



The Shamrock

2017-2018 ♣ Year of Giving

February 23, 2018

This Week & Beyond...

Monday, February 26

NO SCHOOL –Teacher Workday

Tuesday, February 27

Hot Lunch: Jersey Mikes' Sandwich, Turkey or Salami, chips & a cookie

Wednesday, February 28

Hot Lunch: Palo Mesa Cheese or Pepperoni pizza, & veggies or fruit

Dismissal at 2:00

BVB @ Paulding 3:00/4:00

Thursday, March 1

Hot Lunch: Panda Express: Orange chicken, chow mein & fortune cookie

Talent Show in Gym 6:30 PM

Friday, March 2

NO SCHOOL –Prof. Growth Day

Monday, March 5

Hot Lunch: McDonald's Hamburger or cheeseburger & fries, veggie or fruit

2018-19 Priority Registration online

7BVB Tourney @ Mesa 3:15-7:15

Tuesday, March 6

Hot Lunch: Jersey Mikes' Sandwich, Turkey or Salami, chips & a cookie

Family Life, 5th Gr. Girls, 6-8:30

8BVB Tourney @ Mesa 3:15

Wednesday, March 7

Hot Lunch: Palo Mesa Cheese or Pepperoni pizza, & veggies or fruit

Dismissal at 2:00

BVB vs Flamson 3:00/4:00

Thursday, March 8

Hot Lunch: Panda Express: Teriyaki chicken, fried rice & fortune cookie

BVB @ Mesa 3:30/4:30

Friday, March 9

Hot Lunch: Taco Bell Choice of: 2 Cheese & Bean burrito or 3 cheesy rollups or 1 burrito & 2 rollups

PC 1st Friday Breakfast & Awards

Monday, March 12

Hot Lunch: McDonald's hamburger or cheeseburger, fries & fruit or veggies.

BVB vs OMS 3:30/4:30

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A Prayer for our Leaders

*God of power and might, wisdom and justice,
through you authority is rightly administered,
laws are enacted, and judgment is decreed.*

*Assist with your spirit of counsel and fortitude
the President and other government leaders
of these United States.*

May they always seek

the ways of righteousness, justice and mercy.

*Grant that they may be enabled by your powerful protection
to lead our country with honesty and integrity.*

We ask this through Christ our Lord.

Amen

FATHER/DAUGHTER DANCE will take place in Mercy Gym on Saturday, Feb. 24, from 6:30 to 8:30. The cost is \$5.00 at the door. The theme is 'Be My Valentine!' So grab your dancing shoes and your best guy and come to this memory making event! If Dad is unavailable, you can bring your Uncle, Brother, or other significant male figure in your life.

ANNUAL TALENT SHOW is Thursday, March 1, at 6:30 in Mercy Gym. Come and see all of the glorious talent our students are willing to share with us!

KINDERGARTEN 2018-19 If you have a child who will be coming to Kindergarten next school year, please make sure that you have an application on file in the school office. If your child is presently in Mercy Preschool, you are all set & do not need an application.

REGISTRATION FOR NEXT SCHOOL YEAR will be available, soon. If you know that you will not be returning next year, please let the office staff know so we can plan properly for the new school year. Just drop us an email, call or come in.

LIKE OUR FACEBOOK PAGE! Check out our Facebook page to see what is happening here at school! Each week we highlight different events, classes, staff and students at our school. Go to our Facebook page and see what we have posted about out school, then LIKE our page. We are trying to get 1000 Likes! Just go to:
<https://www.facebook.comStPatrickCatholicSchoolAG/>

HOT LUNCH ITEMS In order to offer a hot lunch program, we have to depend on outside vendors. We are working on getting a more health conscious menu for next school year. A short survey will be coming home via Constant Contact in the next week or so to collect information so that we can make our best decision for all of our families. So when the survey comes, please take a few moments to answer it.

LOST & FOUND ITEMS Please send your students in to look for any lost items. We have an overflow problem with all of the clothes and water bottles that have been lost!

DEADLINE FOR SCRIP is April 30. If you need to fulfill your Scrip obligation, please check out the cards we can get at www.glscrip.com and let us know what you need us to order.

ANNUAL FUND 2017/2018 is now open and accepting your donations. Also, please consider naming St. Patrick School in your legacy plans, knowing that your donation will help carry our traditions of Mercy into the future for our students' benefit. The money raised from the Annual Fund helps us with projects to update our facilities and resources for our students

UPCOMING EVENTS IN 2017-2018 SCHOOL YEAR

Feb. 19	No School, Presidents' Day
Feb. 26	Teacher Workday
Mar. 2	No School, Professional Growth Day
Mar. 30 to	
April 8	Easter Break
May 25	Graduation at St. Patrick's Church
May 28	Memorial Day
June 6	Kindergarten graduation in gym
June 8	Last day of 2017-18 school year!!

ADVANCE MILK SALE PRICES
No refunds on milk not used.

Mar. \$5.70
 Apr. \$4.80
 May/June \$8.10

You can purchase milk in advance through the office.
 Milks not used each month do not carry over.

St. Patrick's School Prayer Corner...
Prayers are requested for:

- ♥ Patrick Lyons, Grandfather of Summer Howard, who recently had surgery
- ♥ Shani Diehl, friend of the Montoya family, who is being treated for a brain tumor
- ♥ Fr. Derek Hughes of Holy Eucharist Parish in Corralitos, who is recovering from surgery.
- ♥ Fr. Mark Stetz, Santa Rosa Church, Cambia, who underwent heart surgery and needs our prayers.
- ♥ Richard McCloud, Mrs. Johnson's cousin, who is on hospice
- ♥ For those who lost their lives and all of our fellow Californians who have lost their homes or been affected by the fires and mudslides in our state. And for the Firefighters and First Responders who are working these tragedies.
- ♥ Ruth Ann Tompkins, friend of St. Patrick School, who is ill and needs our prayers.
- ♥ Angelina Cummings, Sophia & Augie Ferreira's Grandmother, who is in hospital with the flu.
- ♥ Patricia Schueller, friend of Miss Schrom, who is very ill
- ♥ Heidi Hasbun Wheeler, Alumnus, who is with her Husband and children, in Lebanon, working as Missionaries.
- ♥ Jane Abbate, Andrew's Grandmother, who is ill
- ♥ Mitzi Robinson, Mrs. Reichmuth's Mother, who had surgery.
- ♥ Bob McLean, Grandfather of Nathaniel & Daniel McLean, who is having surgery.
- ♥ Alumnus Lynne & her husband Clay Artsdalen, who is undergoing surgery this week as part of his cancer treatment.
- ♥ Sherri Bryant, Great Aunt and Mary Ann Becker, Great Grandmother of Steven Becker, who need our prayers.
- ♥ Chris Ward, cousin of Cole Pimentel, who has cancer.
- ♥ Nancy Longest, Alex Morris' Grandmother, who is ill.
- ♥ Chris Calprice, who is suffering from pancreatic cancer
- ♥ Eldora Pimentel, Grandmother of Cole, who is being treated for cancer.
- ♥ Christy Carroll, Mrs. Carroll's Daughter-in-law, who is being treated for cancer and needs our prayers.
- ♥ J.D. O'Meara, friend of the Orlando family, who has a brain aneurysm
- ♥ Beth Parish, friend of Miss D, who needs our prayers
- ♥ Daniell Gularte-Miller, Alumnus, who is suffering from ovarian cancer
- ♥ Delores Ramirez, Grandmother of Alejandro Reynoso, who is being treated for cancer
- ♥ Dale Reindel, Sam & Connor's Grandfather, who is fighting cancer
- ♥ Jannell Anthony, friend of the Pedri family, who has been diagnosed with breast cancer.
- ♥ Mr. Ramirez, Grandfather of Alejandro Reynoso, who recently suffered a stroke.
- ♥ Beth Carroll, alumnus, who works with Catholic Relief Services to make the Haitian peoples lives better.

CURRICULUM & ACTIVITY CORNER

We have new *Celtic Pride* green slips that our students can earn by:

- ♣ Acting responsibly
- ♣ Serving others willingly
- ♣ Respecting others in word and actions

Recipients are then acknowledged by the entire student body at flag!

This week's recipients of these *Celtic Pride* slips are:

Congratulations to these students for making a positive impact on those around them!

Mackenzie Hubbell - Gr. 7

Olivia Valls - Gr. 7

Rylee Fleming - Gr. 4

Reese Poole - Gr. 4

Robotic's Team kicks off to a great start!

The remaining four teams from the Electric Leprechauns Robotics Team competed last Saturday. One of the team qualified for the final rounds and finished in 10th place. Again, these teams had little time to prepare, especially our 3rd graders who competed against 8th Graders in the competition. We are proud of their efforts and represented St. Patrick School well.

Our St. Patrick School Golfers

Congratulations to Cody Amarillas (1st Grade) on his first golf tournament with the US Kid Golf Tour. He finished 2nd place at Sandpiper Golf Course in Santa Barbara. Luke Montoya (Gr. 6) competed in the San Jose Shoot Tour of the HJGT Tour where he placed first and qualified for the HJGT World Championship!

ENRICH YOUR FAITH THIS LENT

Join Deacon Greg and his wife, Vickie, for LIVING THE EUCHARIST. This small faith sharing group begins Thursday, February 15th at 8:35 am and meets the 6 Thursdays of Lent in the Gym to:

- Learn about the true meaning of the Mass
- Better understand the rituals and symbols of the Eucharist
- Discover new ways to make the Sunday Mass readings come alive
- Grow in your relationship with Jesus Christ together with your family

MAKE THIS YOUR BEST LENT....EVER...

Not only will your faith deepen but it will give you tools to foster your children's growth in faith. bring your family closer together, and deepen family spirituality...to learn more go to www.LivingtheEucharist.org/families

Please sign up in the school office so we know how many participant books and family activity books to order

CURRICULUM & ACTIVITY CORNER



Resources for Lent 2018

Pope Francis 2018 Lenten Message

<http://press.vatican.va/content/salastampa/en/bollettino/pubblico/2018/02/06/180206c.html>

United States Conference of Catholic Bishops:

<http://www.usccb.org/prayer-and-worship/liturgical-year/lent/index.cfm>

Catholic Relief Services:

<https://www.crsricebowl.org/>
<https://www.crsricebowl.org/schools>
<https://www.crs.org/resource-center/what-lent>

Loyola Press:

<https://www.loyolapress.com/our-catholic-faith/liturgical-year/lent>

St. Mary's Press:

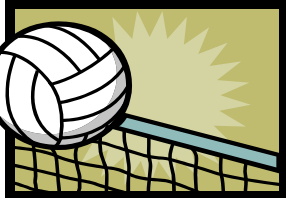
<https://www.smp.org/resourcecenter/category/Lent/15/>

Sadlier:

<https://www.sadlier.com/religion/lenten-resources-2018>



Celtics Sports



GIRLS' BASKETBALL		
	Gr. 7	Gr. 8
1.16	@ Paulding	
1.17	vs Flamson	L
1.18-1.20	St. Pat's Tourney	
1.22	vs Mesa	L
1.23	@ Atascadero	L
1.24	@ Judkins	W
1.30	@ Laguna	L
1.31	vs OMS	W
2/1	vs Atascadero	L
2.6	@ Los Osos	L
2.7	vs Laguna	L
2.8	vs Paulding	L
2.13	@ Mesa	L
2.14	vs Judkins	L
2.16-2.17	Lions' Tourney @ Mesa	L
2.20	@ Lewis	
2.22-2.24	Laguna Tourney @ Laguna	

BOYS' VOLLEYBALL		
	Gr. 7	Gr. 8
2.28	@ Paulding	
3.5	7BVB Tourney @ Mesa	
3.6	8BVB Tourney @ Mesa	
3.7	vs Flamson	
3.8	@ Mesa	
3.12	vs OMS	
3.13	@ Laguna	
3.14	vs Paulding	
3.15	vs Judkins	
3.19	vs Laguna	
3.20	@ Judkins	
3.21	vs Mesa	
3.26	vs SLOCA	
3.27	@ Los Osos	
3.28	5 Cities Tourney @ Judkins	

Don't forget to get your Scrip! We can help you meet your obligation & help out St. Pat's at the same time!!

Ways to fulfill your scrip obligation:

Reminder: the new Scrip year begins on May 1, 2018

Office: You can come into the office and shop the cards we have on hand. You can also place an order for anything that Great Lakes Scrip offers that we do not have in the office. We will be ordering on Friday (if needed!) so call or email gjohnson@stpatschoolag.com with your order to find out if we are ordering that Friday. Orders placed on Friday are received on the following Tuesday.

Email: You are welcome to email the office ladies with your order. They will fill it as soon as all of the cards you want are available, and then call you. You can then either pick the order up with the payment, or we can send the order home with your student, once payment is received.

Online: Go to www.glscrip.com and set up your family account to place your order directly with Great Lakes Scrip. You can then pay for them when they arrive with the order that the office places on Fridays, or, you can set up a Presto Pay Account with Great Lakes Scrip and pay them directly. Then your order will be released when we order on Fridays. Let us know if you want us to send it home with your student.

Our school ID# can be obtained from the school office.

Re-loadable Cards. If you have a Presto Pay Account set up, you can go online to reload some of the cards you already have!

Our Scrip program makes money for our school and helps keep your tuition affordable! The \$210.00/\$235.00 scrip profit *and* the additional scrip purchased above those amounts, all help with the budget.

SCRIP FOR DR. STACEY POOLE, DMD

Going to be needing braces?
Well, this might be a great way for you to fulfill your Scrip obligation!
Dr. Poole will give 5% back on services. Just let her office know that you are from St. Patrick School and they will make sure you get your 5% credited to you!
Call today for your appointment,
805-922-4778



IN-N-OUT SCRIP IS ON IT'S WAY!

**An order for \$10.00 cards is on it's way!
And, they give back 20%!!**

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Lent 2018 Fish Fry



1-Piece Fish Dinner
\$8.00

2-Piece Fish Dinner
\$10.00

3-Piece Fish Dinner
\$12.00

4-Piece Fish Dinner
\$14.00

Additional Fish \$3.00 each

*Dinners also include French
fries, homemade coleslaw and
tartar sauce.*



Fish & fries cooked in soybean oil.

Canned Beer \$3.00
Premium Beer \$4.00

Wine \$3.00

Soda & Bottled Water
\$1.00

**CAKE
CASH DONATIONS
ACCEPTED**

FRIDAYS

February 16th and 23rd
March 2nd, 9th, and 23rd

4:00 PM to 7:00 PM

St. Patrick's Church Hall
501 Fair Oaks Ave.
Arroyo Grande

ALL ARE WELCOME!

Take-outs available.

For more information: (805) 489-2680

Spring Fund Raiser to Benefit the Newman Catholic Center, SLO

The Newman Catholic Center of San Luis Obispo will host their annual Spring Fund Raiser dinner and auction on Saturday, March 10th at the Madonna Inn Garden Room to supplement funding for their ministry to students at Cal Poly and Cuesta Community College. Social and silent auction begins at 5:00 pm, dinner at 6:30 pm. Dinner tickets are \$85.00 per person and reverse drawing tickets are \$50.00 each. You could be the lucky winner of \$3,500.00 in the reverse drawing. Only 200 raffle tickets will be sold. You need not be present to win. To purchase dinner tickets or reverse drawing tickets, go to our website, www.slnewman.org or call us at 805-543-4105. The Newman Center is located at 1472 Foothill Blvd., SLO, CA 93405.

Benefit for
**The Newman
Catholic Center**

Spring Fundraiser 2018

1472 E. Foothill Blvd.
San Luis Obispo, CA 93405

(805) 543-4105
linda@slnewman.org

*Saturday
March 10, 2018*

Madonna Inn Garden Room
100 Madonna Road
San Luis Obispo

Schedule of Events

5:00 pm
**Social Hour
Silent Auction
& No Host Bar**

6:30 pm
Dinner
\$85.00 per person

Live Auction

Reverse Drawing Auction

\$50.00 per ticket
need not be present to win
free ticket upon request

You could be the lucky winner of
\$3,500.00 in the
reverse drawing.
Only 200 tickets will be sold!

**This is your invitation to
make a dinner reservation
and purchase a reverse
drawing ticket.**

*Guests may select their seating
upon arrival. Reservations and
tickets will be held at the door.
Please respond early,
room capacity is 150 people.*

**Deadline is
Friday, March 2, 2018**

Name _____
Dinner (\$85.00 per person)
_____ Number of Dinner Tickets

Step 1

Entrée Choice

_____ Filet Mignon _____ Chicken Picatta _____ Vegetarian Lasagna

Reverse Draw Down Ticket (\$50.00 each)

_____ Number of Reverse Draw Tickets

Step 2

Name: _____

Phone: _____

Address: _____

Choice of Payment

_____ Check (payable to Newman Catholic Center)

_____ Credit Card

Step 3

1. Card #: _____

2. Card Type: _____ Visa _____ Master Card

3. Expiration Date: _____

4. Billing Address of Credit Card:

Name: _____

Phone: _____

Address: _____

Signature: _____
*I authorize the Newman Catholic Center and Vanco Services, LLC
to charge my credit card in accordance with the information above.*

Spring Fundraiser Program Sponsor

Step 4

_____ **YES!** I would like my
business card printed in the
program at the Newman
Spring Fundraiser.

*Please include your business card
and a check for \$35.00 made
payable to the Newman Catholic
Center.*