

ST. JOSEPH SCHOOL FULLERTON

Woffpack Weekly



What's Coming Up @SJS-Fullerton!

From the Principal's Desk

As we prepare for quality time with our family and friends and have a short break to relax, I continue to express my gratitude. This week, it is for the parents of SJS-Fullerton. You are a supportive, collaborative, and amazing group! Your engagement in your child's Catholic education is impressive and appreciated. As parents, you are your children's first teachers. It is humbling to share that responsibility with you. Although at times there may be differences in opinion, as long as we can continue to respectfully work together for the good of each and every child, then we will be successful in providing a quality Catholic education.

I am so thankful that you chose to send your child to St. Joseph School Fullerton, and appreciate all of the sacrifices that come along with that commitment. May your Thanksgiving be very happy, and as the season of Advent begins this weekend, may we continue to be grateful for our many blessings.

Happy Thanksgiving!

New Announcements

We Need You This Year!

Please review the volunteer opportunities on page 2 of this [form](#) to see where your time and talents could help the school and HASA. The list includes activities and events held during the second half of the year (January to June). **All volunteers need to be [VIRTUS-certified](#).** If interested in volunteering, please complete the form.

Hot Lunch Raffle Winner

Congratulations to Mark Rau and his family! Thank you to everyone who purchased a ticket.

Mrs. Grace's Gratitude Message

[Click here to read a special message](#) from our Guidance Counselor, Mrs. Grace.



Back the Pack on November 29

Celebrate our school by [backing the pack on Giving Tuesday!](#) Current students [Caramia](#), [Edwin](#), [Andy](#), [Amani](#), and [Zoe](#) share what makes their school so special and the impact of your generosity. Make your gift in honor of a student, teacher, alum, or loved one. Donations are accepted online, by mail, or via the MySchoolWallet app. Thank you!

Important Dates

THURSDAY, 11/24

- **No School**
- Happy Thanksgiving!

FRIDAY, 11/25

- **No School**

SUNDAY, 11/27

- Advent Begins

TUESDAY, 11/29

- Pizza Lunch (pre-orders only)
- Back the Pack on Giving Tuesday

WEDNESDAY, 11/30

- High School Placement Test (HSPT) for 8th Grade

FRIDAY, 12/2

- 2nd & 3rd Grades Field Trip to Aquarium

SUNDAY, 12/4

- Faith Family Fellowship Mass 10:30

TUESDAY, 12/6

- Report Cards Sent Home

SAVE THE DATE!

- **12/9:** Santa's Secret Workshop
- **12/10:** Winter Wonderland
- **12/13:** Chorus & Band Concerts
- **12/16:** **Half Day**
- **12/19-1/2:** **No School/Christmas Break**

[FULL YEAR CALENDAR](#)

Click the calendar to view/print PDF:

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
Service Focus: Canned Food Drive		1 School Closed	2 2 nd Grade Scarecrow Making	3 Chick-Fil-A lunch (Pre-order only)	4	5 Open House for Prospective Families (9:00 – 12:00)
6 Faith, Family, Fellowship Mass for students and staff Day Light Saving Time Ends (turn clocks back 1 hour)	7 Intent to Enroll (current students their siblings) Book Fair	8 Pizza Day (Pre-order only) NJHS Induction 1:30 in the Church	9	10 Chick-Fil-A lunch (Pre-order only)	11	12 Open House for Prospective Families (9:00-12:00) HASA Bull Roast
13 Please join us for School Sunday Mass 10:30 for students and staff	14	15 Pizza Day (Pre-order only) K & 1 to Goucher	16	17 Chick-Fil-A lunch (Pre-order only)	18 HSPT Accommodations due	19
20	21	22 Pizza Day (Pre-order only)	23 T1 Ends Noon Dismissal Spirit wear Day CFA Spirit lunch Parent Access Closes	24 School Closed Happy Thanksgiving!	25 School Closed	26
27 Advent Begins	28	29 Pizza Day (Pre-order only) Giving Tuesday	30 HSPT for 8 th Grade			

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Winter Wonderland Event

Santa is coming to St. Joe's on December 10! Visit Santa with all your Christmas wishes and enjoy some snacks with the jolly old elf, cookie decorating, games, and crafts. Tickets are \$5 per child and include a Christmas cupcake, hot chocolate, and cookie decorating. Game and raffle tickets can be purchased separately at the event. To space out guests, please choose an entrance time of 1pm or 2:30pm. Adults are free. [Purchase tickets here until December 5](#)

Intermediate/Advanced Chess Club

We're excited to continue expanding our Chess Club! A few open spaces are still available for *intermediate and advanced players* who would like to play after school on Mondays. Please visit [this link](#) to sign up. Please email nhasty@stjoeschool.org with questions.

Around Campus



Parish Happenings

C.L.O.W - Children's Liturgy of the Word
will be held every Sunday at 10:30am Mass
with contemporary music

Advent Meditations
Come and prepare your heart for the coming of Jesus
A reflective walk to help you get ready for the
coming of our Savior Jesus Christ
December 5th & 6th from 3:30pm-9:30pm
in the Parish Hall 

**The Immaculate Conception
of the Blessed Virgin Mary** 

Wednesday, December 7th - 7pm Vigil
Thursday, December 8th - 8:30am & 12pm

Christmas Concert
Christmas Concert at St. Joseph Church & School
Sunday, December 11th following the 12:30pm Mass
in the Parish Hall
 Bring a Dessert to Share! 



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