



# FALCON NEWS

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Dear St. Joseph Families,

We hope you were able to make it today to our Father's Day Mass with Bishop Malone on the solemnity of St. Joseph, Husband of Mary. We celebrate "Father's Day" each year on the feast of St. Joseph, who is our patron as well. It a blessing to honor our fathers in this community. Thank you for worshipping with us today. We also wish to say thank you to the grandfathers, godfathers, and others who attended in place of fathers who could not be with us today. We also pray in a special way the fathers of our community who have passed away. We hope to be united with them someday.

As we come back from spring break, you can see that we are hitting the ground running once again. This is the final 9 weeks of a very full school year so please be sure that you pay close attention to school communication that we send out weekly. Please read carefully!

**REMINDER:** 1st-8th grade report cards are going home this Wednesday. So be sure to contact the office if there are any outstanding debts in place so that you can receive your child's academic information. This is probably a good reminder for 8th grade parents who are preparing for registration at local high schools.

**PTO MEETING THIS TUESDAY!** The PTO does so much for our school with community activities, supporting our students and teachers, as well as fundraising for important projects around the school. What any good organization requires is quality leadership. Pray about what role you wish to have in our PTO for next year and consider running for office. Please see 2 pages below for a description of the offices. St. Joseph, pray for us.



**2023 ST. JOSEPH ALTAR**

## UPCOMING EVENTS!

TUE, 3/21

4th Grade Living Museum

3:05-4:00 NJHS Candidate Mtg at FLC

3:05-4:15 LCP Tutoring in Library

6PM PTO Mtg in Library

WED, 3/22

SPIRIT SHIRT DAY

9AM 4th Grade Retreat

2:10 Middle School AR Party

3:05-5PM Cheer Tryouts in Gym

6PM CONFIRMATION Mtg

THUR, 3/23

1:30 Elementary Awards

2:10 Elementary AR Party

2:15 Middle School Awards

3:05-4:15 LCP Tutoring in Library

3:05-5PM Cheer Tryouts in Gym

FRI, 3/24

3:05-4:15 Cheer Tryouts in Gym

**NO MASS THIS FRIDAY**



# VIRTUE OF GENEROSITY

## ST. ELIZABETH OF HUNGARY

When Elizabeth was young, she married the prince of Thuringia. He loved her for her kind manner and devotion to God, but his family didn't approve. She spent hours in prayer in the castle chapel and took clothing and food to give to the poor. One day her husband's relatives and friends complained to the prince that Elizabeth was giving away too much food. When he went to her, the bread in her basket had turned to roses. From that day on, her husband supported her acts of generosity.

### GENEROSITY IS:

Giving of oneself in a willing and cheerful manner for the good of others

### PRAYER FOR GENEROSITY:

Dear Jesus, let me share myself with others as You share Your life with me.

### GENEROSITY LOOKS LIKE:

- Spending time with someone else

### SOUNDS LIKE:

- Would you like to play with me?

### FEAST:

November 17

# DESCRIPTION OF P.T.O. OFFICES

## **A. PRESIDENT**

- Preside over and administrate all executive, officer, regular, and special committee meetings.
- Call special meetings of the PTO when required.
- Serve as an ex-officio member of the School Council and is the spokesperson for the PTO at the School Council meetings.
- Have a co-signature authority for payment of the PTO's financial obligations.
- Serve as an ex-officio member of all PTO committees.

## **B. VICE-PRESIDENT**

- Assume the duties of the President in his/her absence.
- Perform additional duties as designated by the President.
- Assist in the formation of all committees and serve as an ex-officio member.
- Assure that committees meet their goals and report the results and recommendations to the organization.

## **C. SECRETARY**

- Record and make available to the members copies of the minutes of all executive committee, regular, and special meetings.
- Conduct the correspondence of the PTO.
- Maintain a current file of reports, records, and correspondence of the PTO.
- Be responsible for recording and correcting any amendments to the Constitution and By-Laws of the PTO.
- Assist in typing, publishing, and distributing PTO reports and communications and assist other committees in communicating events to the school, or to the community as the need arises.
- Performs additional duties as designated by the President.

## **D. TREASURER**

- Collect and deposit all duties and monies received through fundraising and contribution.
- Serve as an ex-officio member of the Fundraising Committee to aid in preparation for the fundraising reports.
- Maintain all records of receipts and expenditures for the PTO. A monthly accounting of all deposits, expenditures, and current account balances of all PTO controlled accounts shall be presented at every PTO membership meeting.
- Review and recommend payments of obligations to the President.
- Have co-signature authority for payment of the PTO's financial obligations.
- Within thirty days following the April meeting, the past (former) Treasurer shall balance all the financial records, including but not limited to the bank statements and all other accountings of the PTO, and shall physically transfer possession of said financial records to the newly elected Treasurer.
- Perform additional duties as designated by the President.

## **E. POLICIES AND PROCEDURES OFFICER**

- Review and comment on policy changes proposed by the School Council or PTO membership.
- Identify policy that should be reviewed by the School Council.
- Serve as liaison to the School Council's Policy and Procedure Committee when necessary.

2023/2024  
**PTO BOARD**  
*Elections*

ALL POSITIONS ARE OPEN!  
NOMINATIONS CAN BE SUBMITTED BY  
DROPPING IN THE BOX IN THE FRONT  
OFFICE OR USING THE QR CODE.  
A DESCRIPTION OF EACH POSITION IS  
POSTED IN THE COMMENTS.



VOTING WILL BE AT THE APRIL PTO MEETING  
TUESDAY, APRIL 16TH AT 6PM IN THE LIBRARY



**ACADEMIC  
AWARDS  
THURSDAY  
MARCH 23RD**

Elementary Awards

1:30 PM in St. Joseph Church

Middle School Awards

2:15 PM in St. Joseph Church



# ST. JOSEPH ART CONTEST WINNERS



**1ST PLACE - ROSLYN MCINNIS**



**2ND PLACE - SLOAN CAZES**



**3RD PLACE - ELLIE BICOL**



**4TH PLACE - AVERY ALDRICH**

# S.J.S. LENTEN ALMSGIVING



## Why are we collecting?

THE SAINT JOSEPH MINIVINNIES AND YOU ARE COLLECTING THESE FOOD ITEMS FOR THE SOCIETY OF ST. VINCENT DE PAUL FOOD PANTRY. THIS COLLECTION HELPS PEOPLE IN DESPERATE TIMES WHO NEED A SIMPLE MEAL, OR SMALL NECESSITIES TO EAT, OR STAY HEALTHY, SO PLEASE CONSIDER DONATING! PUT YOUR DONATIONS IN THE BOXES THAT WILL BE IN EACH HALLWAY. DEADLINE FOR ITEMS IS FRIDAY, MARCH 31. THANK YOU!

## Collection Items:

NO GLASS CONTAINERS

<b>KVillage</b>	<b>Elementary</b>	<b>Middle School</b>
<b>Oatmeal 16 oz bags</b>	<b>Chili 16 oz cans</b>	<b>Canned fruit 16 oz cans</b>
<b>Pancake mix</b>	<b>Beef Stew 16 oz cans</b>	<b>Canned vegetables 16 oz cans</b>
<b>Ramen noodles</b>	<b>Tuna helper</b>	<b>Tuna fish</b>
<b>Macaroni and cheese box</b>	<b>Spaghetti 16 oz</b>	<b>Rice one pound bag</b>
<b>Grape Jelly, small plastic jars</b>	<b>Spaghetti sauce in cans</b>	<b>Dry beans of any type one pound bag</b>
<b>Laundry detergent small</b>	<b>Toilet paper</b>	<b>Bar soap</b>
	<b>Paper towels</b>	<b>Dishwashing liquid small</b>