

May 17, 2024

Dear Wonderful Nazareth Community,

"Diversity and unity: Saint Paul puts together two words that seem contradictory. He wants to tell us that the Holy Spirit is the one who brings together the many; and that the Church was born this way: we are all different, yet united by the same Holy Spirit."

-His Holiness Pope Francis (May 31,2020)



This Sunday the Catholic Church will celebrate "the birthday of the Church," the Solemnity of Pentecost. It represents the day the Holy Spirit descended on the Apostles, and they began to preach the Gospel, with 3,000 people converted and baptized that day. Christ's mission was completed and the New Covenant began. May we all be united by the Holy Spirit as a family at Nazareth School.

# Armed Forces Day

Today, our Nazareth School community celebrated Armed Forces Day at Mass. Father conferred a special blessing for our honored active service members and veterans. Thank you for those who were able to come to Mass in uniform to represent the tremendous service you give. We appreciate your amazing dedication to our wonderful nation!

# **Volunteer Dinner**

Thank you to all of our many volunteer "angels" that helped support Nazareth with our many events this year. In the spirit of recognition, we will celebrate all Nazareth School volunteers with a Volunteer Dinner on Wednesday, May 29 at 5:30pm in the Nazareth Court Yard. Please scan the QR code to RSVP by May 21. We will also like to invite all volunteers to Mass on May 31, 2024 for a special blessing.



Respect Hospitality Love Justice Compassion

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## Nazareth Night

Thank you so much to the Nazareth Night co-chairs: Jen Mitchell and Booie Jordan! Mardi Gras: Beads & Bling was a great success and a wonderful evening for our community. Please join me in thanking The Nazareth Night Committee: Sarah Galt, Tavy Higuera-Martin, Asia Takeuchi, Melanie Venne, Nadine Henley, Lindsey DesRochers, Laura Runkle, and Melissa Caguimbaga. Thank you also to Mrs. Horning, Mrs. Maldonado and all the parents who volunteered in the classroom completing the individual projects. We are so grateful for your support.

## **Spring Star Results**

Next week in the Family Envelope, we will be sending home the Spring STAR/Renaissance Reading and Math results. Thank you to the faculty for their dedication and handwork in ensuring our students continue to excel in their spiritual and academic growth.

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.

#### Core Values for May - Compassion and Patience

Be compassionate as your heavenly father is compassionate. Luke 6:36 Blessed are the gentle for they shall possess the earth. Matthew 5:5

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