



ST. MARY'S CATHEDRAL SCHOOL

Providing a Catholic education for eternity since 1913

Sunday, September 15, 2019

“Listen, O Lord, to the prayer of your servants, according to the blessing of Aaron for your people, and direct us in the way of righteousness, and all who are on the earth will know that you are the Lord, the God of the ages.”

Sir 36:17

Dear Saint Mary's Cathedral School Community,

“When once you have departed this life, there is no longer any place for repentance, no way of making satisfaction. Here, life is either lost or kept. Here, by the worship of God and by the fruit of faith, provision is made for eternal salvation. Let no one be kept back either by his sins or by his years from coming to obtain salvation. To him who still remains in this world, there is no repentance that is too late.” (Saint Cyprian, Bishop of Carthage and Martyr)

I saw so many of you Thursday evening at our all-new **Curriculum Night!** Thank you, faculty and staff for assembling such a professional and *welcoming* event. We are seeking to develop critical thinkers imbued with a deep faith!

Swim should be a “Go” from this Wednesday forward. Thank you for your patience with facility and transportation logistics.

Here is a fantastic new article, about the religion program our own **Sister Peter Marie** teaches to our Montessori students, from the *Adoremus Bulletin* entitled, [“A Deep Dive into the Divine: The Catechesis of the Good Shepherd”](#) by Dr. Andrew Seeley with Richena Curphey.

Immediately following Mass this Friday, we will have the first occurrence of our monthly **Eucharistic Exposition and Benediction**. Please consider joining us for this new school tradition and special time with Jesus in the Precious Body.

LEADERSHIP POINT #5: The parent is the primary educator—

we are here to help them in that process.

We serve the Church and the Church is mystery.

THIS WEEK:

“AND WHEN HE COMES HOME, HE CALLS TOGETHER HIS FRIENDS AND NEIGHBORS, SAYING TO THEM, “REJOICE WITH ME, FOR I HAVE FOUND MY SHEEP WHICH WAS LOST.””

Lk 15:6

MISSION: *St. Mary's Cathedral School provides academic excellence and fosters Catholic identity through teaching and learning in Christ with our hearts, souls, and minds.*

Here is an article on the readings from today, the Twenty-Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time, from the *National Catholic Register* entitled, ["From Sheep to Prodigals: Sin Makes Us Lost"](#) by Deacon Omar Gutierrez.

- ❖ **MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 16 (MEMORIAL OF SAINTS CORNELIUS, POPE, AND CYPRIAN, BISHOP, MARTYRS)**
 - Another Great Day at St. Mary's Cathedral School
- ❖ *Tuesday, September 17 (Optional Memorial of Saint Robert Bellarmine, Bishop and Doctor of the Church)*
 - Yet another Great Day at St. Mary's Cathedral School!
- ❖ **Wednesday, September 18 (Wednesday of the Twenty-Fourth Week in Ordinary Time)**
 - Swim Day for 1st Grade & 4th Grade (Mrs. Faver)
 - Faculty & Staff Vespers in the Chapel, 3:40 PM
- ❖ *Thursday, September 19 (Optional Memorial of Saint Januarius, Bishop and Martyr)*
 - St. Mary's T-Shirts and Blue Jeans or Jean Shorts
 - Faculty Meeting in the Staff Meeting Room, 3:45 PM
- ❖ **FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 20 (MEMORIAL OF SAINTS ANDREW KIM TAE-GÖN, PRIEST, AND PAUL CHÔNG HA-SANG, AND COMPANIONS, MARTYRS)**
 - **DRESS UNIFORM**
 - **ALL-SCHOOL MASS IN THE CATHEDRAL, 8:15 AM**
 - **ADORATION IN THE CATHEDRAL, AFTER MASS FOR 20 MINUTES**
- ❖ **SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 21 (FEAST OF SAINT MATTHEW, APOSTLE AND EVANGELIST)**
- ❖ **SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 22 (TWENTY-FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME)**

May God bless you richly always. **GO STARS!**

Yours in Christ,

Douglas E. Jones

Principal

DISCIPLES FIRST; EXCELLENCE ALWAYS!

***"How precious is your mercy, O God!
The children of men take refuge in the shadow of your wings."
Ps 36 [35]:7***