

January 20, 2023

Dear Wonderful Nazareth Community,

As Pope Paul VI said, "If you want peace, work for justice." In our way, we work for peace daily within our relationships at school. We practice fairness for all on the playground and in our classrooms. Especially during the month of January, we honor the Sisters of Nazareth Core Value of Justice. Blessed are those who hunger and thirst for Justice for they shall be satisfied. -Matthew 5:6.

Today, we celebrated and recognized the peacemakers among us at a special Peacemakers' liturgy. As a school community, we prayed for justice in our world that it will be filled with peace. At Nazareth School, we understand that justice and fairness create a path to peace. Thank you to Mrs. Rose, Mrs. Burdine, Mr. Enterante and all of the Peacemakers' for their participation in making this beautiful Mass special.

PEACEMAKER REPRESENTATIVES 2023

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K	Sloan Casey	Miles Verdon	
1^{st}	Claire Lozano	Lucas Bickel	
2^{nd}	Raegan Colihan	Caden Gunning	
3^{rd}	Ariana Cochran	Ethan Weiss	
4 th	Madelyn Mitchell	David Lopez	
5 th	Julia Imaz	Nicholas Croff	
6^{th}	Livia Giglio	Jacob Lowry	
7^{th}	Sofia Stidman	Colt Neubrand	
8^{th}	Melani Broussard	Matthew Walp	



As a reminder, second quarter ended today, Friday, January 20, 2023. Reports cards will be going home on Friday, January 27th. The entire staff at Nazareth School is working diligently to help those students who have been out of class due to illness.

HSPT

Please keep our wonderful 8th grade class in your prayers, as they prepare to take the High School Placement Test this Saturday. May they feel the Holy Spirit in them, as they prepare for high school next year.

Grandparent's Day

Please save the date for the upcoming Grandparents Day celebration on February 3, 2023. It is a day filled with joy as we share our beautiful Mass, campus and classrooms with our loved ones.

Catholics Schools Week

Catholics Schools Week will begin on Sunday, January 29th through Friday February 4th, please read the Nazareth News for more details. This year's theme is "Catholic Schools: Faith. Excellence. Service." In the spirit of CSW, Nazareth School will be honoring the theme with a week of fun filled activities including Teacher and Staff Appreciation Day on Tuesday, January 31st. It would be wonderful for families to express your love and appreciation to our wonderful Nazareth Teacher's and Staff. Please take a moment to have your child write a simple note of thanks to their teacher, for all they do to help them grow and learn.

STAR/Renaissance Testing

Today, we emailed the Fall STAR/Renaissance analysis video for Nazareth School. We celebrate the academic excellence that our Nazareth School students have achieved. Currently, we are in the process of completing the Winter Star/Renaissance Testing at Nazareth School, the window closes on Friday, January 27th.

Upper Court Renovation

We are excited to announce the ribbon cutting/dedication ceremony will be during Catholic Schools week, Thursday February 2, immediately following the morning assembly. The upper court renovation is nearly complete with the installation of hitting wall this week and shade being installed later this month.

Volunteers Needed

Nazareth School is proud to present our wonderful school to the WCEA/WASC Accreditation Team on February 8 through the 10. The reading of the final report to the entire faculty and staff will occur on Friday, February 10th. We are looking for parent volunteers to supervise students at Extended Care beginning at 12 noon for lunch and playtime. We anticipate the presentation to last approximately an hour. Please email Mrs. Nancy at office@nazarethschool.org if you are able to answer our call for help. If we do not receive enough volunteer help, we will have to cancel Extended Care.

God Bless,

Mrs. René Coons Principal Nazareth School

Holy Family of Nazareth Watch over us and protect us.

Our Mission: Nazareth School, "A school with a Mission," develops faith-filled learners who are guided by the Core Values of the Sisters of Nazareth, providing academic excellence rooted in Catholic tradition.

Respect

Hospitality Love

Justice

Compassion

Patience