

March 24, 2023

Dear Wonderful Nazareth Community,

Nazareth School was blessed to have the Sisters of Nazareth and all of the Nazareth Care CEO's, from around the world, tour our amazing campus and participate in our Thursday Assembly. They have gathered in San Diego to attend the Nazareth Care Global Conference led by our American Region Superior, Sister Rose, and CEO, Barbara Anne Crowley. Nazareth School's 8th graders shined as they were invited to participate in the Global Conference Mass with the Very Reverend Cardinal McElroy, Sister Brenda, the Superior General of Nazareth Care, and Mr. Kevin Barnes, Chief Executive for the Congregation of the Sisters of Nazareth and Congregation of the Sisters of Nazareth Generalate. A special thank you to our 4th grade choir and the Nazareth Bell Choir for sharing their gift of music during the Liturgy. As a community, we are very fortunate to be guided spiritually and supported financially by the Sisters of Nazareth. Their Core Values of respect, hospitality, love, justice, compassion and patience lead us all to be more Christ like, especially during this Lenten Season.

During the Lenten season, please join Nazareth students for Stations of the Cross on Wednesday at 8:30am in St. Francis Chapel, or in the auditorium if it is raining. Next week, 3rd grade will be celebrating Stations of the Cross and Friday Mass will be presented by 2nd grade. Please mark your calendar to attend 8th grade presentation of the Passion Shadow Play on Holy Thursday, April 6 at 9:00am and 11:00am.

On Wednesday, the Missionary Childhood Association (MCA), had a Mass honoring the nations around the world. Nazareth School was represented by second grader, Kalkidan Fente, who wore traditional Ethiopian attire. "The MCA is one of the four Pontifical Mission Societies active in some 110 countries throughout the world. Founded in 1843 by Bishop Charles de Forbin-Jason, MCA helps to animate the young faithful to a universal missionary spirit and to gather support for the local churches of Africa, Asia, the Pacific Islands and remote regions of Latin America for the Church's service among children."

SCIENCE FAIR WINNERS

On March 22, 2023, Nazareth School had eleven seventh graders participate in the Greater San Diego Science and Engineering Fair. All of our amazing Nazareth participants placed in first, second or third place. A special thank you to all of the students, parents and especially Mrs. Reed for your dedication and hard work to academic excellence.

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1st Place Awards Eva Cantorna – Biomedical/Health Engineering

Carmina Allende - Engineering, Energy, Material and Transport

Madison Hulse - Physics and Astronomy

2nd Place Awards Phoebe Roy – Biomedical/Health Sciences

Colt Neubrand - Engineering, Energy and Material

Madeline Poulin - Engineering, Energy, Material and Transport

Apollo Nguyen - Product Testing

3rd Place Awards Emma O'Dea – Behavioral and Social Sciences

Gigi Kent - Behavioral and Social Sciences

Michael Ladisa - Engineering, Energy Material and Transport

Sofia Stidman - Behavioral and Social Sciences and Honorable Mention

from the Psychological Association,

Adriano Shores - Product Testing and a special award from the San

Diego County Dental Foundation.

Carmina Allende and Madison Hulse have been invited to present their project at the California State Science Fair in April.

Our mission at Nazareth School is to provide all of our students with an exceptional Catholic education and prepare them to be excellent stewards in the future, by living the Sisters of Nazareth Core Values. With this mission in our hearts, the Sisters of Nazareth Foundation will continue to offer tuition assistance through the use of the FACTS Grant and Aid qualification process. This is a financial needs-based program and the Nazareth Foundation will work with all families needing assistance. Applications are currently being accepted for Nazareth School Tuition Assistance for the 2023-24 school year and all applicants must be enrolled in Nazareth School for the 2022-2023 school year. The deadline to apply for financial assistance is April 30, 2023.

Thank you for entrusting Nazareth School with the Catholic education of your children. With all of us working together as partners and with God's blessings, all things are possible.

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.

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