



# Spartan Newsletter

St. Paul of the Cross 2022-2023 School Year

School-Wide Learning Expectation: Academically Prepared; Spiritually Evolving; Active Catholic-Christian; Life-Long Learner **October 26, 2022**

**65** Years of Developing Students Academically and Spiritually!

## Principally Speaking:

Parents,  
We are working on complying with the required safe environment policies and procedures of the *Los Angeles Archdiocese Policy* of having ALL our PARENTS and volunteers take the VIRTUS TRAINING either for the FIRST time or RENEWING the certificate. The workshop is good for 3 years. Please see the flyers I sent in the family envelopes for locations, dates, and times to sign-up. The VIRTUS Training is no longer being given online. Please submit a copy of your certificate. Parents must also get FINGERPRINTED through the Los Angeles Archdiocese. I have included a calendar with the locations, dates, and times. We were not able to host a fingerprinting session here at the school. You only need to get finger-printed once through the Archdiocese. Please submit a copy of your fingerprinting form to the office.

Thank you for your understanding and cooperation.

God Bless, Ms. H



**Week 7 Winners  
Congratulations**

**Mona Bautista  
Luz Hawkins**

## MASS

**ALL SAINTS DAY  
HOLY DAY OF OBLIGATION**

**Tuesday, November 1<sup>st</sup>**

**Mass: 8:30am & 7:00pm (Bilingual)**

## Veterans Day

We will be posting two SignUpGenius link on Classdojo.

- 1: wish list of donations needed for Veterans Day brunch.
- 2: volunteer sign up

## Trunk-or-Treat

Monday, October 31<sup>st</sup> @ 9:00 am in the school yard. We are looking for some creative cars. If you are interested, please sign-up on SignUpGenius posted on CLASS DOJO.

The WINNER will RECEIVE a PRIZE!

## \*\* DATES TO REMINDER \*\*

### NO SCHOOL ON:

<b>Friday, November 11</b> <i>Veterans Day</i>	<b>December, 14– 31</b> Christmas Vacation
<b>November, 23<sup>rd</sup>– 25</b> <i>Thanksgiving</i>	<b>Monday, January 2</b> <i>New Year's</i>

### UP COMING EVENTS:

<b>Friday, Oct. 28</b> <i>6<sup>th</sup> Grade Mass</i>	<b>Wednesday, Nov. 9</b> <i>Veterans Day Brunch</i>
<b>Wednesday, Nov. 2</b> <i>TK/K Patio Prayer</i>	<b>Thursday, Nov. 10</b> <i>Pictures with Santa</i>
<b>Wednesday, Nov. 2</b> <i>Dia de los Muertos PS</i>	<b>Wednesday, Nov. 16</b> <i>8<sup>th</sup> Gr Patio Prayer</i>
<b>Friday, Nov. 4</b> <i>5<sup>th</sup> Grade Mass</i>	<b>Friday, Nov. 18</b> <i>4<sup>th</sup> Grade Mass</i>
<b>Wednesday, Nov. 9</b> <i>SC Patio Prayer</i>	<b>Friday, Nov. 18</b> <i>Bishop Trudeau Visit</i>

## Dia de los Muertos

**Wednesday, November 2<sup>nd</sup> @ 2:00pm**  
Prayer Service is in the Church. Please send the scroll with the names of your deceased loved ones by **FRIDAY, OCT. 28** to the office.

Students may wear:

Dia De Los Muertos make-up, t-shirts, Dia de los Muertos costumes.

**The students may not wear FREE DRESS**

## BASIC COSTUME RULES

- Costumes may not have parts that interfere with learning.
- Costumes may not be violent or suggestive.
- Costumes may not promote violence or have accessories or props that could be used as a weapon.
- MASK may not be SCARY and may not be worn in CLASS.
- MAKE-UP or face-paints are permitted.
- No bare midriffs or "REVEALING" clothing.
- Appropriate shoes must be worn.
- You MUST be able to sit, walk, see, and hear.
- No Pretend "PROP" weapons such as water pistols, knives, or swords.
- NO FAKE BLOOD may be worn
- ALL SCHOOL RULES WILL BE ENFORCED.
- Costumes may not be OFFENSIVE OR INAPPROPRIATE IN ANY WAY!

## Picture with Santa

Pictures with Santa will be taken on Wednesday November 9 in room 1 of the school. Order forms will be included in next week's family envelope.

## Virtus Training-Online

Parents the Archdiocese requires for all parents, volunteers, and staff to take a Virtus Training for our children safety. Please contact Brenda Melendez at:

[BMelendez@la-archdiocese.org](mailto:BMelendez@la-archdiocese.org)

to register to attend an awareness session online. You will be required to send your certificate to the school office.

Thank you for complying.

## Prayer Corner

*If you would like to add someone to the prayer corner, please send in their name by Monday morning. Thank you.*

### Please Prayer for:

St. Paul of the Cross School  
Our Teachers & Staff  
Our Students & Families  
Norma Rodriguez  
Kathi Alva

### For the Repose of the Souls of:

Ted Galvan Jr  
Fr. Jim Bradley

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*Do not be anxious about anything, but in everything by prayer.  
~Philippians 4:6-7*

## New Lunch Policy

Parents if you need to drop off lunch for your child, please put your child's name on the lunch and leave it on the credenza in front of Ms. H's office. Please tell your child to come and pick up their lunch on the way to their schedule lunch time. We will no longer take lunches to students' classrooms. Please understand that this interrupts their instructional time. Thank you for your understanding.

**Hot lunch orders and money are due by tomorrow  
Thursday October 27.**

## WE NEED YOUR HELP!

### Parents please sign-up.

You need to do 3 BINGOS throughout the year.:

**\*\*Bingo Hours are on Fridays from 5pm to 10pm**

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|-------------|------------------|
| October 28  | 2 Parents Needed |
| November 4  | 2 Parents Needed |
| November 11 | 1 Parent Needed  |
| November 18 | 3 Parents Needed |

**BINGO SUPPORTS OUR SCHOOL**



## ~ Bingo ~

**Parents there is a \$50 Fee for NO SHOWS!**

| October 28               | November 4       |
|--------------------------|------------------|
| Ezekiel Haileselassie: 3 | Damian Livi: TK  |
| Danelly Oliva: 3         | Danelly Oliva: 3 |
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Website:

[www.stpaulofthecrosslamirada.org](http://www.stpaulofthecrosslamirada.org)

## Scrip Sale Days

### Sundays After Masses

**You can order Scrip on Monday and get it  
on Thursdays or sign-up online to buy  
scrip.**