			3:00 PM JCDA
		11	NO School-Veterans Day
		15	8:15 AM Mass
		20	9:00 AM Rosary 6/7/8
November			
1	8:15 AM Mass-All Saints Day Holy Day of Obligation		
	1:15 PM All Saints Carnival		
5	2:15 PM ALICE Evacuation		

Parent/Student Handbook – School Directory: Please read the handbook, discuss it with your child(ren) and sign the Signature Page that needs to be turned into the school office as soon as possible.

Background check/CASE Training: As we do every year at this time, we would like to remind **all school volunteers** that they must have a current background check with the Archdiocese. These background checks are valid for three years and then must be renewed. **The cost for processing the background check is \$15.00. All school volunteers and employees also must complete the CASE (Creating a Safe Environment) training.** Any volunteer or worker that works with children during the school year **must** complete the CASE training by December 4! Here is a list of trainings in our area.

October 26	10:00 AM	St. Mary, Mt. Angel contact Cristo at 503-845-2296
October 27	2:00 PM	St. Mary, Mt. Angel contact Cristo at 503-845-2296
October 31	12:00 PM	St. Mary, Mt. Angel contact Cristo at 503-845-2296
November 5	6:30 PM	Sacred Heart Catholic School contact Cindy at 503-792-4541
November 7	6:30 PM	Blanchet Catholic School contact Jaclyn at 503-391-2639

Please let the contact person know if you will be able to attend. If you attend a session that is not at Sacred Heart Parish/School, please, bring a certificate to Mrs. Schnurbusch so that she may update her records.

Hot Lunch Program: October 30 Chicken Sandwiches, Fries, Fruit, and Dessert
Laura Miller, Rita Gonzalez, Annie Sanchez

Please arrive at 10 AM to help. If you cannot work your shift please let Laura know (503-551-5761).

All Saints Day: Friday, November 1, is a Holy Day of Obligation. We will begin our day with Mass at 8:15 AM. We ask all of our students to come dressed as their favorite Saint. We will end the day with the All Saints Carnival from 1:15 PM to 2:45 PM in the gym. We ask each family to bring one or two bags of candy or small toys (pencils, stickers, etc.) to the school office before Thursday, November 1, so it can be used at the carnival. Set up for the carnival will be at 11 AM. If you would like to help please call Georgia Parras at 503-951-8811. We need at least 3 more parents to help!

Veterans' Day Celebration: We will be having our annual Veterans' Celebration on Wednesday, November 6th, at 9 AM. If you know a Veteran who would like to come join our celebration, please, contact the school office.

Are You Using Scrip?: Scrip is easy to use. There are several ways to purchase scrip. If you buy gas, groceries, clothes or fast food, there is a scrip for you! Scrip is gift cards that Sacred Heart earns money from every time you purchase a card. If you like to have physical plastic cards you may purchase them from the school office Monday-Friday 7 AM to 3 PM or on Sundays after the 8 AM Mass at St. Louis or the 10 AM Mass at Sacred Heart. To see what we have in stock go to <https://school.shstl.org/scrip>. You may print paper gift cards at home by going to www.shopwithscrip.com and signing up. Scrip is also available on your smartphone by using the Benefit Mobile App. To find out more or download the app visit www.benefit-mobile.com. With Benefit Mobile you may debit your bank account or use a credit card. **This is the easiest fundraiser ever!** If every school family used scrip we could easily make \$10,000 or more!

Lost & Found: Our Lost & Found will be in the uniform closet in a tub marked "Lost & Found". If your child has lost a clothing item, please, check there. If items have not been picked up from the "Lost & Found" by the 1st of the month they will be disposed of. **PLEASE put your child's name on all jackets, sweaters and sweatshirts.**

Student Council Elections on November 5th: Student Council Elections will take place on Tuesday, November 5th. On Tuesday, November 5th, the students in grades 5-8 who are running for the various positions will be giving their speeches. Immediately after the presentations all the students will vote. Available positions and grade level requirements:

President – 7th & 8th grade

Vice President – 5th – 8th grade

Secretary – 5th – 8th grade

Treasurer – 5th – 8th grade

Activities Coordinator – 5th – 8th grade (2 positions available)

Pre-election information and calendar:

- Students must let Mrs. Ries know by October 25th if they intend to run for Student Council positions.
- Campaign posters may be brought in beginning October 25th
- Before hanging posters, please have them approved first by Mrs. Ries.
- All speeches must be approved by Mrs. Ries by November 1st.
- The Student Council election will take place on November 5th.

Sacred Heart Catholic School, a mission of Sacred Heart-St. Louis Parish, forms children in knowledge, virtue and the spiritual life in a safe and positive educational environment that they may develop into disciples of Jesus Christ.

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Around Our Community

-**St. Louis Craft Fair** will be on November 1 and 2. Stop by St. Louis Hall and shop for your Christmas items early!

-**Father Taafe Homes dinner** is on October 27 at 5 PM. Contact Jack Gander at 503-390-2987 for tickets. They are \$35. The menu is barbecue salmon and steak, appetizers, scallop potatoes, coleslaw, green beans, rolls, and cake for dessert.

-**Holy League Catholic Men's Conference** will be held on December 7 from 6 AM to 5 PM at St. Stephen Catholic Church. You may register online at hlcmcnw.net.



