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# ST. ROSE SCHOOL

We Exist To Bring The Catholic Faith To Life

## Messenger

January 2020



## Principal's Message

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*Dear St. Rose School Families,*

*A very sweet Christmas Gift to all of you... Christmas will come and go...this will not. January will be upon us in due time; perhaps this will help us remember Christmas the whole year through... "Fear Not!" Lk 2:10 --Linus drops his blanket...*

<https://www1.cbn.com/cbnnews/2017/december/the-simple-yet-powerful-thing-about-linus-rsquo-epic-christmas-speech-most-people-have-never-noticed>

**OR**

<https://www.crosswalk.com/special-coverage/christmas-and-advent/just-drop-the-blanket-the-moment-you-never-noticed-in-a-charlie-brown-christmas.html>

*"And of course Linus picks his blanket up again as soon as the speech is over. But if you know Linus, you know what a big deal it is that he dropped it at all, long enough to turn himself into a living witness to the truth of the coming of the Prince of Peace: 'Fear Not.'" Fred Sanders*

*The Peace of Christ be with you,*

*Ms. Suzanne Smoley*

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## **We are St. Rose School**

### **Mission**

St. Rose of Lima Catholic School develops leaders. We recognize each person who enters our school as a unique gift from God, intent on learning. As a community of faith, we grow spiritually, academically, socially, and physically, prepared to live as Disciples of Jesus. Together, we promote Gospel Values and strive to bring the Catholic Faith to life.

### **Philosophy**

With the message of Jesus Christ always as our foundation, we the faculty and staff of St. Rose School strive to develop the whole child. We endeavor to instill Catholic values which will foster human formation and integrate faith, culture, and life. Recognizing the parent as the primary educator, we - parents, faculty, staff and the faith community - seek together to create an atmosphere in which each child may develop to his or her full potential.

### **School Wide Learning Expectations**

St. Rose School Students Are...LEADERS

**Life-long learners** - We are self-motivated and take initiative in critical thinking when problem solving.

**Effective Communicators** - We can resolve differences and build trust and respect.

**Active Catholics** - We celebrate the beliefs and traditions of the Catholic Church through prayer, study, and faith experiences.

**Disciples of Christ** - We live the Gospel Values in thought, word, and deed.

**Empathetic** - We respect and appreciate the differences and gifts of all God's creatures.

**Responsible** - We make choices for our spiritual, academic, social, and physical health, and willingly accept the impact of our decisions and actions upon ourselves and others.

**Self-Confident** - We journey with God to discover, accept, and use our gifts.



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## Office

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### Minimum Days

- Friday, January 10th; dismissal is: K-8, 12pm and TK, 11am
- Friday, January 31st; dismissal is: K-8, 12pm and TK, 11am

### No School Days in January

- Friday, January 17th - WCEA Writing Day
- Monday, January 20th -- Honoring Martin Luther King Jr.

**\*CALENDAR CHANGE\*** Please note the following changes to our 2019-20 school year:

- Friday, May 1st, FULL DAY and Jog-A-Thon
- Friday, May 15th, Crowning of Mary Mass (led by 2nd grade) and Minimum Day
- Tuesday, June 2nd, Gr. K-7 End of the Year Swim Party @ Roseville Aquatic Center

**Mass** Please join us on the following days at St. Rose Parish:

- Sunday, January 26th at 9am to celebrate Mass with Jr. Chorus & Chimes

**St. Rose School Admissions Information Night** Do you know a family who is interested in attending St. Rose School next year? Please invite them to come to our Admissions Information Night on Tuesday, January 14th at 6:00pm in the Parish Hall/Gym.



**Catholic Schools Week Kick-off Mass & Open House** We proudly celebrate St. Rose School's 59th year with Catholic Schools Week. We begin CSW on Sunday, January 26, 2020 (see events listed below) and end on February 2, 2020 with 9:30am Mass at St. Clare Parish.

ALL are welcome to join us on Sunday, January 26, 2020 for the following events:

- 9:00am Mass (students, please dress in uniform)
- Immediately following Mass, hospitality and Scholastic Book Fair in the Parish Hall/Gym
- All Classrooms will be open (10am-12pm) for all families (current and new) to walk through and enjoy!
- Campus Tours available
- New student applications open and will be available on SchoolSpeak

**2020-21 School Year Intent to Return** Is it already that time? Please be on the lookout for an email during the week of January 6th with information and a SchoolSpeak link to update the following:

- All the profiles in your family
- Acknowledge your 2020-21 Intent to Return in each of your child's profiles under Student Information< Is this student returning to school for the coming academic year?
- Please complete this process by Wednesday, January 22nd.

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**Sibling Inquiry Form** If you have a child who is a sibling of a current St. Rose student who will be eligible to attend **St. Rose School in grades TK-8 for the school year 2020-21, please click on the link below to start the pre-registration process. Submission deadline is Tuesday, January 14th.**  
[Sibling Inquiry Form](#).

### 2020-21 Registration Timeline

Tuesday, January 14	Admissions Information Night
Sunday, January 26	New Student applications are available on SchoolSpeak
Saturday, February 1	FACTS Tuition Assistance Applications Open
Friday, February 14	New student applications are due
February 2020	New applicant tours, interview, and shadow dates scheduled
March 2020	Kindergarten assessments are scheduled
Sunday, March 15	FACTS Tuition Assistance Applications are Due
Tuesday, March 24	New Family Orientation Night
Wednesday, March 25	Online registration open <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• SchoolSpeak -All families must complete</li><li>• FACTS -New Families: create a new agreement -Current Families: account updates only</li></ul>
Friday, April 3	Online registration must be completed and registration paperwork due to office
Tuesday, May 5	Parent Club service points sign up

For more information regarding 2020-2021 registration please visit our website  
<http://strose.org/admissions/guidelines>

**Yearbook Messages** If you are interested in writing a message to your children in our 2019-20 school yearbook, please click on the link below and complete the Google form. You will be billed \$5.00/message through your FACTs account in early February. **All messages are due February 1st.**  
[Yearbook Messages](#)

### Extended Day Care

**Minimum Days** If you plan to send your child to Extension on Friday, January 10th or Friday, January 31st, you MUST SEND a packed lunch from home.

### Student News

**Progress Reports** Second trimester progress reports will be available for online viewing Thursday, January 9th.

**Scholastic Book Fair** The Scholastic Book Fair is scheduled on January 21st - January 24th in the Library, and January 26th in the Parish Hall/Gym. Remember, ALL purchases benefit St. Rose School Library! Please see the attached flyer for information about eWallet, a new way for safe and secure family purchases.

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## Sports News

**Basketball Schedules** All basketball team schedules will be posted to our SchoolSpeak Calendar soon. Go Cougars!

**Basketball Pictures** PAL (gr. 5-8) and Little Dribblers (gr. 1-4) pictures will be on the following dates. A flyer will be sent home with player the first week of January with team times.

- Tuesday, January 14th - PAL (gr. 5-8)
- Wednesday, January 15th - Little Dribblers (gr. 1-4)

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## Scrip News

**Got Scrip?** Have you checked your Scrip purchases on SchoolSpeak? Scrip purchases are entered monthly and have been updated with purchases through November 2019. If you place your shopwithscrip.com order by any Monday afternoon your order will be in the school office on Thursday afternoon. **Reminder! The current scrip year ends April 30, 2020.**

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## Parent Club News



**16th Annual Crab Feed** Saturday, February 8, 2020 from 6pm-11pm \$60 Tickets! All-You-Can Eat Crab Dinner, BBQ Oysters, Pasta, Salad, Appetizers, Raffle Prizes, Dessert Auction, Dancing, and No-Host Bar. No outside alcohol. Adult Only Event. These too are GREAT Stocking Stuffers! TICKETS AVAILABLE online at [www.strosecrabfeed.com](http://www.strosecrabfeed.com) or see ticket order form attached below.

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## Calendar

For a more detailed monthly calendar or to subscribe to the SRS calendar, please visit SchoolSpeak<Calendar.

### January 2020

Progress Reports available on SchoolSpeak  
Minimum Day  
Prospective Family Admissions Information Night  
PAL Basketball Pictures  
Little Dribblers Basketball Pictures

No School or Extension- Teacher In Service Day  
No School or Extension- ML King Day  
Annual Scholastic Book Fair  
Catholic Schools' Week Mass, Book Fair & Open House  
9:00am Mass, 10:00am-12:00pm Open House & Book Fair

New Student Applications Open  
Catholic Schools' Week  
Minimum Day

End-of-CSW Mass - St. Clare Parish, 9:30am.

Thursday, January 9  
Friday, January 10  
Tuesday, January 14  
Tuesday, January 14  
Wednesday, January 15  
Friday, January 17  
Monday, January 20  
Tuesday, January 21 - Friday, January 24  
Sunday, January 26  
Sunday, January 26  
Monday, January 27-Friday January 31  
Friday, January 31  
Sunday, February 2

## St. Rose School 1st Trimester Honor Roll

4th Grade	5th Grade	6th Grade	7th Grade	8th Grade
<b><u>Honors</u></b> Alyssa Becze Sofia Calderon Mikko Dela Cruz Zoe Dodds Cruz Foley Ashley Gabriele Charlie Foucek Maddie Honeycutt Aaron Martinez Ashton Rumenapp Gabe Ocon  <b><u>High Honors</u></b> Onya Cabardo Nicholas Henderson Natasha Jensen Sophia Lozano Bella Sanders Eliana Igna Kaia Mounkes  <b><u>Principal's List</u></b> Nathan Archer Andrew Baltazar Sophia Bellah Seyvene Kahwaji Gabbie Ricafort Claire Rossmiller	<b><u>Honors</u></b> Tyler Carpenter Jaida Esparza Jayden Freitas Avery Silva Emily Valasek Charley Viley Charlie Wohlfeld  <b><u>High Honors</u></b> Elizabeth David Nathan Dickey Luke Morales Kinley Muck Daniel Nuno Andrew Pentrak Sofia Swisher Cheyenne Swyers  <b><u>Principal's List</u></b> Katelynn James Conor O'Brien	<b><u>Honors</u></b> Alexander Baltizar Anthony Carlino Joshua Deligero Diego Foley Brenden Jones Devin Klein Matthew Lopez Alex Ramirez Evy Rector Amelia Zaragoza  <b><u>High Honors</u></b> Billy Bass Lauren Gabriele Nathaniel Kebede Josella Lamson Ashley Martinez Michael Soto Veronica White Nolan Young  <b><u>Principal's List</u></b> Anaia Cabardo Lily Canalas Jasmine Gadot Peter Giannini Lucia Hash	<b><u>Honors</u></b> Natalie Ang Grace Chavez* Helen Foucek Jacqueline Gamette Fernando Hernandez Victor Reyes Juliana Stuart Caitlynn Verhoef  <b><u>High Honors</u></b> Arabella Cobres* Kyrielle De Dios* Audrey Dodds* Lance Friel* Everett Gonsalves* Isabella Harper* Quinn Harvey* Mikaela Hernandez* Rachel Staszko* Cami Zucker*  <b><u>Principal's List</u></b> Ava Brunello* John Carlson* Elise Henderson* Emma Hersey* Benjamin Hirsch* Carina Peek* August Rogers* Jack Rossmiller* Dominic Siino* Sarah Staszko*	<b><u>Honors</u></b> Sharina Castillo Riah Esparza Ximena Hernandez Adam Martinez Tessa Milton Hayden Ricci  <b><u>High Honors</u></b> Kelsey Cassulo* Matthew Deligero* Kevin Diederich* Makaela Gutierrez* Giancarlo Hash* Mallory Hawks* Samantha Holcomb* Johanna O'Brien* Ethan Rumenapp* Mia Siino* David Soto* Natalie Vigil* Beckett Zucker*  <b><u>Principal's List</u></b> William Alejandro* Ryan Guanzon* Isa Gutierrez* Mya Hernandez* Eric Jensen* Colin Kreps* Brittany Oberman* Ally Vergara*

\*California Junior Scholarship Federation



## Advent - A Time of Joyful Preparation

As parents of young children, it is easy to get wrapped up in the secular parts of the Christmas season - shopping for the best deals, choosing thoughtful gifts for loved ones, attending holiday parties, perfectly staging a family photo to add to a Christmas card, baking delicious treats - the festive list could go on and on. However, our challenge as devout Catholic parents is to teach our children a different tradition: one of preparation. The Church provides us with the beautiful season of Advent to guide us on our journey to Christmas. When the world around us encourages us to speed up and participate in the Christmas season *hullabaloo*, the Church asks us to slow down and patiently spend this season in prayer and gracious waiting for the birth of Christ. As parents, we must model this season of hope by rejoicing in the numerous blessings God has given us and slowing down to intentionally prepare our hearts for the Lord. Make the sacraments a central part of your Christmas preparations by bringing your children to Reconciliation or by spending 30 minutes in Adoration.



appropriate candle is lit. If your children are older, they can take turns lighting the candle(s) and leading the family in a special Advent prayer. Have reasonable expectations by choosing one or two traditions that you and your children will look forward to year after year.

The Advent season is a beautiful reminder of how we as parents should be forming our children in general. As parents, our whole life with our children

is one of preparations. We are preparing them to live a life for and with Christ. By being given the gift of God's children, we have the enormous task of emboldening them to have a relationship with Christ. It takes a lot of courage to deny the modern temptations of our world; to not get caught up in the race to have our children earn the best grades, make the travel sporting team, or go on the nicest Instagram-worthy vacations. We can't allow ourselves to only wish for our children to be happy and healthy, we need to instead act in a way that models what true happiness and health means - to live a life in relationship with God. As parents, it is our vocation to teach our children about the grace of God and to show them the power of His love. We wish that our children will live the life that the Lord has intended for them: a life that is filled with passion and joy; a life that is always preparing for the coming of the Lord, so that when they are in His presence, their souls are ready. The Advent season is a time which reminds us of the Lord's second coming at the end of time. It's a time in which we reflect on what we wish for our children - a life lived in such a way that when it is the end, they will spend their eternal life in Heaven with the Lord.

My wish for my children and yours this Advent season is that they encounter Christ as we prepare for His miraculous coming on Christmas Day.

"Christmas isn't just a temporal celebration or the memory of a beautiful event; Christmas is more...Christmas is an encounter!" —Pope Francis

*Contributed by Emily Hoffman, director of academic support, West Catholic High School, Diocese of Grand Rapids*

Advent offers numerous wonderful traditions that we, as parents, can engage in with our children. Teach your children that this time before Christmas is a time in which we must prepare our hearts for the coming of Christ. Are we ready for Him? Make the connection between decorating our homes with bright lights and colorful ornamental trees to preparing our hearts, where Christ resides in all of us, through prayer and meditation for his birth on Christmas Day. Teach your children about St. Nicholas who sold all of his possessions and gave the money to the poor. As a family, go through your home and have each family member choose one or two items they can give to the poor, modeling the actions of St. Nicholas. Create a family Advent calendar which details simple acts of kindness that you can participate in together each day leading up to Christmas. Display a nativity scene in a prominent place in your home. Hide baby Jesus until Christmas Day when he joyfully arrives in Bethlehem. Have an Advent wreath adorn your kitchen table or wherever you share family meals. Have each member of your family share one thing they are thankful for and one thing they are looking forward to while the

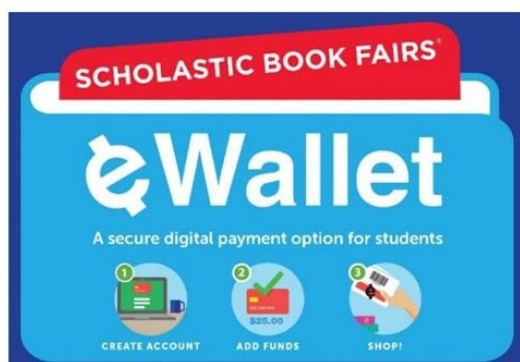


# The Book Fair is Coming

## January 21 – 24 and 26

**Check out our eWallet payment system!**

Get ready to setup and manage funds for student purchases January 2 - 24



**Why Book Fair organizers and families love eWallet:**

- Safe and secure way to give students money to buy books
- Free (and easy!) for parents to set up an account
- Pre-authorized amount to control spending
- Funds immediately available for use
- Easy student lookup on the Scholastic register for quick processing
- eWallet balance appears on the receipt

**More info coming in the January Newslines!**





### KING CRAB

**\$1500**

Business Card on Placemats  
8 Dinner Tickets  
Premier Seating & Parking  
100 Raffle Tickets  
2 Bottles of Wine  
8 Crab Crackers  
Recognition on  
all pre-event media

### BLUE CRAB

**\$1000**

Business Card on Placemats  
6 Dinner Tickets  
Premier Seating & Parking  
50 Raffle Tickets  
1 Bottles of Wine  
6 Crab Crackers  
Recognition at Event

### STONE CRAB

**\$500**

Business Card on Placemats  
4 Dinner Tickets  
Premier Seating & Parking  
25 Raffle Tickets  
Recognition at Event

### DUNGENESS

**\$250**

Business Card on Placemats  
2 Dinner Tickets

### OYSTER

**\$75**

Business Logo on Banner

## DONOR INFORMATION

Company: \_\_\_\_\_ Contact: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City/State/Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Authorized Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Will you be attending the St. Rose Crab Feed: ☐ YES ☐ NO

Choose Sponsorship Level:

☐ King Crab ☐ Blue Crab ☐ Stone Crab ☐ Dungeness  
AND/OR ☐ Oyster

**For Cash Donations,  
Please make checks payable to:  
St. Rose School Parent Club  
Federal Tax ID: 45-4254073**

Item Donated (tax-deductible) \_\_\_\_\_ Item Description: \_\_\_\_\_

Donation Value: \$ \_\_\_\_\_ Any Restrictions/Expiration: \_\_\_\_\_

Mail To:  
St. Rose School  
633 Vine Ave. Roseville, CA 95678  
Attn: Crab Feed/ Raffle Chair

PHONE: (916) 782-1161 FAX: (916) 782-7862

Thank you!  
Your donation makes a difference in our children's lives!



**16TH ANNUAL  
ST. ROSE CRAB FEED  
FEBRUARY 8, 2020  
6PM-11PM  
ST. ROSE PARISH HALL**

**ALL-YOU-CAN-EAT  
FRESH DUNGENESS CRAB  
BBQ OYSTERS  
SALAD & PASTA  
DESSERT AUCTION**

**TICKETS**  
\$60 per person (Adults Only)  
Tickets will not be sold at the door  
Sponsorships Available  
Visit [www.strosecrabfeed.com](http://www.strosecrabfeed.com)

**BEVERAGE TICKETS**  
\$1 Increments  
Mixed Drinks- 5 tickets  
Beer- 5 tickets  
Wine by the Glass- 5 tickets  
Wine by the Bottle- 20 tickets  
Sodas- 2 tickets

PLEASE COMPLETE AND RETURN TO SCHOOL OFFICE

NAMES: \_\_\_\_\_

NUMBER OF DINNER TICKETS QTY: \_\_\_\_\_ X \$60 = \$ \_\_\_\_\_

NUMBER OF DRINK TICKETS QTY: \_\_\_\_\_ X \$1 = \$ \_\_\_\_\_

TABLE NAME REQUEST (MAXIMUM 16 PEOPLE, NO EXCEPTIONS):  
\_\_\_\_\_

Every effort will be made to accomodate requests but unfortunately they cannot be guaranteed.

TOTAL AMOUNT ENCLOSED: \$ \_\_\_\_\_ PAYMENT CASH/CHECK # \_\_\_\_\_

YOU CAN ALSO PURCHASE TICKETS ONLINE AT [WWW.STROSECRABFEED.COM](http://WWW.STROSECRABFEED.COM)



# DESSERT *makes* EVERYTHING *better*

THE CRAB FEED IS GOING TO BE A REAL "TREAT"  
WE ARE SEARCHING FOR THE MOST DELICIOUS,  
MOUTH-WATERING TREATS FOR THE DESSERT AUCTION.

NOT A BAKER?  
ASK YOUR FAVORITE BAKERY TO DONATE A FABULOUS DESSERT.

DO YOU KNOW SOMEONE WHO MAKES  
SPECTACULAR HOMEMADE DESSERTS?  
HERE'S THEIR CHANCE TO SHOW OFF THEIR TALENTS  
& HELP RAISE MONEY FOR THE SCHOOL!

BE CREATIVE AS POSSIBLE SO YOUR DESSERT  
CAPTURES THE HIGHEST BID OF THE EVENING



PLEASE PREPARE FOR DELIVERY  
ON FEBRUARY 8TH FROM 5PM -6PM  
TO THE ST. ROSE PARISH HALL

Sign up online at [www.strosecrabfeed.com](http://www.strosecrabfeed.com)  
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