

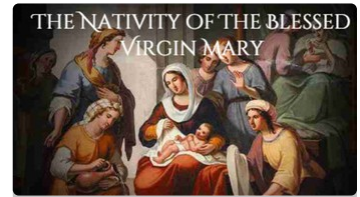
Viking Newsletter

September 7, 2023

HAPPY BIRTHDAY BLESSED VIRGIN MARY

Friday, September 8th

When the Church feasts, we feast! The Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary is celebrated tomorrow. Your child will celebrate the birthday of the Blessed Virgin Mary with birthday cake at lunch. This is just one simple way we promote our Catholic identity. We encourage our families to add similar devotions and celebrations within their homes.



WE ARE SAVING YOUR SEAT AT MASS - PLEASE JOIN US!

Come Home to Your Parish Commercial :60





HAPPY BIRTHDAY FR. WILLARD

Saturday, September 9th

Join our parish and school in wishing Fr. Willard a very Happy Birthday!

A poster for a food drive event. The background is light yellow with decorative elements including avocados, strawberries, and stars. The text is centered and reads:

FEAST WEEK
**FOOD
DRIVE**
to support the Society of
St. Vincent de Paul

In the spirit of St. Vincent de Paul, our patron, let's serve the poor in our community!

SEPTEMBER 25-29

Food items most needed:
canned tuna-canned chicken - pasta pasta sauce
peanut butter & jelly - canned soup, chili & stew

Household supplies:
liquid dish soap - toilet paper - paper towels

FEAST OF ST. VINCENT DE PAUL

Prayer Service - September 27th at 1:45pm

All families are welcome to join us for a prayer service in honor of our patron, St. Vincent de Paul at 1:45 PM at our St. Vincent de Paul statue in the front of the school. Do you already pick up your child from school? Come just a few minutes earlier and show your child how important it is for you to participate in prayer with us. We will feast properly with prayer and popsicles!



Lunch Menus

SCHOOL PICTURE DAY

Thursday, September 14th



TSS Photography will take our school pictures. Whether pictures are purchased or not, every child will have a picture that will serve as their yearbook picture. TSS has a view first format for fall pictures with no prepay and no order forms.

Please click [here](#) to register, view and order pictures online.

Unhappy with your first picture?

Picture Retake Day: Wednesday, September 20th

Picture Day is a uniform or dress up day.

All students must follow the out of uniform guidelines listed in the Parent/Student Handbook:

Out of Uniform Day

- Anything appropriate for school may be worn however NO holes in any clothing.
- Hemlines for dresses and skirts **MUST** be no shorter than 3 inches above the middle of the kneecap. NO short shorts; shorts only allowed during August, September, and May.
- NO pajamas; no leggings.
- NO hats of any kind.
- NO overly exposed shoulders or skimpy tops.
- NO open toed/open backed shoes
- NO garments not in keeping with the teachings of the Catholic Church.

Your orders will be sent directly to your house. All emails and addresses will be used solely for the purpose of distributing information to parents regarding picture day services and mailing pictures directly to the parents. All emails and addresses are kept within the TSS system only, and are never sold or shared with other parties.



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Flyer with information

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1/2 DAY of SCHOOL

Wednesday, September 20th - 11:30am Dismissal

There will be a 1/2 day of school due to Professional Development for our teachers. Dismissal will be at **11:30 AM** and Aftercare will be available. Parents need to provide a lunch.

GRADEBOOK PROGRESS REPORTS

SVdP Family Portal has a daily/weekly gradebook progress report option for families of 3rd-8th graders. To request a report be emailed:

Log into [Family Portal](#) (District Code is SVDP-IL)

☞ Click on "Web Forms" under School Information

☞ Click on "Family Demographic Form"

☞ Click on "Custodial Parent Form" – scroll toward the bottom of the form for preferences.

From the drop down arrow by "Auto Email Gradebook Progress Report" choose never, daily, or weekly.

We hope this option helps to keep parents informed of their child's academic progress.

EIGHTH GRADE SHERIDAN NURSERY FUNDRAISER

September 1st - October 15th

Sheridan Nursery is teaming up with St. Vincent de Paul 8th grade class this fall to support their fundraising efforts. Bring [voucher](#) to either Sheridan Nursery locations when you purchase your plants, flowers, trees, etc. and 10% of your purchase will go to our 8th graduating class.

ATHLETIC NEWS

IESA SPORTS PHYSICALS

REQUIRED FOR 5th-8th GRADE STUDENTS

ALL students in 5th - 8th grades participating in sports must turn in a sports physical prior to the season start date. The \$45.00 athletic fee per



sport should also be paid as soon as invoiced in your FACTS account.

ATHLETIC FAMILY PASS

2023-2024 Family Athletic Pass - \$75

This pass will entitle parents and their children admission into all regular season home games for girl's basketball, boy's basketball, & volleyball. Any tournaments or IESA post-season games hosted at St. Vincent are not included.

Those interested please complete and return the [Family Athletic Pass Form](#) to the school office or purchase at the admissions window. Payment may be in the form of cash, check (payable to SVdP Athletics), or billed in your FACTS account. A list of participating families will be present at the admission window during games for reference and check-in. No cards will be issued.

Any questions contact our AD, Ms. Carew, at mcarew@svdpvikings.com



**ST. VINCENT
DE PAUL**
CATHOLIC SCHOOL
PRAY. LEARN. LEAD. TOGETHER.

Upcoming
Events
*in
September*


SEPT 08	All School Mass @ 9:15 AM
SEPT 11	All School Rosary @ 2:35 PM
SEPT 12	Adoration, all day
SEPT 14	Fall Picture Day
SEPT 15	All School Mass @ 9:15 AM
SEPT 19	Adoration, all day
SEPT 20	1/2 day- 11:30 AM dismissal Picture Re-take Day
SEPT 22	All School Mass @ 9:15 AM





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