

Padua Press

August 18, 2019

Upcoming Events

August 21
School Pictures
Dress Uniform Required

August 21
3rd/4th Grade Mass

August 28
5th Grade/Kindergarten Mass

August 30
Spirit Wear Day - Spirit Tops with
Uniform Bottoms May Be Worn

September 2
Labor Day - No School

September 4
6th Grade/K4 Mass

September 4
PA Social and Meeting

September 6
House Sorting Ceremony

September 6
Adoration of the Blessed
Sacrament

September 9
Via Classes Begin

September 11
1st Grade/2nd Grade Mass

September 20
Grandparents' Day Mass - 9 am

September 25
3rd Grade/4th Grade Mass

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CALENDAR**

PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE

The first full week is behind us, and we are off to a great start at St. Anthony Catholic School! It was a week of reuniting with old friends and welcoming new friends. Teachers and students spent the first week getting to know one another and establishing a classroom routine. I am proud of all of our Eagles for getting right back to work after a long summer vacation. The highlight of our first week was celebrating Mass together on the Feast of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary, followed by a breakfast to welcome new families. We are happy to have 26 new families join our St. Anthony community. We know that you will find a home here for many years to come.

I want to thank everyone for the energy and enthusiasm with which you have approached this new school year. It was wonderful to see so much participation in Back to School Night and Parent Orientation Night. Your gifts of time and talent have already been a blessing to us, and we look forward to continuing to see everyone at the various special events planned throughout the year. You can stay up to date by reading the *Padua Press* and your classroom newsletters each week. An updated calendar can also be found on our website. If you have not already done so, I encourage you to read the Parent Handbook. It has been updated to reflect the current policies and practices of St. Anthony Catholic School. Working together, we can see that our children receive the best of all that our school has to offer.

Have a great week Eagles!

Yours in Christ,

Anne Cowger

BOX TOPS

Box Tops for Education is going digital. St. Anthony will continue to collect clipped Box Tops, but we also encourage you to save your receipts when you purchase participating items. Newer packaging does not have Box Tops to clip. Credit for participating items will be given by scanning receipts using the new Box Tops mobile app. Please download the app and scan the receipt within 14 days, or send your receipts to school. Michael Glisson, St. Anthony's Box Top Coordinator, will be happy to keep up with scanning receipts for anyone who would prefer not to download the app. St. Anthony's identification number for the Box Tops Program is 9662385.

GRANDPARENTS' MASS ART CONTEST

Ms. Cashman will be announcing details of the Grandparent's Mass Art Contest tomorrow at Prayer and Pledge. The contest is optional and is open to students in K3 - 6 grades. The only requirement is that the art work contains a dove. There will be three winners, and all participants will have their art displayed. The deadline for entries is August 26.

SUBSTITUTE TEACHERS

St. Anthony is seeking applications for qualified substitute teachers. Please call the front office for more details or to apply.

EAGLE DADS FUNDRAISER

The Sanderson Farms Championship has teamed up with St. Anthony Catholic School to raise funds for the school through volunteer activities at this year's Sanderson Farms Championship. Help is needed September 12 and 13, and September 22 and 23. Eagle Dads are encouraged to volunteer. Each individual who volunteers will receive two tickets to use for any tournament round September 19 - 22, 2019. For each shift we fully staff and complete the assigned tasks, the Sanderson Farms Championship will donate \$1,000 to St. Anthony. We have an opportunity to raise \$4,000 for St. Anthony! Please see the attachment for all the details. Here is the link to sign-up:
<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/70A0D4AA9AA2AA0FF2-eagle>

Please contact Whitney Beck sfchampionshipinfo@gmail.com or
Jonah Beck jonah@sandersonfarmschampionship.com
with any questions or for more details.

ST. FRANCIS OF ASSISI PARISH DINNER AND KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS PORK SALE

The monthly parish dinner returns from summer break this Wednesday, August 21, at 5:15 pm in the Family Life Center. This month's dinner includes grilled chicken, twice-baked potato casserole, green beans, salad, and rolls. Cost is \$5/person or \$15/family. Please come and join in the fun and fellowship.

The Knights of Columbus Council #9543 is selling pork butts for Labor Day Weekend. Click [here](#) to access the order form. Orders are due by next Sunday, August 25, and can be turned in at St. Francis or emailed to Tim Prater (mississippiredleg@yahoo.com). Payment can be made at pickup on August 31.

