



ST. VINCENT DE PAUL

CATHOLIC SCHOOL



*Know
and celebrate our
Catholic Faith,*

*Love
God and our
neighbor,*

*Serve
as disciples of
Jesus Christ.*

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September 19, 2014 School Newsletter

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
21 September	22 DAY 3	23 DAY 4	24 DAY 5 8:00 Mass, 7AB, Praise Choir	25 DAY 6 Parent night with Dr. Kahn, 6:30-8 in Regan Hall	26 DAY 1 SCRIP orders due by 9:00am	27 Feast of St Vincent de Paul
28	29 DAY 2	30 DAY 3	October 1 DAY 4 8:00 Mass, 7JO, Cherubim Choir SCRIP orders delivered	2 DAY 5	3 DAY 6 Home & School Meeting, 7:30 AM 1st grade field trip to Eastman Nature Center	4 School Marathon 9-12pm at Elm Creek Park
5	6 NO SCHOOL	7 DAY 1	8 DAY 2 8th grade TG Visit	9 DAY 3 Science Explorers, 1:45 - 3:00, Art Room	10 DAY 4 SCRIP orders due by 9:00am	11 Youth Ministry SNL 4:30-8pm
12	13 DAY 5 Midterm Week Marathon Bake Sale Orders Due Youth Ministry Girls Group, 3-4pm	14 DAY 6	15 DAY 1 Lifetouch Picture Retakes School Advisory Meeting 8:00 Mass, 6 KC, Praise Choir Technology fee charged, \$50.00/ student SCRIP orders delivered	16 DAY 4 NO SCHOOL	17 NO SCHOOL	18

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Important Information

Fall Conferences

Fall conferences are scheduled for Monday, October 20th & Thursday, October 23rd. This year, you will be given the opportunity to sign up for conference times online. Watch for details.

Science Explorers

States of Matter Madness! is the theme for the October 9th Science Explorers. [Sign Up](#) early to reserve your spot.

Spirit Day/School Store

Our first Spirit Day/School Store will be on Friday, September 19th, 2014. The theme will be "Royals Spirit" Wear your Marathon T-shirts, and/or other Royals apparel shirts and accessories to show your school spirit with your uniform pants. It is a uniform day. School Store: Candy, snacks, pop & Propel on sale for 75 cents.

TEAM STRONG

St. Vincent de Paul School is taking the lead for student health by participating in a nationwide wellness initiative. Community-focused and fun, FuelUp to Play 60 is activating schools and communities to support school wellness initiatives, good nutrition and physical activity, which help educate students and curb obesity. [Read more](#) about this exciting opportunity!



HEAR YE! HEAR YE!

Sir Readalot's Book Fair is coming to SVdP!

Monday, October 20th – Friday, October 24th

We are looking for volunteers to help set up, work, or take down the book fair. It is a great opportunity to meet other parents and see your child at school. Contact Heather Cronan if you are interested in helping out. We will also have a volunteer sign-up site available soon.



RESIDENTS OF ANOKA-HENNIPEN ISD #11

Families of students living in the Anoka-Hennepin ISD #11 are eligible for a transportation reimbursement at the end of the 2014-2015 school year. Please complete the [reimbursement form](#), and return to the school office by October 1, 2014.

Spotlight on the Handbook



Spotlight on the Handbook: Immunizations pg. 39

Are Your Kids Ready for School? Please refer to page 39 in the school handbook: students in Kindergarten and 7th grade are required by state law to have their immunizations up to date. **Immunization records must be in the school nurses office no later than Friday, September 19, 2014. If we do not receive this information, your child will not be allowed to attend school on Monday, September 22, 2014, until records are received.**

Sports News



The fall schedule is in full swing. Come and cheer on the Royals at a [Soccer game, Volleyball match or a Cross Country](#) meet.

Marathon for Education

St. Vincent de Paul School Marathon

Saturday, October 4, 2014: 9am - 12:00pm

Elm Creek Park Reserve - Deer Pavilion



For more information, [click here.](#)

Marathon Fundraiser Bake Sale!

Contribute toward our school goal AND eats some sweets!

[Orders](#) are due by Monday October 13th, 2014. All items are \$6.00 each.

- * Banana Bread
- * 9ct Cinnamon Rolls
- * 9ct Caramel Rolls
- * 9ct Caramel Nut Rolls
- * White Bread



All items freeze well. Baked fresh by Vicki on Monday morning October 20th and can be sent home with your child or picked up at conferences or anytime 1:30 PM that afternoon.

Save the Dates!

Thursday, September 25, 6:30 – 8:00 PM, in Regan Hall

Parenting Today with an Eye on Tomorrow

with Stephen Kahn, PhD.

Every day presents us with opportunities to teach important lessons. Too often we get so caught up in the day-to-day that we overlook the opportunity to help our children learn something they will be able to use for many tomorrows to come. In fact, the selection of the best parenting strategy will be affected by whether the parent is just trying to take care of the day's challenge or use the day's challenge for all the tomorrows to come. Please join us as Dr. Kahn shares with us his perspective on how to keep an eye on the tomorrows as you deal with what is in front of you today.

All parents are encouraged to join us for this free discussion.

Monday, October 20, 7:00pm presentation

Totino-Grace High School will be holding an Open House for 7th and 8th graders (and all other prospective students) and their parents on Monday, October 20. Doors Open at 6:30 with the presentation beginning at 7:00 p.m.



Totino-Grace
High School

Come find out what makes Totino-Grace such a special place. To RSVP online, go to the Admissions page at totinograce.org. If you have any questions please call T.J. Paal at [763-586-6314](tel:763-586-6314) or visit totinograce.org.

Day of Prayer

Our school has been blessed with MANY special angels. This year we are honoring and thanking these people with a special DAY OF PRAYER. We ask that your family keep these angels in your daily prayers on their special.

The recipient of our **SEPTEMBER DAY OF PRAYER IS Fr. Michael Barsness**. We will pray for him on Friday, September 19, 2014. *Thank you Fr. Barsness for your kindness, generosity and support. We are blessed to call you friend.*

Prayers for Support

Please pray for the health of:

Daniel Spanier, father of Greta & Connor Spanier

Brad Byer, father of Wesley Byer

Steve Capistrant, husband of Mrs. Lisa Capistrant

Marge Meinert, grandmother of Halei & Haden Foster

Richard Mattox, grandfather of Kaitlyn Mattox

Carl Crimmins, uncle of Mrs. Jennifer Watson & great uncle Michael Watson

Ralph Davich, grandfather of Joanna Yunker

Please pray for the Repose of the Soul of:

Ken Staples, great-grandfather of Jack, Joe, Gavin & Abby Phenow

Teresa Dempsey, cousin of Miss Kathleen O'Hara

Sam Blake, cousin of John & Drew Blake



Youth Ministry

New this Year!



Who: Current 8th grade girls

What: Girls Group is a place where young ladies can come together to grow with one another, God, and yourself. We will cover everything from social media and body image to gossip and relationships.

When: Every other Monday, starting October 13th, from 2:00-3:00

Where: Meet in the church Gathering space.



Who: Grades 7-8

What: SNLs are fun social Saturday nights at St. Vincent de Paul. Teens will get the chance to socialize, play games, attend Mass, eat delicious snacks, and much more!

When: The first SNL will be October 11th from 4:30-8:00pm

Where: East Meeting Room (right next to the gathering space of the church)

Cost: \$5

**There is no registration for this event; just show up. Friends are welcome and encouraged.

For more information about these exciting groups, [click here](#)