



## CRUSADER COMMUNICATIONS

### *A Prayer for Thanksgiving*

Loving God,  
We turn our hearts to you on this  
day for giving thanks, mindful of  
your many gifts.  
For each one, we are grateful.  
For each one, we are blessed.  
For each one we are opened to the  
abundance of your love.  
May this Thanksgiving Day offer a  
reminder to be generous with others,  
as you are with us.  
We praise you.  
We rejoice in you.  
We give you thanks.  
Amen.

Thank you to Jake and Ali Robinson for their coordination of the pancake breakfast and for all of the volunteers who made it possible. It takes a village to fundraise for our school and students so THANK YOU!

I cannot believe that we are already at Thanksgiving! Time has been flying by. I am so thankful for our students and community. I wish everyone a very blessed Thanksgiving week. I pray each of you are safe in your travels and surrounded by family and friends for the holiday.

### I also wanted to share what is happening in our classrooms!

- In Pre-K students are focusing on what they are thankful for and how the Holy Family is working with us.
- Our kindergartners are learning about Mother Mary and reading pattern books.
- 1<sup>st</sup> graders are working on reading comprehension, punctuation, and counting in doubles.
- 2<sup>nd</sup> grade students are diving into writing complete paragraphs, nouns, and verbs, and both classes are focusing on plant structure in science.
- Sacraments, magnetism, electricity, and problem solving in math are the current focuses for 3<sup>rd</sup> grade.
- 4<sup>th</sup> grade is learning about sin and its effects, natural disasters in science, multidigit multiplication, speed and energy in science, and CA natives on the coast.

- 5<sup>th</sup> and 6<sup>th</sup> are learning at their specific grade levels about realistic fiction, fractions and decimals in math, inspirations of scripture, cell function in science, and civic duty in ancient civilizations.
- Students in 7<sup>th</sup> and 8<sup>th</sup> are focusing on lineage in the bible, inequalities in math, writing linear functions in algebra, ancient Greece in social studies, suspense and drama in ELA, and stem module on earth's surfaces.

SO MUCH LEARNING HAPPENING AT SRM!

Principal Priority Items:

- Teachers are working on the Christmas program with the music teacher - Dec 15<sup>th</sup> at 6 pm in the hall.
- We are finalizing school families to begin in December/January. I know this is a great tradition at SRM!
- Teachers and I are continually discussing what makes SRM stand out! These ideas will be used for marketing the school.
- Hiring 1<sup>st</sup>/2<sup>nd</sup> grade teacher.
- Establishing a new structure for faculty meetings.
- Assessing goals in our WCEA action plan as a team.

# Dates to Remember

- 11/17 Fire Drill @ 12:45 p.m.  
Spirit Day – Dressy Comfy Day  
SRM vs. Kit Carson (Soc Com Field) boys' game 2:15 p.m. & girls' game 3:15 p.m.
- 11/18 Student Minimum Day, dismissal @ 12 p.m.  
Choir practice @ 12:30 p.m., bring a home lunch  
SRM @ Lakeside ~ boys' Game 2:15 & girls' game 3:15 p.m.
- 11/19 AR 20%  
Mass @ 9:00 a.m., St. Brigid Church  
Donuts & Hot Chocolate
- 11/21 Children's Mass @ 8:30 a.m., St. Brigid Church
- 11/29 School Resumes  
Advent Project Begins
- 12/1 Student of the Month
- 12/2 Student Minimum Day, dismissal @ 12 p.m.
- 12/3 Mass @ 9:00 a.m., St. Brigid Church

## Upcoming events:

**Thanksgiving Break 11/22-11/26**

**Advent Project 11/29-12/17**

**Christmas Program 12/15/21 @ 6p.m.**

# SRM SPIRIT DAY

**Wednesday, November 17<sup>th</sup>**



***Wear your  
comfy***

***sweatpants and sweatshirt or pajamas.***

***No slippers allowed, wear your school shoes.***

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**See you this Sunday!**

**Children's Mass, 8:30 a.m. on Sunday, November 21st. Please plan to attend to support our SRM Children's Mass Choir and our student readers.**

Our 7th grade students will be leading the mass and our Sunday Mass Children's Choir, directed by Mr. Sullivan, will be singing. If possible, please plan to join us at St. Brigid Church.



## **Soccer Season is here.**

**Come out and support our Crusaders!**

**11/17/21 SRM @ Kit Carson**, Soc Com Field, Boys 2:15 p.m. / Girls 3:15 p.m.

**11/18/21 SRM @ Lakeside**, Boys 2:15 p.m. / Girls 3:15 p.m.

**11/30/21 SRM @ Hanford Christian**, Boys 2:15 p.m. / Girls 3:15 p.m.

**12/2 or 12/3/21** Hosting the Tournament Kit Carson @ Freedom Park, both games starting at 11:30 a.m.



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***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 1800 N. 11<sup>th</sup> Ave. #B, Hanford***

Call 587-5577 or email Janet Church at  
[janet@centralvalleyprintsolutions.com](mailto:janet@centralvalleyprintsolutions.com)



## **Cold Weather Uniform Reminder:**

### **OUTER WEAR**

School jackets are encouraged, not required. Jackets must be solid **blue or black**. Flannel shirts, or jackets with insignias or logos are not allowed. Scarves must be simple Christopher plaid, hunter green, white, black, or navy blue in color. Sweaters or official school sweatshirts may be worn in the classrooms.

### **FRIDAY MASS AND SCHOOL LITURGIES UNIFORM**

- ❖ All students are expected to be in their complete school uniform for Friday Mass and School Liturgies.
- ❖ Girls are to wear skorts and boys must wear long pants.
- ❖ SRM sweaters may be worn in cold weather. Sweatshirts **may not** be worn in the Church.

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# Happy Birthday November Crusaders & God bless you.

Ella F. & Madeline W. ~ November 1st

Mrs. Berlyn - November 3rd

Brodney H. ~ November 5th

Alexis R. ~ November 9th

Carsyn F. ~ November 11th

Erik C. ~ November 12th

Evelyn A. ~ November 13th

Elian L. ~ November 14th

Bridget A. ~ November 16th

Sofia D. ~ November 19th

Julissa L. ~ November 20th

Alexandra M. ~ November 25th

Trinitee S. ~ November 26th

# **STUDENT OF THE MONTH OCTOBER 2021**

**Preschool – Alexis R.**

**Kindergarten – Serenitee S.**

**First Grade – Itzayana O.**

**Second Grade – Owen G.**

**Third Grade – Mia S.**

**Fourth Grade – Dominic S.**

**Fifth Grade – Naomi S.**

**Sixth Grade – Sofia D.**

**Seventh Grade – Madeline W.**

**Eighth Grade – Gerardo C.**

## **Congratulations Crusaders!!**





# November Free Lunch Menu

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
<p>1</p> <p>CHICKEN AND CHEESE TAQUITOS Refried Beans Garden Salad Applesauce California Raisins 1% Low Fat White Milk Chocolate Fat Free Milk Taco Sauce Packets Ranch Dressing</p>	<p>2</p> <p>CHEESY PULL-APART Marinara Sauce Garden Salad Jicama Apricots Watermelon Raisins 1% Low Fat White Milk Chocolate Fat Free Milk Ranch Dressing</p>	<p>3</p> <p>GRILLED CHEESE SANDWICH Baby Carrots Fresh Apples Cranberries 1% Low Fat White Milk Chocolate Fat Free Milk</p>	<p>4</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Student Minimum Day</p> <p style="text-align: center;">No Lunch Service</p>	<p>5</p> <p>CRISPY CHICKEN TENDERS Steamed Corn Garden Salad Mixed Fruit Watermelon Raisins 1% Low Fat White Milk Chocolate Fat Free Milk Ranch Dressing ketchup packets</p>
<p>8</p> <p style="text-align: center;">NO SCHOOL TODAY</p>	<p>9</p> <p>MACARONI AND CHEESE WG Dinner Roll Garden Salad Baby Carrots Mixed Fruit California Raisins 1% Low Fat White Milk Chocolate Fat Free Milk Ranch Dressing</p>	<p>10</p> <p>CHICKEN &amp; CHEESE TAMALE Cucumbers Fruit Mix Cup Watermelon Raisins All Sport Bites 1% Low Fat White Milk Chocolate Fat Free Milk Ranch Dressing</p>	<p>11</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Student Minimum Day</p> <p style="text-align: center;">No Lunch Service</p>	<p>12</p> <p>ALL AMERICAN CHEESEBURGER Baked Potato Wedges Garden Salad Diced Pears Cranberries 1% Low Fat White Milk Chocolate Fat Free Milk mayonnaise Americana Mustard Packets ketchup packets</p>
<p>15</p> <p>CHICKEN CORN DOG IW Steamed Corn Garden Salad Pineapple Tidbits California Raisins 1% Low Fat White Milk Chocolate Fat Free Milk Ranch Dressing ketchup pkts MUSTARD</p>	<p>16</p> <p>BEEF SLOPPY JOE ON A BUN Garden Salad Garbanzo Beans Diced Peaches Watermelon Raisins 1% Low Fat White Milk Chocolate Fat Free Milk Ranch Dressing</p>	<p>17</p> <p>MINI WG CHEESEBURGERS Baby Carrots Fresh Apples Cranberries Chocolate Elf Grahams 1% Low Fat White Milk Chocolate Fat Free Milk ketchup pkts Mustard Packets</p>	<p>18</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Student Minimum Day</p> <p style="text-align: center;">No Lunch Service</p>	<p>19</p> <p>BEEF TACO STICK Refried Beans Garden Salad Mandarin Oranges Watermelon Raisins 1% Low Fat White Milk Chocolate Fat Free Milk Taco Sauce Packets Ranch Dressing</p>
<p>22</p> <p style="text-align: center;">NO SCHOOL TODAY</p>	<p>23</p> <p style="text-align: center;">NO SCHOOL TODAY</p>	<p>24</p> <p style="text-align: center;">NO SCHOOL TODAY</p>	<p>25</p> <p style="text-align: center;">NO SCHOOL TODAY</p>	<p>26</p> <p style="text-align: center;">NO SCHOOL TODAY</p>
<p>29</p> <p>BEEF TACO Shredded Cheese Shredded Lettuce Fresh Tomatoes Mandarin Oranges Cranberries 1% Low Fat White Milk Chocolate Fat Free Milk Tortilla Chips Ranch Dressing Taco Sauce</p>	<p>30</p> <p>ORANGE CHICKEN Steamed Rice Wheat Dinner Roll Garden Salad Baby Carrots Fresh Apples California Raisins 1% Low Fat White Milk Chocolate Fat Free Milk Ranch Dressing</p>			

Menu subject to change without notice



Please have your child dress in mass uniform every Friday. Our school mass is on Friday at 9:00 a.m. and you are welcome to attend. See you there!

Parents & Parishioners,  
Do not sit with the students in Mass. Please sit in the back pews. Thank you.

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# hotlunch orders

Here are some important steps to follow if you want your child to eat a school lunch.

1. HESD included us in the free and reduced lunch program this year so all students may choose to eat a school lunch with no charge to you.
2. You choose when you want a hot lunch. **Teachers will take a daily lunch count in class each morning. If something comes up and you decide you need your child to have a lunch that day, you may call your order in to Leti Castaneda at 584-5218 by **8:30 a.m.****
3. Please send a note to your child's teacher (grades K – 4<sup>th</sup> especially) as we are beginning the year. Sometimes the younger students do not know if they are eating hot lunch or a lunch from home!

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## FACEBOOK, TWITTER, & INSTAGRAM

Go to our website – [www.strosemccarthy.com](http://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](mailto:principal@strosemccarthy.com) Students are generally posted in groups and are never identified by first and last name.