



St. John the Evangelist

CATHOLIC SCHOOL

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Family Ready Now!

March 13, 2017

Core Value: **SEEK**



Gospel

Matthew 17:1-9

Jesus took Peter, James, and John his brother,
and led them up a high mountain by themselves.

And he was transfigured before them;

his face shone like the sun

and his clothes became white as light.

And behold, Moses and Elijah appeared to them,
conversing with him.

Then Peter said to Jesus in reply,

"Lord, it is good that we are here.

If you wish, I will make three tents here,

one for you, one for Moses, and one for Elijah."
While he was still speaking, behold,
a bright cloud cast a shadow over them,
then from the cloud came a voice that said,
"This is my beloved Son, with whom I am well pleased;
listen to him."
When the disciples heard this, they fell prostrate
and were very much afraid.
But Jesus came and touched them, saying,
"Rise, and do not be afraid."
And when the disciples raised their eyes,
they saw no one else but Jesus alone.

As they were coming down from the mountain,
Jesus charged them,
"Do not tell the vision to anyone
until the Son of Man has been raised from the dead."

Dear St. John Families,

The Gospel reading for the second Sunday of Lent recounts the Transfiguration of Jesus. St. Thomas Aquinas called this transfiguration as the "greatest miracle" because it is performed on Jesus Himself. Jesus was transformed in the presence of Peter, James, and John. He was completely transformed not only with His appearance, but with His inwardly appearance as well.

In this time of Lent, we are also called to a type of transformation that is more inward than outward. God ask of us to *Seek* conversation of mind and heart. Stewardship is associated with conversation. To a disciple, we must follow Jesus' teachings. In order to be transformed, His way of life must be our way of life. There are challenges that comes with transformation, but the outcome is great joy. Stewardship calls us to accept what God has given us and how He has blessed us. He wants us to know that we are called to share what he has blessed us with others.

Penny Wars Fundraiser: All funds raised will go towards renovation of the restrooms.

As stewards of the St. John community, we raised \$61.70 in the first week of the competition! Way to Go Saints and Scholars!

1st Place: 4th Grade: 219 Pennies
2nd Place: 3rd Grade: -65 Pennies
3rd Place: 7th Grade: -86 Pennies
4th Place: K: -94 Pennies
5th Place: 2nd Grade: -219 Pennies
6th Place: 1st grade: -226 Pennies
7th Place: 6th Grade: -237 Pennies
8th Place: 5th Grade: -407 Pennies
9th Place: 8th Grade: -495 Pennies

Next week will include PK and the Office/Cafeteria Staff

United in Christ
M. Solorzano



March 13th

NO SCHOOL FOR STUDENTS AND STAFF

March 14th

- 8:15AM Mass
- Wear Mass uniform
- Ready Now monthly awards (This is our last monthly award for the year.)
- ACRE test begins this week for 5th and 8th graders

March 13th-15th

- Mrs. Solorzano is out of the town
- Mrs. Limon is acting principal

March 14th

Please turn in permission slips to homeroom teacher ASAP.

BULLYING PREVENTION PRESENTATION:

- Kinder- 2nd grade 9:15am in the church
- 3rd-5th grade 9:50am in the church
- 6th-8th grade (Cyber/Bullying) in the church

March 17th

BULLYING PREVENTION PRESENTATION FOR PARENTS MANDATORY

- 5:30pm-6:30pm in the cafeteria
- Bilingual presentation
- This is an important presentation for all parents to attend
- Guest presenter from the Attorney General Office
- 2 volunteer hours



- 2017 Summer Reading Camp: Reading is Out of this World! For NDAA students (Santa Cruz & St. John) currently enrolled in grades K-5. Fliers will be available in the school office week of the 13th. Registration begins on March 6th. Deadline is May 5th.

Cost: \$15 per student, one week

\$30 per student, two weeks

Payment due at the time of registration

Dates: July 3-7, 2017 Session 1

July 10-14, 2017 Session 2

Time: Camp drop off: 7:30-7:45am

Breakfast served 7:15-7:45am

Camp pick up: 12:45-1:00pm

Lunch served 12:30-1:00pm

- Opportunity to Earn Commitment Hours:

We are in urgent need of additional supervision for the 10:30am M-F, 1:10pm M,T,W,F and 12:20pm on Thursday and Friday. Please call the school office.

We are seeking substitute teachers. Please contact the office manager Veronica Monreal for information about qualifications and application 624-3865.

Please call or come into the school office to inquire about these opportunity of service.

Office: 624-3865

GOOD ATTENDANCE FOR SUCCESS

Every Minute in School Counts



Congratulations to Ms. House's 2nd grade class, Mrs. Cuen's 3rd grade class, and Mrs. Borquez's 1st grade class for earning the attendance trophy. They have demonstrated Nothing Short of Excellence with 100% attendance for 4 consecutive days.



HAVE A BLESSED WEEK
"ANCORA IMPARO"

"I AM ALWAYS LEARNING"