



October 29, 2021

As a community, in October we are focusing on the Nazareth core value of hospitality.

“I was a stranger and you welcomed me.” Matthew 25:37.

Dear Wonderful Nazareth Families,

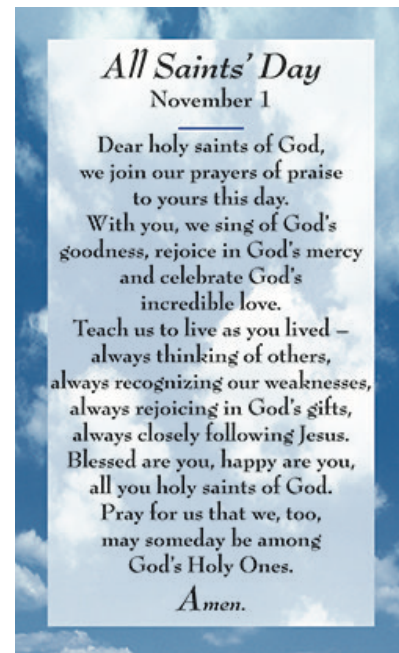
Today we enjoyed Mass presided by Father Bill with the theme of “Taking time to talk with Jesus.” Do you take time to listen to Jesus? Thank you to Mrs. Valenti, the 8<sup>th</sup> grade class for participating in the Liturgy of the Word.

On Monday, we are blessed to celebrate All Saint’s Day presented by the fourth-grade class. We are looking forward to seeing kindergarten and fourth grade dressed as the Saints. We will also enjoy listening to a few Saints reports written by kindergarten and 4<sup>th</sup> .

Thank you to all of the room parents, parent volunteers and our Halloween Committee for tonight’s Trunk or Treat! I can’t wait to see 8<sup>th</sup> grades Haunted Alien Halloween extravaganza; it will be located in front of St. Joseph.

We enjoyed our new tradition of dressing up for Halloween at Nazareth School. Students came on Thursday, in their Halloween best, and we were blessed to have Sister Catherine and Sister Loreta as judges for our costume contest. PTG also sponsored a family pumpkin decorating contest and classroom door decorating contest. Thank you to the PTG, and alumni for judging the pumpkin and door decorating contests.

On Thursday, I was blessed to have Mr. Benet Salmon as “Principal of the Day.” He was a tremendous help to Nazareth School and the office. I truly appreciate his Happy Heart and positive outlook with the students and faculty.



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This week the lower field playground has been undergoing a renewal. We are removing all of the old dirty sand and replacing it with new playground sand. Due to the rain and for the student's safety, we closed the lower field. We are praying the project will be completed by early next week. A special thank you goes out to all of the students and teachers for their understanding and ability to be flexible.

Today, Nazareth School released reports cards via Gradelink. Please log into your child's account to see their first quarter results. We are very proud of Nazareth students hard work this quarter. In today's family envelope, we are including a copy of the STAR Reading and Math assessments for your benefit.

Next Friday, November 5, Nazareth School has a student holiday. The teachers will work together on Nazareth Schools WCEA accreditation (Western Catholic Educational Association). This accreditation process is a 6 years process, and is critical to the ongoing success of our wonderful school.

Please contact the Nazareth School office 619-641-7987 or [office@nazarethschool.org](mailto:office@nazarethschool.org), if your child is experiencing any Covid-19 symptoms. According to the HHSA, any person with these symptoms must remain home for a minimum of 24 hours. Students may return to Nazareth School, after 24 hours, with a negative PCR Covid test, symptoms resolving, no fever and no use of medication.

Please take a moment to read the Nazareth News for all of the upcoming events including our Turkey Trot fundraiser. Thank you in advance for all of your tremendous support of Nazareth School.

God watch over our students,  
God watch over our parents,  
God watch over our teachers and staff!

God Bless,

*Mrs. René Coons*

Principal Nazareth School

**Nazareth School Mission:** "It is the mission of Nazareth School to teach and guide students from various backgrounds in their spiritual, academic, physical, and social development. As a Catholic institution, Nazareth School community members integrate the charism and core values of the Sisters of Nazareth into the educational experience. It is the school's aim to nurture mind, body, and spirit in an atmosphere of mutual respect and trust in God and to contribute to the larger community through service, worship, and spreading the Gospel message."

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