SAINT CATHERINE LABOURÉ SCHOOL NEWS

November 2023

MARK YOUR CALENDAR



November 1 8:45am Mass - 4C

November 3

Middle School Halloween Dance 6:00-8:30pm

November 4

Chipotle Fundraiser 4:00-8:00pm 3531 Union Deposit Rd. Hbg

November 5

8:00am-12:00pm PTO Used Uniform Sale (cafeteria)

November 7

Pulaski Candle Order Due

November 10

Half Virtual Day

November 12-18

Discover Catholic Schools Week

November 14

Online Day of Giving PTO General Meeting 7:00pm (Room 103)

November 15

Picture Make-Up Day

November 17

8:45am Mass - 4L Trimester Ends

A Message from the Principal, Mrs. Reagan

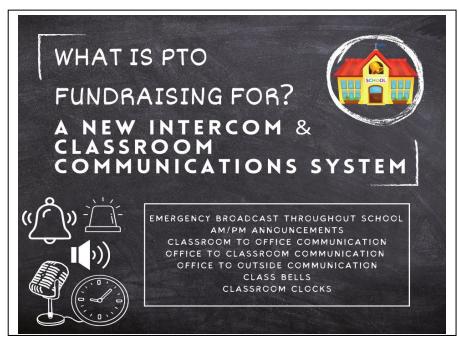
Dear St. Catherine Laboure Families,

I feel blessed each day to be part of such an amazing school community. We are almost through the first trimester of this school year, and it has been filled with exciting events while also maintaining quiet days in the building. This past month consisted of picture day, our Grandparents/Friends Rosary, PreK pumpkin painting, Disciple of the Month (Hope), and ended with our Halloween parade and parties. I am also proud of the efforts of our CYO soccer team as well as our Girls on the Run Club. These activities help keep the students involved after the school day. We have also been bringing back our parent volunteers, so a big thank you to those parents that have been joining us to help during the school day. When COVID hit, we had several years in which we could not have parents/quests in our building, but we are looking to return to welcoming and utilizing the help of our volunteers. If you have your clearances and are interested in volunteering, please reach out to your teacher and/or the school office.

Next month we will continue with events and hope to maintain the calmness that we have enjoyed in the building. November began with our All-Saints Day Mass and will be followed by the middle school Halloween dance. By mid-month, we will celebrate Discover Catholic Schools week in which we celebrate and congratulate the great work and good news of Catholic schools. Upon our return from our Thanksgiving break, we will have a Mass to celebrate the Feast of St. Catherine Laboure. We will be honored to have Bishop Senior join us for this Mass.

Each day, there continues to be wonderful things taking place inside and outside our building. Our school is filled with wonderful people who care about the school and the students. They are here for the mission to educate and develop our students. They along with the support of our families, help to make each day successful. We look forward to continuing the next two trimesters with as much activity, engagement, and

Peace – Jodi Reagan



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November 22

Asynchronous Virtual Half Day

– No Preschool

November 23-27

NO SCHOOL-Thanksgiving
Break

November 28

Feast of St. Catherine Laboure 8:45am Mass: 8C/8L School Resumes



Happy Birthday!

November 12
Gabe Motter

November 18 Denise Perloski

November 19
Julie Delany

November 20 Sondra Kenny

November 22 Doug Wallace



A Note from the SCLS PTO President, Leah Adams

Happy November SCLS Families!

Two months into the school year and we are so appreciative of all the amazing support and recognition we have gotten as a new PTO board. We knew we had big shoes to fill and that we wanted to add some more spice to the school year, and we are incredibly impressed with all the fun and involvement we have received. The SCLS family is a true blessing!

The Grandparents Rosary went amazing, it was so nice to see so many people during the rosary and the reception. Thank you to all those that attended and helped make this a success. The School Unity Shirt Sale is now over, and we cannot wait to see the students wearing them! Thank you to everyone who fundraised for the Marianna's Subs and Pizza Sale. Congratulations to the Tran Family on being the top seller and to Mrs. Buchmoyer's KC class on being the homeroom class with the most participation - You Rock!

To kick off November, we are introducing a new fundraiser - Pulaski Candles and we cannot wait! A candle fundraiser was a popular option when the parents were surveyed so we knew we needed to try it! The scents are so unique and fun! Please note that they will be delivered just in time for Christmas, so make sure you get some to check off Christmas lists!

Reminder - the PTO Used Uniform Sale will be on Sunday, November 5th from 8am to 12pm in the cafeteria. Please enter and exit through the gym doors on Derry Street. Remember, you can get credit for bringing in your used outgrown uniforms.

We will be having a PTO General Meeting on Tuesday, November 14th at 7pm in Room 103. All are welcome. We are looking for volunteers and chairs for future events and fundraisers for this year! If you are a current chair and have fundraisers or events coming up between December and February, we encourage you to come to this meeting.

On Friday, December 1st, we are introducing a Parents Night Out event for Kindergarten to 5th Grade students. More details to come. Please see all the flyers for fundraisers and events throughout the newsletter to learn more!

I would like to also remind you that PTO is fundraising towards a new intercom & classroom communication system - speakers, bells, clocks, security, and microphones. We are planning to revamp the entire system since it is from when the building was built. Thank you for all your continued support,

Leah Adams

PTO Executive Board

Leah Adams
President

Megan Fackler Vice President

Janell Maglowski
Treasurer

Kelly Rogers
Secretary

Father James Lease
Pastor

Mrs. Jodi Reagan Principal

PTO RESTAURANT AND RETAIL NIGHTS

Please come out and support the PTO for some good food and fun!!! The flyer is located at the end of the newsletter and can be shared with family and friends. (Watch for emails and social media postings too!)

Chipotle: 3531 Union Deposit Road, Harrisburg

November 4th

4-8 pm

Flyer at the end of the newsletter

PTO Fundraisers for this year...

PTO FUNDRAISER and EVENT UPDATES

Thank you to everyone who continues to participate in our PTO fundraisers!!!! We appreciate the support!

Spirit Wear Sales - \$451.50 Five Below - TBD

School Unity Shirts - \$2,297 Marianna's Sub/Pizza Sale - \$2,474



PTO Monthly Teacher Appreciation

The PTO is back at it this year with monthly teacher appreciation treats for our faculty and staff.

In October, the teachers were treated to spooky snacks, candy, and treats!

THANK YOU FACULTY AND STAFF AT SCLS!!!!







Grandparent's Rosary









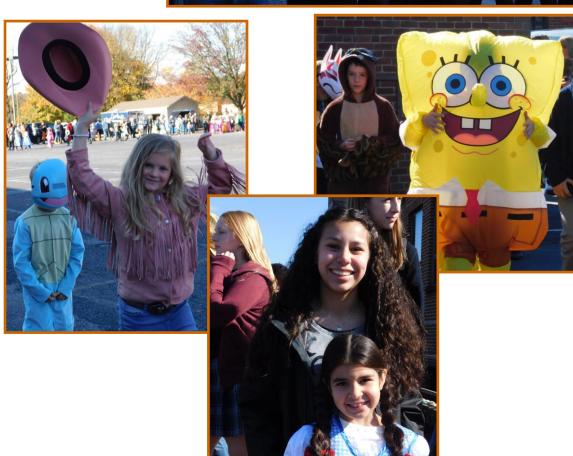




Halloween Parade Pics!









CHIPOTLE FUNDRAISER FOR

ST. CATHERINE LABOURE SCHOOL

33% OF EVENT SALES GET DONATED TO THE CAUSE

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 4TH | 4-8PM 3531 UNION DEPOSIT RD, HARRISBURG, PA, 17109

ORDER ONLINE FOR PICKUP USING CODE **CT4G8YG**OR SHOW THIS FLYER IN RESTAURANT



For online orders to count towards the fundraiser, they must be placed for pickup only from the restaurant location of, and during the hours of, the fundraiser. Delivery orders and gift cards do not qualify. \$150 minimum event sales required to receive any donation.



SAINT CATHERINE LABOURE CATHOLIC SCHOOL

Teaching minds. Forming hearts. Growing disciples.



Join us for the Saint Catherine Labouré School Day of Giving! Tuesday November 14, 2023 at 9am until Wednesday November 15, 2023 at 9am Please help us raise \$10,000 in 24 hours!

Check our school website and school Facebook page for the link to donate!

Tuesday November 14th

9:00am-11:00am Raffle: Free sports registration for a year! ONE student will get free sports registrations (soccer, basketball & track) for the 2024-25 school year

11:00am-1:00pm Every donation received will be matched up to \$1,000 by

Mr. Ryan Haskins!

1:00pm-3:00pm Raffle: Win \$45 in tickets to Knoebels Amusement Park, good for rides, refreshments, games, pools and waterslides 3:00pm-5:00pm Raffle: PTO donated Spirit Wear items- water bottle, cinch

sack and lanyard

5:00pm-7:00pm Raffle: Win a free 2023-24 yearbook donated by our PTO

7:00pm-10:00pm Raffle: Win a lunch with Principal Reagan

Wednesday November 15th 7:00am-9:00am Raffle: \$50 Target Gift Card

NEW THIS YEAR!! GRAND PRIZE WINNERS! 2 CHANCES TO SKIP THE CAR LINE FOR THE 2023-2024 SCHOOL YEAR!

**Donate \$100 or more between the hours of 9:00am through 5:59pm on November 14th and be entered in a raffle to win either an early AM drop-off (7:30am) OR an early afternoon pickup (2:30pm)!

**Donate \$100 or more between the hours of 6:00pm through 9:00am on November 15th and be entered in a raffle to win either an early AM drop-off (7:30am) OR an early afternoon pickup (2:30pm)!

Thank you in advance for your generosity to the students of Saint Catherine Labouré School

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SCLS 2023-2024 Annual Fund

Please donate today to our 2023-2024 Annual Fund and help us reach our goal of \$55,000. All proceeds go directly to our school and our students. We are currently at \$19,891! Donate here!

Thank you for your generosity!

SAVE THE DATE GENTLY USED UNIFORM SALE

The Fall PTO Gently-Used Uniform Sale will be held Sunday, November 5th, from 8am-12pm in the school cafeteria. Gently-used uniforms for all ages will be available for sale at a reasonable price. Cash, check or Venmo accepted. Please enter and exit through the metal gym doors on Derry Street. In addition to buying the items you need this is also a great fundraiser for the PTO!

If you cannot make it to the sale, we will be sending an online form you can submit closer to the sale. We will do our best to fulfill your order based on our inventory.

If you have uniforms to donate, please drop them off at the school office during regular school hours. They should be clean and in gently-used condition. If you want to receive credits, please include a note in the bag with your name and a list of items you are donating.

Please contact Jamie Bufton (jbufton@sclhba.org) with any questions or if you are able to help with set up or the sale! Volunteers are always needed and this is a great opportunity for 7th and 8th graders to earn service hours for Confirmation!

SAVE THE DATE!

Tuesday, December 5 and Wednesday, December 6 SCLS Christmas Store will be open!

Volunteers will be needed and must have current clearances. Please reach out at ricolejayman@yahoo.com if you can share a couple hours to help our little angels shop for their family and friends.

We are collecting any of the following donations to add to the store along with gift options from our partner Penguin Patch. Items should be new and not used. Please send any donations to the school office and label as "Christmas Store" by December 1.

- Nail polish, nail files

- Hand lotion, hand soap

- Dish towels, dish soap - Coffee mugs

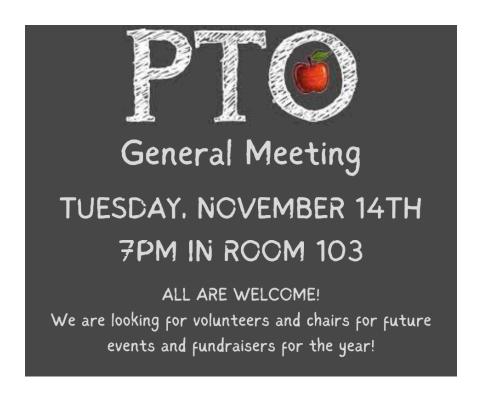
- Small plush toys

- Sticker books

- Handmade Christmas crafts or ornaments - Dog/cat toys

- Gloves, mittens

We look forward to sharing the season of giving with our SCLS students! Thanks! Ricci Jayman (aka Mrs. Claus)





Please help raise funds for *Saint Catherine Laboure School* with our Pulaski Candle Fundraiser!

Fundraiser Dates:

★ October 30th to November
7th ★

Delivery Date:

★ Week of 12/11 (just in time to gift for the holidays) ★



WHAT EXACTLY ARE PULASKI CANDLES? 100% SOY WAX CANDLES & MELTS

WHY SOY?
BECAUSE IT'S AMAZINGLY EASY
TO BURN AND HOLDS A LOT OF
FRAGRANCE!

\$18/Candle \$4/Wax Melt



Any Questions?
Contact Jaynee
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Candles are 16 oz!

Melts are 3 oz!

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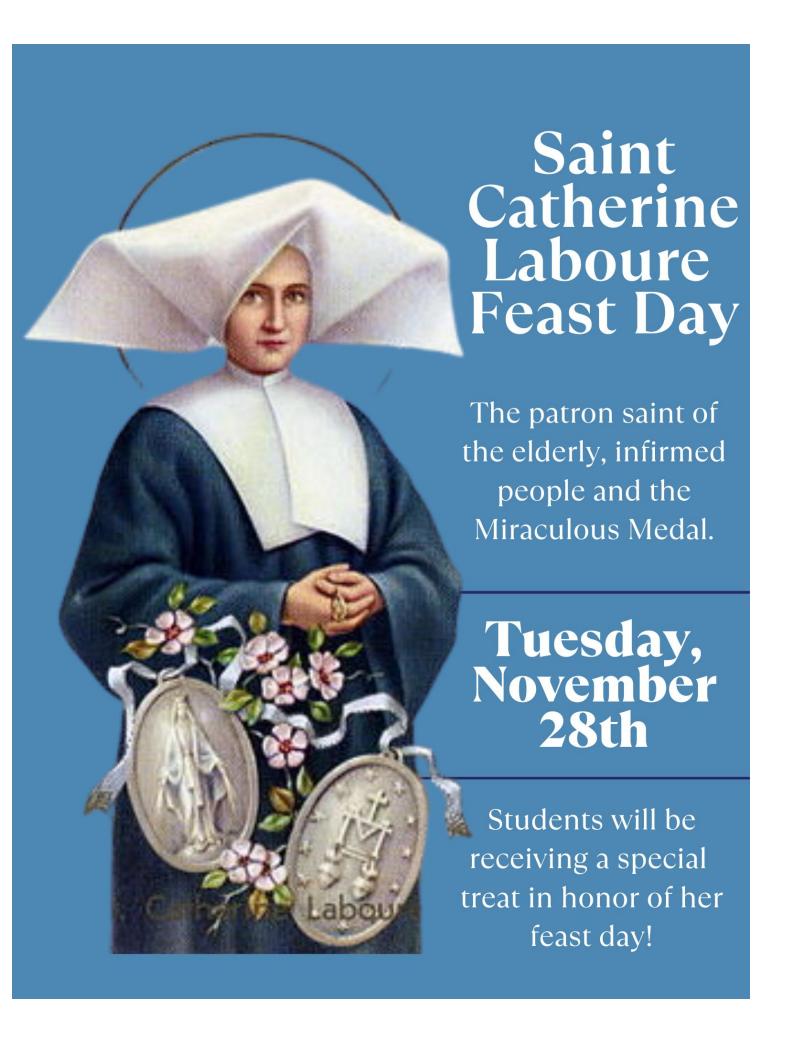
In search of the perfect Christmas gift?

Check no further than the SCLS Spirit Wear store!

https://emeraldwebstore.company.site/products/St-Catherine-Laboure-School-c154977021

All items will be delivered to the school and sent home with your student. If an item is a gift, please contact the school office to make other arrangements.

Can't find what you're looking for? Let us know at pto@sclhbg.org.





Link to sign up students

Link for parent, teacher, 7th grader volunteers



PTO is selling Spirit Wear items!

To order, please fill out and clip the bottom of this flyer and send it into the school office with cash or check (made out to SCLS PTO). You can also pay via Venmo - @sclspto. Quantities are limited - first come, first served!



Total: \$_____

Water Bottles: _____ (\$13 each) Lanyard: _____ (\$5 each)