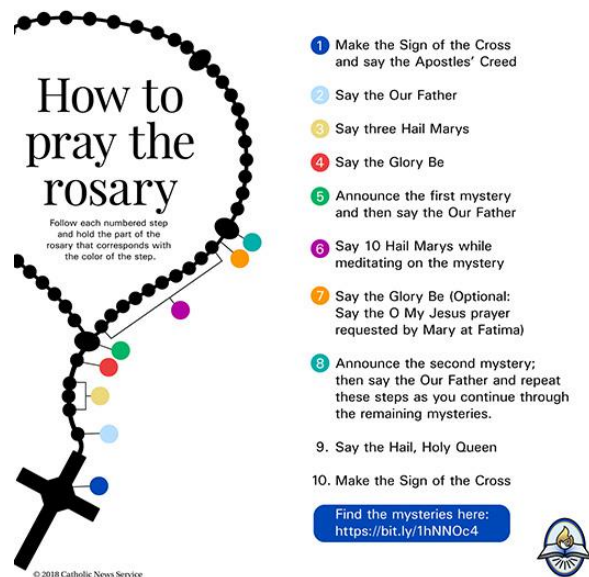




October 10, 2022

Dear Wonderful Nazareth Families,

In the month of October, Nazareth School will be praying the Holy Rosary in the classroom and as a school during assemblies. “The Rosary is a Scripture-based prayer...which summarizes the great mysteries of the Catholic faith. The Our Father, which introduces each mystery, is from the Gospels. The first part of the *Hail Mary* is the angel's words announcing Christ's birth and Elizabeth's greeting to Mary. St. Pius V officially added the second part of the *Hail Mary*. The Mysteries of the Rosary center on the events of Christ's life. There are four sets of Mysteries: Joyful, Sorrowful, Glorious and—added by Saint John Paul II in 2002—the Luminous.”  
— United States Conference of Catholic Bishops



Nazareth School is proud to announce a new school tradition of Blessing of the Animal's prayer service lead by Student Council and celebrated by Father Garret. It will be next Friday, October 14 in the lower field at 1:30pm. Please look for signs that designate which category of animal your pet fits. For example, if you bring a cat, please stand by the CAT sign. We will have pet waste bags and water available for your pets. Your child will be able to join you and stand by their pet. We will have the Mission San Diego gate open at 1:20pm, for extra parking and easy of animal transport.

We appreciate all of the parents that attended the PTG General Meeting. Please see Jodee Blanco's INJJA curriculum, SEL and written supplements for your review, her assembly to Nazareth students was in line with the Diocese of San Diego's NO GO Tell and our Core Values.

PTG is very excited to announce that the Halloween Carnival will be on Friday, October 28th from 5:30pm-8:30pm. It will be an evening full of fun including food, a mechanical bull, jumpy obstacle course, carnival games, face painting and food. We thank all of the wonderful room parents and parent volunteers who are coordinating the carnival games for their classes. PTG is still looking for parents to come and help make this a fabulous and fun event.

We will be continuing our new tradition of dressing up for Halloween at Nazareth School. Students may come to school on Monday, October 31st in their Halloween Costumes, if they wish not to participate in the extravaganza, then they should wear their school uniform. The

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costumes must be Catholic School appropriate, no fake gooey, scary blood, no blow-up costumes, no weapons, no costume masks allowed. Students' costumes must be comfortable and allow the students to learn during class.

Thank you to all the parents and families who have purchased scrip. We are offering scrip purchase before and after school in front of the office. Please park your car, use the crosswalk, and purchase as much scrip as your budget will allow!

We appreciate all of the parents who continue to use the San Diego Mission Road front driveway entrance, for both drop off and pick up. We will be posting a new sign to clearly let Mission San Diego visitor's understand that from 7:00am-to 4:30pm we are a closed campus. We ask that you please enter at San Diego Mission Road, so we may continue to have a smooth pickup and drop off. In addition, please drive slowly as we have many parents and students using the crosswalks.

As Fall continues, we know that the flu and cold season is upon us all in San Diego and we ask that you continue to help keep our Nazareth community safe by following the health guidance of keeping all of your children home if one child is affected by one of the COVID-19 symptoms of fever, cough, shortness of breath, nasal congestion, sore throat, nausea, vomiting, diarrhea, fatigue, new loss of taste or smell, headache, muscle or body aches, poor feeding, poor appetite, or knowledge of close contact with a person who is lab confirmed to have COVID-19. Please keep your child home if they have the flu or a cold with a fever. If you are interested, the annual flu shot is now available in San Diego, please contact your child's doctor for more details.

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.

Take a moment to read the Nazareth News for all of the upcoming events and important Nazareth School information.

God Bless,

Mrs. René Coons  
Principal  
Nazareth School

*Holy Family of Nazareth  
Watch over us and protect us.*

**October Nazareth Core Value: Hospitality.**

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

**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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