

Wednesday, October 2, 2024

ST. JOSEPH SCHOOL FULLERTON

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What's Coming Up @SJS-Fullerton!

From the Principal's Desk

Dear Parents,

Happy October, and Let's Go O's!

At the center of all that we do is our Catholic Faith and one of the best ways to actively participate is by attending Mass together. Each month we designate the Second Sunday as our School Mass. We invite and encourage all of our families to attend each month. Our students take an active role in these Masses thanks to our Liturgy Club. We understand that everyone has busy schedules, but setting aside time on a Sunday to celebrate Mass as a Family and school community is time well spent. Please join us for our first **School Mass on October 13th at 10:30!**

Faith and Blue Weekend- Each year we partner with the Church to honor local Law Enforcement and First Responders. **This year, National Faith and Blue weekend is October 11th-13th** and we have several events planned on campus:

- **Friday, October 11th-** School Assembly at 9:00am *Please [RSVP here](#) if you are in Law Enforcement or a First Responder and plan to attend the Assembly.
- **Saturday, October 12th- Parish Movie Night**
- **Sunday, October 13th - Faith and Blue Mass at 10:30am**

Newspapers Needed

If you have any newspapers at home, please send them in for Ms. Bromley, as she needs them for a fun upcoming art project. Grab them before the recycling goes out this week!

Parent/Teacher Conferences

Conferences will be held on Friday, November 1st. There will not be enough time slots for everyone to meet with the teachers, as the purpose of these is primarily if there is a concern or area of need. All conferences will be IN PERSON this year. Sign ups will be available in the next few weeks.

Looking Ahead:

10/4-SCHOOL CLOSED FOR STUDENTS (Professional Development Day for Staff)

10/9- Spirit Wear Day, Interims are sent home and HASA Wrapping Paper Sale ends

10/10- Individual Picture Make-Up Day

10/11- Faith and Blue Assembly(Students out of Uniform with a BLUE shirt if they donated between 10/1-10/8)

10/13-Second Sunday School Mass at 10:30am-This month is in conjunction with our Faith and Blue Mass

New Announcements

Winter Used Uniform Sale

USED UNIFORM SALE



Winter uniform begins on Monday, October 14th. There will be a used uniform sale on Tuesday, October 8th outside of school from 2:15pm-3:00pm. We mostly have gray uniform pants, but any winter uniforms that HASA has at this time will be available for sale. All items will be \$3. Cash only.

Hot Spot Raffle

Drop Off Your Kids in the Pre-K Lot in the Morning & Be the First Car Off the Parking Lot at Dismissal!



Congratulations

Congratulations to the Giusto/Crist Family for being the October Hot Spot Raffle Winner!



HASA Go Kart Night

Come hang out with your friends after school or in the evening at The Go-Kart Track! 30% of all sales will be donated back to St. Joseph School between 2:30pm- 10:00pm on Friday, October 11th. There is something for everyone- 3 go kart tracks, spin zone bumper cars, mini-golf, arcade games, and more! Tickets can be purchased onsite. Remember to mention St. Joe's!

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FAITH & BLUE
WEAR BLUE DRESS-DOWN DAY
FRIDAY, OCTOBER 11

All students who donate at least \$1 for our Police Officers and First Responders will have the opportunity to be out-of-uniform and wear a blue shirt (any bottoms) for our Faith & Blue Assembly on Friday, 10/11.

Cash donations will be accepted 10/1 - 10/8.

Donate to Wear Blue

Students who donate at least \$1 for our Police Officers and First Responders will have the opportunity to be out of uniform and wear a blue shirt (any weather-appropriate bottoms) for our Faith & Blue Assembly on Friday, October 11th. Cash donations will be accepted through October 8th.

Hot Lunch Volunteers Needed

Hot Lunch began on October 1st, but we still need your help! Volunteers are needed to ensure we can continue our Hot Lunch Program. This is a great way to Give 8! Please consider signing up for a shift on Tuesdays, Wednesdays, or Thursdays. [Sign up here.](#)



Trunk or Treat

Our annual Trunk or Treat will be Friday, October 18th (rain date is October 25th). Tickets are selling fast, be sure to grab yours before they are sold out!

There are 2 ticketing options. Option 1- Park, decorate, distribute goodies and trunk or treat for \$5 per car including up to 3 children (each additional child is \$5). The parking lot opens at 6:00pm for decorators.

Option 2- Park in the back lot and trunk or treat. Cost is \$15 for one child (each additional child is \$5). The back parking lot will open at 6:30pm.

Trunk or Treating will begin at 7:00pm. Hot dogs, drinks, and snowballs will be available for purchase. This event sells out every year! [Purchase your tickets HERE](#) Please remember tickets should only be purchased for SJS students. [View rules here.](#)



Charleston Wrap Online Fundraiser

One week left! Charleston Wrap offers gift wrap, kitchen gadgets, purses, and all sorts of other goodies. Get an early start on your holiday shopping! Every family that orders at least 1 item will receive an out of uniform pass for Friday, October 18. [Register here](#) and use Organization ID: 22976 to shop online. The sale runs through October 9th.

Club Corner

Battle of the Books- Registration is Open

Battle of the Books will begin in late October and will meet every other Thursday after school until 4 pm through April. Students in Grades 4th-8th will compete in a book trivia battle against other schools in April. Registration is now open! To register, [CLICK HERE](#). Space is limited. [Email Veronica Hernandez-Shepard](#) with any questions.

Robotics & STEM Club- Interest Forms Due

This year, we're excited to offer two groups—one focused on Robotics and another on STEM. We will meet on Wednesdays beginning in November. All interest forms for the Robotics & STEM Club are due by tomorrow, October 3rd. Be sure to turn in your completed form to Mr. Llufrío or Mrs. Donnelly.

Important Dates

THURSDAY, 10/3

- Chick-Fil-A Hot Lunch (Pre-orders only)

FRIDAY, 10/4

- **School Closed- PD Day for Staff**

MONDAY, 10/7

- Intent to Return Period for the '25-'26 School Year Begins

TUESDAY, 10/8

- Subway Hot Lunch (Pre-orders only)
- HASA Used Uniform Sale 2:15pm-3:00pm *CASH Only

WEDNESDAY, 10/9

- Pizza Hot Lunch (Pre-orders only)
- Spirit Wear Day
- Interims Sent Home
- Charleston Wrapping Paper Sale Ends

THURSDAY, 10/10

- Chick-Fil-A Hit Lunch (Pre-orders only)
- Individual Picture Make-Up Day

FRIDAY, 10/11

- Faith & Blue Assembly at 9am
- HASA Go Kart Track Night

Looking Ahead:

October 13th Second Sunday School Mass

October 14th- Winter Uniform Begins

October 18th- HASA Trunk or Treat (Rain Date October 25th)

November 8th- HASA Bingo

November 22nd- HASA Nailed It Cake Decorating Challenge

[2024-2025 Key Dates](#)

[FULL YEAR CALENDAR](#)

OCTOBER 2024

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
		1 Subway Lunch (Pre-order only) Advanced Band Begins	2 Pizza Lunch (Pre-order only) Cross Country Race @ SJS	3 Chick-Fil-A lunch (Pre-order only)	4 School Closed PD Day for Staff	5
6 Faith Family Fellowship Mass 10:30am	7 Intent to Return & New Sibling Registration Begins	8 Subway Lunch (Pre-order only)	9 Spirit Wear Day Interiors Sent Home Pizza Lunch (Pre-order only) HASA Wrapping Paper Sale Ends	10 Individual Picture Day Make Up Chick-Fil-A lunch (Pre-order only)	11 Faith and Blue Assembly 9am HASA Go Kart Track Night	12
13 School Mass 10:30am Faith and Blue	14 Winter Uniform Begins	15 Subway Lunch (Pre-order only)	16 Pizza Lunch (Pre-order only)	17 Principal Scholars' Dinner 6pm Chick-Fil-A lunch (Pre-order only)	18 Intent to Return & New Sibling Registration Ends K to Jones Farm Trunk or Treat	19 Open House 9-12pm
20 October -fest Mass Outside 10:30am	21 Red Ribbon Week	22 Subway Lunch (Pre-order only)	23 Pizza Lunch (Pre-order only)	24 Chick-Fil-A lunch (Pre-order only)	25 Trunk or Treat Rain Date	26
27	28 4 th & 5 th Grade to Goucher Red Ribbon Week Cont'd	29 Subway Lunch (Pre-order only)	30 Pizza Lunch (Pre-order only) Red Ribbon Parade 10am	31 School Closed Faculty Retreat		



First Friday

Join us for Adoration from 12pm-8pm and Confession at 12pm & 7pm this Friday, October 4th.

Cooking for Christ

Learn a lost art and make someone's day. Grades 3rd-5th will meet from 6-7pm, Grades 6th-8th from 7-8pm on Friday, October 4th. If interested, [email Mrs. Sherrie Palmateer](mailto:Mrs. Sherrie Palmateer) or call 410-256-1630 x107.

COOKING FOR CHRIST
LEARN A LOST ART AND MAKE SOMEONE'S DAY!

3-5TH GRADE 6-7PM
Apple Pies, Apple Sauce, Apple Chips and Apple Jelly all from scratch. These special treats will be donated to residents at Brighton to make their day.

6-8TH GRADE 7-8PM
Meet in the Kitchen at the Parish Hall. Earn service hours, while learning to create yummy fall treats.

9-12TH GRADE 8-9:30PM
Friday, October 4th, if interested email me and I will send you the link to sign up. spalmateer@stjoefullerton.org or call 416.256.1630 ext 107.



STEWARDSHIP WEEKEND
at St. Joseph Church & School

 *Forward in Faith* 

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 5TH
TO JESUS THROUGH MARY 

Join us at the 4:30 pm Mass as we celebrate our 20th Anniversary of this Marian tradition, sponsored by our Filipino community. Following Mass, there will be a Rosary procession which will conclude in the parish center. The evening will continue with food, entertainment, and Christian fellowship.

 **SUNDAY, OCTOBER 6TH**
DONUTS, CIDER & STEWARDSHIP

Join us in the parish center after the 8:30 am & 10:30 am Masses for donuts and cider as you discern ways to use your talents for God's glory and the building-up of our parish.

FAITH & BLUE WEEKEND AT
St. Joseph Church & School

FAMILY MOVIE NIGHT
Saturday, October 12th
6pm on the Upper Field
The movie will begin around 7pm

Join us for an Outdoor Family Movie night on the Upper Field. We will be selling pizza, hot dogs, popcorn, candy & drinks 

All proceeds will go towards Local Law Enforcement & will be presented to the officers at the Sunday, 10:30am Mass

We will be viewing "Zootopia"  Bring your blankets & chairs!

ST. JOSEPH'S Middle School Fall Dance 

Friday, October 11 from 7-10pm

Cost: \$12
REGISTER ONLINE
WWW.SIVECENTRAL.ORG/YOUTHMINISTRYEVENTS

FOOD - MUSIC - FUN
ALL ARE WELCOME!

CHAPERONES NEEDED!
Sherrie Palmateer
spalmateer@stjoefullerton.org



Stewardship Weekend

Following the 4:30 Mass on Saturday, October 5th there will be a rosary procession and fellowship dinner sponsored by the Filipino Community in the Parish Center. We hope you can join us for the 20th anniversary celebration.

Following the 8:30am & 10:30am Mass on Sunday, October 6th join us in the Parish Center for donuts and cider.

Family Movie Night

As part of our Faith & Blue Weekend, we are hosting Family Movie Night on Saturday, October 12th at 6pm on the Upper Field. Bring a chair or blanket. The movie, Zootopia, will start at 7pm. Pizza, hot dogs, popcorn, candy & drinks will be available for sale. All proceeds will go towards Local Law Enforcement & will be presented to Officers at the Sunday 10:30am Mass.

Middle School Fall Dance

Save the date for the Middle School Fall Dance on Friday, October 11th from 7-10pm. [Register online HERE](#). Chaperones are also needed. Please [CLICK HERE](#) to volunteer to chaperone.

Oktoberfest 2024



Come to Oktoberfest following the 10:30am Mass which will be held outdoors on Sunday, October 20th. The Das Bierhalle food truck will be here along with a biergarten (21 & over), live music, local vendors and children's activities.

Wolfpack Athletics



PLEASE JOIN US FOR THE ANNUAL SJAA GOLF TOURNAMENT
MONDAY, OCTOBER 7, 2024
 MOUNTAIN BRANCH GOLF CLUB
 8 A.M. CHECK-IN, 9 A.M. START
 \$175 PER GOLFER / \$700 PER FOURSOME

SCAN HERE
 TO REGISTER

- DUNNIN' TRUCK AT CHECK-IN
- HOT DOGS AT THE TURN
- PRIME RIB DINNER
- HOSPITALITY CART ON THE COURSE, COOKERS AT THE TURN, BEER, WINE, AND LIQUOR INCLUDED AT DINNER.
- RAFFLES

2024 Golf Tournament
 presented by the St. Joseph Athletic Association
 SPONSORSHIP LEVELS STILL AVAILABLE

- Prime Rib Dinner
- Golf Cart
- Tee Box
- Putting Contest
- Putting Green
- 19th Hole
- Hole in One

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Join Us for the Annual SJAA Annual Golf Tournament - Sponsored by Fluid Plumbing & Heating

Date: Monday, October 7
Location: Mountain Branch Golf Club

The volunteer sign up sheet is now open!
[Sign Up Here](#)

We're still accepting golfer registrations, so sign up today and enjoy a fantastic day of golf while supporting our youth sports programs. Families and businesses can sponsor a tee box or putting green for \$100. Your support makes a huge impact.

All proceeds will directly support our soccer, volleyball, and basketball programs, while also helping to maintain and improve our upper and lower fields on campus. Your contribution ensures a better experience for our athletes and the community.

[Register to Golf](#)
[Become a Sponsor](#)

Questions can be sent to [Angie Corno](#) and [David Luby](#).





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