

# Faith, Knowledge, Stewardship

For to you I will pray, Lord; in the morning you will hear my voice; in the morning  
I will plead before you and wait. Ps. 5:3-4

**Following the example of Mary. This week we practice the virtue of prayerfulness, being still,  
listening, and being willing to talk to God as a friend.**

**Thank you**

## **Coat Drive**

"Whatsoever you do to the least of my people, that you do unto me." In partnership with the Salvation Army, Second Grade is beginning our annual Share the Warmth coat drive. If you have coats that no longer fit or coats you no longer wear, please consider donating them to our coat drive. There is a collection bin by the pew in the front entryway. The coat drive runs through the month of October, and all coats collected will be given to those in need in our area. Thank you for your generosity. Enjoy the video invitation of the 2<sup>nd</sup> grade:

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## **Please join us**

St. Augustine Cathedral School is bringing back "Protect Young Eyes" on November 2. Students will participate in age appropriate presentations titled "The Digital Life" during the school day.

We offer parents two opportunities to hear "The Digital Culture of Kids". We hope that you'll join us for one of these presentations. This year we will also provide a space and time following the presentations for parents to discuss how you can work together, at the grade level, at the class level, to support each other in this digital culture.

This presentation is most important for parents of young children who have yet to start the conversations about technology and social media. Please consider attending and taking advantage of the time and space to talk. Parents may send their students to After School Care at no cost on November 2, if they attend the 3pm "Protect Young Eyes" session.

You can learn more about Protect Young Eyes by visiting their website, [www.protectyoungeyes.com](http://www.protectyoungeyes.com), and by reading their blog, [www.protectyoungeyes.com/blog](http://www.protectyoungeyes.com/blog).

Please RSVP for the session you plan to attend.

November 2, 1<sup>st</sup> session, 3 – 4:30: <https://staugustineafternoon.eventbrite.com>

November 2, 2<sup>nd</sup> session, 6-7:30: <https://staugustineevening.eventbrite.com> .

## **An invitation from PTO**

Our PTO meeting this week focuses on the role of room parents. Come find out what's involved and what's happening with our PTO. Wednesday, Oct. 18 at 4pm in the Teachers' Lounge. Childcare will be provided.

## **Legacy Celebration 2017**

Did you receive your invitation in the mail to the 2017 Legacy Celebration? We're hoping you'll join us for an evening of fun and fellowship. Send in your RSVP to the school office or head to our website and click on the link to register online: <http://www.stakzoo.org/> .

## **Halloween Dinner from Ample Pantry**

HCP's Grad Bash committee is offering Halloween night dinner's from Ample Pantry. Head to our website for more information:

[http://images.pcmac.org/SiSFiles/Schools/MI/CatholicSchoolsKalamazoo/StAugustine/Uploads/Publications/Grad\\_Bash\\_2018.pdf](http://images.pcmac.org/SiSFiles/Schools/MI/CatholicSchoolsKalamazoo/StAugustine/Uploads/Publications/Grad_Bash_2018.pdf)

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## Mid-Month Munchies

The third grade classes will be making another "Mid-Month Munchies" collection for the Eleanor House this Friday, October 20. Please consider donating a store-packaged snack or piece of fruit to the Eleanor House. It is a wonderful way to practice the Virtues and Catholic Social Teachings. We appreciate your participation in this mission!

## Red Cross Blood Drive

The Student Leadership Council is hosting their annual blood drive Friday, October 20, 1pm to 6:45pm in our gym.

Please head to our website for more information on how to sign up:

[http://images.pcmac.org/SiSFiles/Schools/MI/CatholicSchoolsKalamazoo/StAugustine/Uploads/Publications/10\\_20\\_17\\_St\\_Augustine\\_Ch\\_School\\_PSH\\_Parent\\_Letter.pdf](http://images.pcmac.org/SiSFiles/Schools/MI/CatholicSchoolsKalamazoo/StAugustine/Uploads/Publications/10_20_17_St_Augustine_Ch_School_PSH_Parent_Letter.pdf)

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