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## SUNDAY SCOOP NOVEMBER 13, 2022

**Good Sunday morning! Today we celebrate the final Sunday in Ordinary Time - and the readings are very much about the end of times.** As Catholics, these readings should not make us afraid, but rather have hope in the Resurrection. They should also invite us to examine the daily choices we make.

**Please pray for our eighth graders today as they make a commitment in their journey towards final initiation (Confirmation) in the Catholic Church.** Today they will petition Fr. Carlin to ask the bishop to confirm them in April. They have written letters to Fr. Carlin. They will sign the Rite of Enrollment book and during Mass will be called forward to profess their faith. All of this will happen at the 10am Mass.

**On Monday, the parents of second graders and eighth graders who are receiving sacraments this school year will be in attendance at our final mandatory parent meeting.** It will begin at 7pm and this time it will be IN THE GYM. The Book Fair is set up in Lower Parish Hall.

**Congratulations to our Classroom of Champions team!** After a struggle last month, **Saint Charles' team earned FIRST PLACE last week in the category of science.** There were 18 teams - more than ever previously competing. Our team members are 8th graders Owen Farrell, Jacob Taylor, Victoria Johns, Thomas Gordan and Chloe Mouzaya, and 7th graders Chloe Egnaczyk, Arianna Gambrel, Isabella Dorsey, and Irena Gordan. Only five members compete each month - Mr. McKay and Mrs. Mazur look at MAP scores and talk with the team in order to determine who will be best for the topic each month. I'd say that is excellent teamwork and cooperation! We are so proud of all of our Classroom of Champions team members and moderators.

**This week includes two more days of the Book Fair on Monday and Tuesday, bonus recycling week for paper/boxes, and on Saturday is the clothing drive.** All of these are sponsored by our amazing PTU. The Book Fair is open on Sunday from 9:30am-2pm as well as Monday and Tuesday during the school day and until 3:30pm. It is in the Lower Parish Hall. Books make great gifts! The clothing drive on Saturday (November 19) is from 9am-11am in the Wilber Ave. parking lot. Items that are able to be dropped off include: Clothing – adult & child, belts, shoes, purses, curtains, blankets, sheets, towels, and pillows.

**Monday through Thursday is homework club** for students in grades 5 & 6 who are signed up.

**Monday is Student Savers, orchestra lessons and rehearsal, Power of the Pen, and junior high math lab.**

**Tuesday is band lessons and rehearsal.**

Wednesday morning is 7am Mass with Mrs. Hamer. After school is drama club for select actors. It is also orchestra rehearsal at Padua (4:15-5pm for grades 5/6 and 5:15-6pm for grades 7/8).

Thursday is junior high music ministry, chess club and the student council meeting. Those in student council and also music ministry or chess club are able to attend both. Later, from 4:30-6pm is advanced band rehearsal at Padua.

Friday is Mass at 8:30am with students from Mrs. Hamer's class reading petitions and bringing up the gifts. Friday after school is Power of the Pen.

**In case you did not know - Padua and Holy Name High Schools are playing football in the Regional Finals against one another on Friday, November 18 at 7pm. Let's have some friendly show of support of "your team" - if you have one. If your child(ren) have Holy Name or Padua spiritwear/swag, they can wear those as accents with the uniform skirt or pants.** If you do not have official spiritwear - green/white are the colors for the Green Wave of Holy Name and brown/orange/white for the Bruins of Padua Franciscan. Or... Saint Edward High School defeated Saint Ignatius this weekend. As Coach Kyle said to the Eagles - bring it back to Cleveland. So, **you can choose to support Saint Edward over Mentor by wearing the green and gold accents of Saint Ed's.** **If you do not have a preference or support all Catholic high schools - then wear Saint Charles spiritwear.**

Some dates to mark on your calendars -

November 20 - Donut Social in Lower Parish Hall after 8am and 10am Masses

**November 23, 24, and 25 there is no school - Happy Thanksgiving!**

November 27 - First Sunday of Advent

**December 1 at 7pm OR December 2 at 1:45pm - mandatory parent meeting** - State of Saint Charles School presentation as well as an explanation of the Angel Scholarship Fund and so much more (remember that there is an added incentive to attend - dress down pass for students).

*Did you know that the Pope has monthly intentions for the world?*

**POPE FRANCIS' MONTHLY PRAYER INTENTION FOR NOVEMBER Children Who Suffer - We pray for children who are suffering, especially those who are homeless, orphans, and victims of war; may they be guaranteed access to education and the opportunity to experience family affection.**

**There continues to be so much happening at Saint Charles Parish.** Please take a few minutes to read the bulletin in the case that you attended Sunday Mass elsewhere:

<https://d2h4p72yjb3hg1.cloudfront.net/2492/bulletins/20221113.pdf>

**Enjoy your Sunday with your family... and - - - Go Browns (you know I am conflicted!)**

*Eileen M Updegrave*