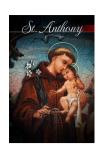


The Weekly Update

November 11-15, 2024

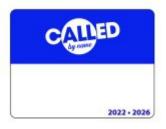






November Reflection

What does it mean when we "follow" someone on social media? When we do this we are saying we want to know more about them, to see how they live, how they act, what they say. But what we see on social media isn't always reality. It's often hidden behind filters, edits, and multiple takes. What if instead of "following" in this way,



we choose to follow someone who only shows us what is real and what is true? Jesus is calling us to follow Him, to live our lives according to the Gospel and to share His love with those around us. So the question is, who will you choose to follow today?



Week at a Glance November 11-15, 2024

Monday November 11, 2024 - DAY 2

Remembrance Day Ceremony @ 10:45

Tuesday November 12, 2024-DAY 3

Progress Reports available in Parent Portal Today

Wednesday November 13, 2024- DAY 4

Junior Girls Triple Ball Tournament

Thursday November 14, 2024-DAY 5

Junior Boys Triple Ball Tournament

Sub Day

Friday November 15, 2024-DAY 1

Lights Out Lunch Day





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Weekly Update November 11-15, 2024

Dear St. Anthony family,

This Saturday November 9, 2024 at 10:30 am students in Grade 2 along with some other students and parishioners will be making

their First Reconciliation at St. Mary of the Assumption Church. This is the next step in their faith journey which will lead them to their First Holy Communion in the Spring. Also, mark on your calendars the Sacrament of Confirmation will be celebrated on Saturday November 23, 2024 at 11:00 am at St. Mary of the Assumption Church. Please come and welcome these young men and women as they take their next steps into fulfilling the promise made at baptism and assuming the responsibility for their personal faith journeys.

On Monday. Our Grade 8 students will lead us in our Remembrance Day Ceremony. It will be an Optional Dress Code Day with the hopes that students will wear Red and Black. The Royal Canadian Legion has delivered Poppy Stickers for all students if they do not have their own. In order to support the Legion, we ask that each student bring in a Toonie that we will donate to the Legion. Also, Monday will be an Alternate Dress Day. Please wear Red and Black for Remembrance Day.

Progress Reports will be made available in the parent portal on Tuesday November 12, 2024. If you cannot remember how to access the portal there is an attachment below explaining how to activate the portal and how to retrieve your password should you have forgotten the password. You must use the email address we have on file here at school. Along with Progress Reports, we will also conduct Parent-Teacher Conferences on Tuesday, November 19, 2024 from 4:00-6:00 PM.

Please use the link provided <u>here</u> to book your appointment online with your child's teacher. If you cannot make one of these times, please contact your child's teacher to set up an alternative time.

Once again, we would like to draw attention to the Parking Lot. Please slow down and exercise great caution while in our parking lot. If your child is capable of getting themselves in and out of the car, please use the Kiss and Rida lane, however if they need your assistance, please park in a designated spot and then get out of your car and walk them to the back of the building. We need to ensure the safety of all our community members, but especially the students.

Our Catholic School Council will be running a Christmas Fundraiser. An account with Purdy's Chocolate has been set up and you will be able to go directly online to place your order. A catalogue can be made available if you desire however, everything is available online and it is much easier to process. You can simply forward the QR code to family and friends and they can order directly from the site. In the additional Information line please write the last name of the Child's family who will be picking up the order. Please see below for the QR code. For easy distribution we ask that you please place the order in the name of one of your children. Orders must be made by *Sunday, November 24, 2024* in order to have them delivered by *Thursday, December 12, 2024*.

We appreciate your support and please know that all fundraisers are not mandatory and that we will have another Fundraiser in the Spring. We try to offer a little something that appeals to all families. We are presently working to secure a date with Krispy Kreme for Early Spring.

Thank you and have a wonderful weekend,

St. Anthony Staff







ST. ANTHONY PURDY's Chocolatier Fundraiser

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Special Education Advisory

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NCDSB Special Education Advisory Committee Monthly Updates

Niagara Catholic's Special Education Advisory Committee (SEAC) is a group of representatives from community organizations, school board trustees and school board staff. The role of the SEAC is to collaborate on school board policies and programs

related to special education. SEAC advocates on behalf of students with special education needs and their families. SEAC meets monthly. More information on how to join the livestream meeting

can be found on the <u>Niagara Catholic website</u>. Over the next several months, a community agency represented on SEAC will be highlighted in the school newsletter and in The Chronicle. Stay tuned to be informed!



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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.

DAILY SCHEDULE

MORNING SUPERVISION 8:15 - 8:30 MORNING ENTRY 8:30 ANNOUNCEMENTS 8:40 **AM RECESS 10:40-11:00** (Grades 1, 2, 3, 4,5 & Kindergarten

RECESS) Grades 6,7,& 8 **NUTRITION BREAK**)

AM RECESS 11:00-11:20 (Grades 6,7,& 8 RECESS) (Grades 1, 2, 3,

4,5 & Kindergarten **NUTRITION BREAK**)

PM RECESS 12:40 - 1:00 (Grades 1, 2, 3, 4,5 & Kindergarten

RECESS) Grades 6,7,& 8 **NUTRITION BREAK**)

PM RECESS 1:00-1:20 (Grades 6,7,& 8 RECESS) (Grades 1, 2, 3, 4,5

& Kindergarten **NUTRITION BREAK**)

DISMISSAL 2:50





Safe Arrival- School Messenger

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.

Lunches

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.





Public Health

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.

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.





St. Anthony Catholic Elementary Spirit Wear

IMPORTANT*** ***in NOTES, please include students name and teacher for easier distribution*** ALL Spirit Wear will OPEN July 2nd for purchasing over the summer. Delivery will be the first/second week of September to the school. Please note that all Spirit Wear orders are NON-REFUNDABLE.

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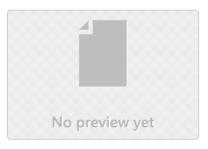
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STUDENT SAFE ARRIVAL PROGRAM - Niagara Catholic District School Board

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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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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