



CRUSADER COMMUNICATIONS

Happy 3-Day weekend Crusaders!

I hope this short message finds you well and ready to enjoy your Labor Day weekend with family and friends! I just wanted to reiterate how happy I was to see everyone prepared for the week, happy and smiling for picture day and participatory in Mass. I was very proud of our choir and their hard work to bring such angelic voices to the word of God!

I just have a few reminders about major events coming up or tasks that need to be completed, so here is the list:

1. Our DeCampos Dinner is less than 3 weeks away! The committee is still in need of your support in a few "distinct" areas, so if you can help, please contact Leti in the office who can direct you or help get what is needed:
 - a. Keep selling those Raffle tickets! **SELL, SELL, SELL!**
 - b. Dinner tickets are still available for purchase, \$150 each for a fabulous meal and evening.
 - c. Parent Service Hour help is still needed for Friday (day of), especially from 3:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m. for Appetizer/Dessert Prep; 5:30 p.m. – finish Bussers for tables.
 - d. Silent Auction items are still in need!
2. Sports practices are continuing and our first games will begin this week, so let's pray for continued safety and that our student-athletes are good stewards of their time and talents, win or lose.
3. PE uniform order forms have gone out for 6-8th graders, as well as for sports practices.
4. Monday, Sept. 11th, we will be allowed to wear RED, WHITE & BLUE with jeans in support of Patriot Day. Please make sure jeans are not tattered in any way.

As I said at the beginning, I wish you all a restful and enjoyable Labor Day weekend and pray for you as we will return on Tuesday, Sept. 5th!

God Bless and Let's Go Crusaders!
Kim Hodges

- 9/4 Labor Day, No School
- 9/6 Student of the Month Assembly @ 8:00 a.m.
Choir Practice 3:15 – 4:15 p.m.
Football/Volleyball Game at Kings Christian @ 3:15 p.m.
- 9/7 Student Council Speeches, School Courtyard 9:00 a.m.
- 9/8 Friday School Mass, St. Brigid Church @ 8:15 a.m.
SJM Preview Visit – 8th Grade
- 9/11 Patriot Day – Wear Red, White & Blue
- 9/12 Football/Volleyball Game Kit Carson at SRM @ 3:15 p.m.
- 9/13 No Choir Practice
- 9/14 Student Minimum Day, dismissal @ 12:00 p.m.
- 9/15 Burris Park Picnic 6th – 8th Grades (Commission on Aging Group)
Fire Drill @ 10:00 a.m.
Friday School Mass, St. Brigid Church @ 8:15 a.m.
- 9/17 Sunday Children's Mass @ 8:00 a.m.
- 9/19 Football/Volleyball Game Lakeside at SRM @ 3:15 p.m.
- 9/20 DeCampos Dinner Unsold Raffle Tickets & Money Due
Choir Practice 3:15 – 4:15 p.m.
- 9/21 Student Minimum Day, dismissal @ 12:00 p.m.
- 9/22 DeCampos Dinner – No School
- 9/26 Fresno Chaffee Zoo Field Trip – 8th Grade

Volleyball & Football:

We are happy to announce that Mrs. Weber & Ms. Guillen will be coaching the SRM Volleyball team this year and Mr. Robinson & Mr. Puente will coach football.

Football & Volleyball Schedule

- 9/6 SRM at Kings Christian School @ 3:15 p.m.
- 9/12 Kit Carson at SRM @ 3:15 p.m.
- 9/19 Lakeside at SRM @ 3:15 p.m.
- 10/2 SRM at Hanford Christian @ 3:15 p.m.
- 10/9 SRM at Jefferson @ 3:00 p.m.
- 10/13 League Tournament @ 12:15 p.m.

Come out and show support for our SRM Crusaders!



**Save the date – Children’s Mass,
8:00 a.m. on Sunday, September
18th. Plan to go to support our
school.**

Our 8th grade students will be leading the mass and our Children’s Choir, directed by Mr. Alves, will be singing. If possible, please plan to join us at St. Brigid Church. Our parishioners love to see the SRM students dressed in their school uniforms. **All students dressed in uniform earn free dress on Monday!** Thank you and God Bless.

If you need more DeCampos raffle tickets please stop by the school office. Thank you for all your support!





Please have your student dress in their mass uniform every Friday and join us for mass at 8:15 a.m.



On minimum days students are dismissed at 12:00 noon. Please be sure to pack a lunch if your child is staying for athletics, or childcare. Childcare is open from 12:00-5:30 p.m.

STUDENT OF THE MONTH

August 2024

Transitional Kindergarten – Emilia O.

Kindergarten – Chloe R.

First Grade – Leila A.

Second Grade – Owen R.

Third Grade – Chelsea I.

Fourth Grade – Erik C.

Fifth Grade – James P.

Sixth Grade – Rylee M.

Seventh Grade – Alyssa H.

Eighth Grade – Zoey J.

Congratulations Crusaders!!





SEPTEMBER CRUSADERS

Layla J. 9/11

James P. & Santiago S. 9/13

Itzel S. 9/14

Alyssa H. 9/18

Nihal S. 9/20

Janessa C. 9/22

Sinai S. 9/23

Have a Wonderful Day

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God Bless You!

Please join us on Wednesday,
September 27th, 8:15 a.m., for
our Walk for Life immediately
following Morning Prayer.

No donation is too small.

Make a real change ...
by sharing your change.

*All proceeds go to Crossroads
Pregnancy Center*

 **WALK**
F O R L I F E



Patriot Day is observed every Sept. 11 to mark the anniversary of the terrorist attacks against the United States. As we work for peace, forgiveness, and reconciliation, let us make this a time for hope in God's grace, in ourselves and in one another.

Gathering Prayer

O Lord God, our heavenly Father, regard, we pray, with your divine pity, the pains of all your children. As we remember the horrifying events of September 11, 2001, hold us in the shelter of your enduring love. Grant that the passion of our Lord and his infinite love may make fruitful for good the tribulations of the innocent, the sufferings of the rescuers and the sorrows of the bereaved. We ask this in the name of your son and our brother, who suffered and died for the sake of all people. Amen.

Patriot Day – Spirit Day

Students may wear Red, White and Blue on
Monday, September 11th

SAVE THE DATE

An Oasis in the Valley

Our Annual DeCampos Dinner

September 22, 2023

St. Rose-McCarthy School

Six o'clock in the evening

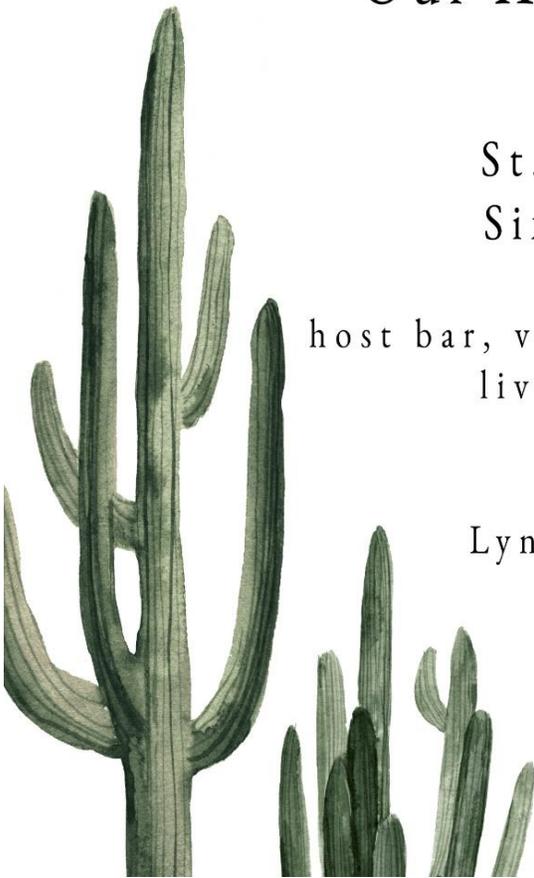
host bar, valet parking, hors'deouvres, dinner,
live & silent auction, dancing

Honoring

Lynette Duston & Maria Husak

Tickets \$150

Pick up tickets in the school office.





DeCampos

Raffle Ticket Contest

This year we are asking students to sell raffle tickets for our DeCampos Dinner. In addition to supporting St. Rose-McCarthy Catholic School, the students will have an opportunity to win some great prizes.

The raffle tickets are \$5.00 each in books of (5) tickets. Each student will receive 20 tickets to kick-off the contest (\$100). More tickets are available in the school office. Grand prizes are listed below.

**(Minimum tickets sales of 50 tickets (\$250) to qualify for
“Top Sellers” Grand Prizes)**

We are also offering another opportunity for all students to win a Baskin Robbins Gift Card. When you sell a book (5 tickets) you will receive a ticket for the gift card drawing. Every time you sell a book of tickets you will be entered into the drawing. (5) winning tickets will be pulled for the Gift Card Drawing.

Please return all unsold tickets and sold ticket stubs along with money to the school office no later than Wednesday, September 20th. The winner will be announced at the DeCampos Dinner on the 22nd. If you have any questions, please contact the school office.

First Place: Meta Quest 2 VR (Oculus) \$300
Second Place: Amazon Fire Tablet \$189

We Have a Winner!

MISSION STATEMENT

St. Rose-McCarthy Catholic School, an educational ministry of St. Brigid's Parish, prepares students to live productive Catholic lives as members of the Church and society.

PHILOSOPHY

St. Rose-McCarthy Catholic School is a Christ – centered community of faith, is dedicated to the education of children. With parents as primary educators, the faculty and staff facilitate the development of the whole child. In line with Church teaching and Gospel values, our school instills the expectation for each student to become a committed Catholic, concerned citizen, confident communicator, and competent problem solver. Our community of believers acts as the foundation for preparing students for life as members of Church, family, civic, economic, and global communities.

SCHOOLWIDE LEARNING EXPECTATIONS

Students at St. Rose-McCarthy Catholic School are:

Committed Catholics who...

- Join in Christ's compassion
- Obey good values and morals
- Yield a solid understanding of our Catholic Faith and traditions

Concerned Citizens who are...

- Respectful in work and action
- Responsible for self and others
- Recognize and practice self-control

Confident Communicators who...

- Articulate through speaking and writing
- Attentively listen
- Actively use technology

Competent Problem Solvers who...

- Can organize effectively
- Can identify and analyze information
- Can apply and evaluate solutions

Enter to learn...Leave to serve!



Every Thursday is Spirit Day! Students are encouraged to show school spirit by wearing a Crusader t-shirt.

***SRM Crusader Shirts are available at
Central Valley Print Solutions, located at 802 N. Douty St., Hanford***

Call 587-5577 or email Janet Church at
janet@centralvalleyprintsolutions.com

FACEBOOK, TWITTER, & INSTAGRAM

Go to our website – www.strosemccarthy.com follow us on Facebook, Twitter, & Instagram. If you DO NOT want your child's picture to be posted on our social media accounts email principal@strosemccarthy.com Students are generally posted in groups and are never identified by first and last name.