# Padua Press

December 2, 2018

## **Upcoming Events**

December 3 Spirit Day at Lost Pizza Ridgeland Location

<u>December 4</u> Open House 8:30 am - 10:30 am

<u>December 7</u> No ACE

December 7 & 8
Feast of the Immaculate
Conception Mass at
St. Francis of Assisi 6:30 pm on December 7
7:00 am on December 8

<u>December 8</u> Starry Night Gala

<u>December 13</u> Meet the Eagles

<u>December 20</u> Christmas Parties - 2:15 pm

<u>December 21</u> Advent Program

Advent Program - 9:00 am Last Day of School before Holidays - No ACE

<u>December 22 - January 6</u> Christmas Holidays

January 27 - February 2 Catholic Schools Week

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## KEEP CHRIST IN CHRISTMAS

Poster contest sponsored by the Knights of Columbus. Entry forms are outside Mrs. Sims' classroom.

#### **SCHOOL NEWS**

Thank you to everyone who donated to #iGiveCatholic! St. Anthony received \$7985.00 in donations. We appreciate your support and are truly blessed to have such generous families!

#### SPIRIT DAY AT LOST PIZZA

This Monday, December 3, from 11:00 am - 9:00 pm is Spirit Day for St. Anthony at Lost Pizza in Ridgeland. The school will receive 10% of all sales. A <u>flyer</u> is not required, but will be used to determine which homeroom has the greatest participation. That class will receive a pizza party!



## STARRY NIGHT GALA

Starry Night is almost here! The Starry Night Chairs and rest of the Steering Committee have been hard at work to make sure this year's event is fabulous. The school will be transformed into a wonderful woodsy, forestscape. In addition to delicious food from local restaurants and the St.



Francis Knights of Columbus, there will be live music by the Tip Tops from Mobile, Alabama. Highlights of the evening include a \$5,000 cash raffle, Gala Gold raffles, and live and silent auctions.



Would you like to have a street named by your children? Or, would your family like to be the King and Queen of Carpool? What about Principal of the Day? All of these and more, including amazing art work created by each grade, will be part of the live auction. Please visit St. Anthony's Facebook page to see more of the great items that will be available. A limited number of tickets are still available. For more information, please call the school or contact the Starry Night Chairs at starrynightchairs@gmail.com.



#### MADISON CHRISTMAS PARADE









St. Anthony participated in Madison's annual Christmas parade on Saturday, December 1.

Everyone, including Rex the Eagle, had a great time!

## STUDENT COUNCIL CONDUCTING WINTER DRIVE

Starting this Monday, December 3, and running through Thursday, December 20, St. Anthony's Student Council is collecting items for those in need. See the <u>flyer</u> for all the details!



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Student Council Officers
Sophie Sosa, Historian
Benjamin Picarella, Treasurer
Elaina Price, Secretary
Sam Clements, Vice-President
Tyler Stovall, President

## **KROGER & AMAZON SMILES FUNDRAISING**

Designating St. Anthony as the non-profit organization of your choice when you shop at Kroger is super easy and very beneficial to our school. When you link your Kroger plus shopper's card to our school, St. Anthony receives a percentage of all purchases made. This does not affect your Kroger fuel points in any way. It's just an added benefit Kroger provides to its communities. Shoppers have to re-enroll (designate St. Anthony as their choice) each year. Click <a href="https://example.com/here-to-register!">here-to-register!</a>

St. Anthony also participates in the Amazon Smiles program. Click <a href="here">here</a> to get started. Or bookmark the following link and use it each time you shop at Amazon so St. Anthony can benefit from your purchases <a href="http://smile.amazon.com/ch/26-3324367">http://smile.amazon.com/ch/26-3324367</a>. Your Amazon Prime membership is not affected by shopping with the Amazon Smiles link, and you do not have to be an Amazon Prime member to use the Amazon Smiles link.

Thank you to all who are participating in these great programs!

