



CCD Newsletter



Important News and Information

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Looking Ahead

We will not have classes in Grades First through Sixth on Tuesday, November 24th. Please check your calendars.

It is important that you refer to the CCD calendar for our scheduled classes and days when there are no CCD classes. We had a number of students arrive last week when there was no CCD!

Calendars are available on our website!



Mission Bingo

We will be collecting donations for the Holy Childhood Association who will be assisting the children of Nepal. See additional information on the flyer distributed today in class. We ask for all donations to be turned into CCD by December 8th.

Next week, we will be playing "Mission Bingo". All students will participate in our Mission Bingo day whether-or-not they donate to the Holy Childhood Association.

We thank you for your support!

Health & Safety

If your child is showing signs of fever, cold, cough or flu—please keep them home. We will be using hand sanitizers in the classrooms as well as cleaning the desks with disinfectant wipes. Please instruct your child to cover their mouth and noses with a tissue when coughing or sneezing (or their shirt sleeves if a tissue is not available).

Basketball Sign-ups

Permission slips can be obtained on the St. Dunstan's Athletics website (www.saintdunstanchur.org). Students in Grades 4th through 8th are eligible to participate.



Making Sunday Special

Attending Mass is the most important thing families do each week, but even the most committed sometimes fall into a Sunday slump. So think outside of the box and consider changing it up a little to make Sunday truly special.

Attend Mass somewhere else. Sometimes being in a different environment can make it more interesting for children. See what statues, relics or architecture may be different from that in your church. A different church also shows that the Catholic faith is universal. There are people in little towns and big cities all over the world who come together at Mass to praise and give thanks to God.

Turn it into a family day. Take it a step farther and plan a day trip. There are churches that have mosaics, relics and amazing art. Why not do a little research and find a church that would interest your family visit. Start the day off with mass and then find other activities in the town to do.

Make it a date. Invite another family or relatives to join you and enjoy breakfast or dinner afterward.

Go on a Saturday night. If Sundays are busy days, Saturday evening is a great alternative.