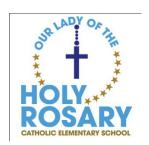
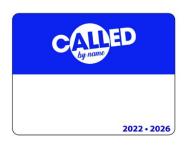
# Weekly Update

November 25 - 29, 2024









# **November Reflection**

Have you ever tried to speak to someone who was distracted? Maybe they were listening to music, reading a book, or on a phone. Distracted people don't realize that they should be paying attention. They don't know what they should be listening out for. God speaks to us every day, but sometimes we get so busy and distracted that we forget that we should be listening. Maybe we

don't know what we should be listening for, since God's normal way of speaking to us is not with an audible voice. God speaks to us in so many ways. Through the Bible, through the Mass and Sacraments. He moves our hearts, sometimes with a sensible joy. He speaks to us through the events of our lives, and through the mouths of other people. Take some time today to pay attention. How have you seen God's hand in your life this day, this month, and this year?

### Week at a Glance

Monday November 25 - Day 2

Intermediate Boys Volleyball Tournament in the Gym

Tuesday November 26 - Day 3

Wrap Lunch Day

Wednesday November 27 - Day 4

Tuck Shop

Lead out Loud Conference

**Thursday November 28 - Day 5** 

Pizza Day



Project Plaid - Out of Dress Code - Wear Plaid

Friday November 29 - PA DAY

No School for Students

\*Looking Ahead ...

Saturday, November 30 - Thorold Santa Claus Parade

Monday, December 2 - JOY DAY - Out of Dress Code for students - Red/Green/Christmas theme



# **Weekly Update**

Good evening OLHR families,

It was nice seeing so many of you on Thursday evening for our Student-Family-Staff conferences. Once again, we urge all families to try to make contact with your child's teacher if you were unable to meet this past week.

As December rolls in we begin to prepare for the Christmas season and more significantly, Advent. Sunday, December 1 is the first day of the Advent Season. **Hope** is the first theme in the season of Advent and apparent throughout the next four weeks. It is a foundation for our belief that Jesus is coming into our hearts. This first week prepares us to be people of hope and believe that darkness will not prevail, but the light of the world will overcome it.

Thank you,

**OLHR Staff** 





# **Thorold Santa Claus Parade**

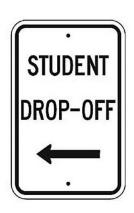
The Thorold Santa Claus Parade has been an annual tradition in the City of Thorold for over 30 years. Each year, residents and guests are invited to downtown Thorold to experience a festive array of community floats, marchers, entertainers, and bands.

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# **KINDERGARTEN DROP-OFF 8:55 - 9:10AM**

Parents/Guardians are asked to wait until 8:55AM to drop off Kindergarten students into the kinder area. The Kindergarten play area is used by the YMCA most days until 8:55AM. Please wait for a staff member to be present at the Kindergarten gate.

Thank you for your continued support.





## **Dress Code**

In Keeping with the Niagara Catholic District School Board Dress Code Policy, we ask that all parents please review the flyer attached within this weekly Update. The Board policy is also attached below this message. The Flyer is linked down below and will always be here for you to review. Students are required to abide by the Dress Code policy and select items of clothing that meet the standard requirements. Other than the Navy Blue and White, students are welcome to also wear School Spiritwear

which can be purchased through Front Row Sports. With the weather turning cooler and students wearing additional layers, please remember that hoodies and sweaters must also be Navy Blue, White or school Spiritwear. The link to the Spiritwear provider is also always near the end of the weekly update. Students that are not following the Dress Code will be asked to call home for a change of clothing. If we cannot make those arrangements, students will be provided by the school an item of clothing that meets the guidelines. This item will be returned so that we can wash them and use them again in the future. Thank you for your cooperation in this matter.



302.6.10 - Elementary Standardized Dress Code Policy AOP.pd f

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Download 1.1 MB Please remember that Our Lady of the Holy Rosary is a Nut-Free environment. Please refrain from sending any products to school that contain peanuts or tree nuts.





# **Kiss & Ride and Parking Lot Routines**

We ask that you please use the Kiss & Ride lanes at the Collier Road entrance to ensure greater student safety. If you are using the Sullivan street parking lot, please **do not park in the bus lanes** and be mindful of students and others walking across the parking lot.

# **Information Update**

We remind you that it is important to keep the office updated with regards to any new information or changes to the information we have on file for your child. This may include new phone numbers, change of address, medical information, custody orders etc.





# **Public Health Update**

Families are reminded to please update your child/children's immunization records with Niagara Region Public Health. You may do so by clicking this <u>link</u>. For more information please go to <u>NRPH website</u> if you have vaccine/record review questions or please call your health care provider. Families may also contact Public Health at 905-688-8248 or 1-888-505-6074 ext. 7425 and ask to speak with a public health vaccine nurse.

# **Lunch Delivery**

If you are dropping off a lunch or having one delivered to the school, please have your child's first and last name clearly labeled on the package. Please make sure delivery services have the student's name when dropping off lunches. Also, please verify in your SchoolCashOnline portal that you ordered lunches on our Specialty Food Days. We do not order extras and will not have additional food in case your child doesn't have a lunch. We do always have additional items in our snack bins and we will do our



best to provide food if they cannot contact you. Please review the new student Nutrition Break times.

# **SAFE ARRIVAL**



Please remember to report your child's absence using the **SAFEARRIVAL** portal. With the office being a very busy place, you can also put in an **EARLY DEPARTURE**. This will allow us to have your child ready and at the office for the time you have selected. Often when parents call at the last minute, it may be difficult to

get students down at the office due to the large number of calls. Advanced planning will be extremely helpful.

## **OLHR Bell Times**

Morning Supervision 8:55 - 9:10

**Morning Entry 9:10** 

**Announcements 9:20** 

AM RECESS 11:20-11:40 (Grades 3,4,5 & 6 RECESS) Grades 1,2,7,&

8 Nutrition Break)

AM RECESS 11:40-12:00 (Grades 1,2,7 & 8 RECESS) Grades 3,4,5 &

6 Nutrition Break)

PM RECESS 1:20 - 1:40(Grades 3,4,5 & 6 RECESS) Grades 1,2,7,& 8

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**DISMISSAL 3:30** 

# Gradwear Link



**Our Lady of the Holy Rosary GRAD Store** 

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# OLHR SPIRITWEAR THROUGH FRONT ROW SPORTS- CLICK LINK BELOW



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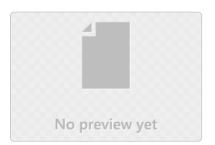




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☑ ncdsb.schoolcashonline.com



# STUDENT SAFE ARRIVAL PROGRAM - Niagara Catholic District School Board

Report an absence to the Student Safe Arrival Program. How to report by phoning, logging in or get the app. Help video included.

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### Home

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## **OUR LADY OF THE HOLY ROSARY MASS TIMES**

TUESDAY - SATURDAY 8:00 AM SATURDAY EVENING 5:00 PM WITH CHILDREN'S LITURGY SUNDAY8:00 AM, 9:30 ITALIAN MASS, 11:00 AM WITH CHILDREN'S LITURGY



# **Child Care Registry**

We have an online registration system that allows parents to search and apply for all licensed child care programs for children from birth to age 12, including licensed home child care. Submit one application for any licensed child care options and before-and-after school programs that meet your family's needs.

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