



# St. Stanislaus Kostka School

"Do not walk through time without leaving worthy evidence of your passage." Saint John XXIII

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"Nothing is so strong as gentleness, nothing so gentle as real strength." Saint Francis de Sales

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Dear St. Stan's Families:

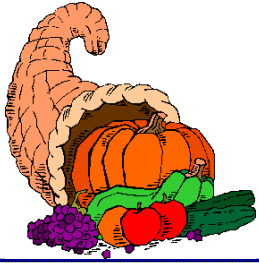
It is a process to realize that strength can only be obtained through gentleness. It is something we try to impart upon our students through modeling the example of Jesus and his gentleness. He was proof that gentleness does not equal weakness. It is unfortunate that in our world the message is so often the opposite of how Jesus led his life. Being able to teach and follow Jesus' gentleness is just one example that shows the joy of being part of a Catholic school community.

As October, meanders to an end we will have our annual Halloween celebration. The weather forecast shows a sunny day for our parade (12:30 PM parents are welcome to watch parade outside) and party. It is an out of uniform day and students should bring their costumes to change into after lunch. Please keep in mind no weapons, masks, high heels or costumes that's length would cause some one to trip. The HSA will be providing a pizza lunch for free for all out students. If your child does not like pizza please send in a lunch for them.

The beginning of November includes Mass on November 1<sup>st</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup>, our Veterans Day assembly at 9am on November 10<sup>th</sup> (which you are all invited to attend) and then the close of the marking period on November 11<sup>th</sup> followed by conferences on November 17<sup>th</sup> and 18<sup>th</sup>. Next week information about conferences will be in the electronic envelope for you to review and make plans to see your child's teacher(s). Obviously, we will end November with Thanksgiving; it is however, every day which I am thankful for the students, teachers and families of St. Stan's School.

In His Peace,

Elena Malinconico  
Principal



# NOVEMBER 2016

## ST. STAN'S SCHOOL



| Sunday  | Monday   | Tuesday  | Wednesday  | Thursday   | Friday   | Saturday   |
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|   |  | <i>1</i><br>9:00 AM<br>Mass - All<br>Souls Day     | <i>2</i><br>12:00 Dismissal<br><br>8th Grade<br>Snack Sale   | <i>3</i><br><br>St. Peter's<br>Project<br>Respect Gr.<br>6-8   | <i>4</i><br><br>9:00 Mass  | <i>5</i><br><br>8:00 AM High<br>School<br>Placement<br>Tests |
| <i>6</i><br>Daylight<br>Savings<br>Time<br>Ends -<br>Fall<br>Back 1<br>Hour | <i>7</i><br>2:00-3:00<br>Book Club<br>Gr. 6-8<br><br>2:00-3:00<br>Chorus   | <i>8</i><br>2:00-3:00<br>Zumba                     | <i>9</i><br>2:00-3:00<br>Fitness, Lambs<br>& Religion Club<br><br>6:30 PM EF<br>Travel Parent<br>Meeting Grades<br>4-8 | <i>10</i><br>2:00-3:00 Art<br>Club<br>2:00-3:00 Book<br>Club Gr. 1&2<br><br>2:00-3:00<br>Student Council<br><br>9:00 AM<br>Veterans Day<br>Celebration | <i>11</i><br><br>End of 1st<br>Marking<br>Period   | <i>12</i>  |
| <i>13</i>   | <i>14</i><br>2:00-3:00<br>Book Club<br>Gr. 6-8<br><br>2:00-3:00<br>Chorus  | <i>15</i><br>2:00-3:00<br>Zumba                    | <i>16</i><br>2:00-3:00<br>Fitness, Lambs<br>& Religion Club<br><br>Student of the<br>Month<br>Breakfast                | <i>17</i><br>12:00 Dismissal<br>Parent/ Teacher<br>Conferences<br><br>Report Cards<br>distributed at<br>conferences                                    | <i>18</i><br>12:00 Dismissal<br><br>7:50 AM Awards<br>Ceremony -<br>Parents<br>Welcome<br><br>Parent/ Teacher<br>Conferences | <i>19</i>  |
| <i>20</i>   | <i>21</i><br>2:00-3:00 Book<br>Club Gr. 6-8<br><br>2:00-3:00<br>Chorus<br><br>Picture Day -<br>Retakes,<br>Class Pictures<br>& Clubs | <i>22</i><br>2:00-3:00<br>Zumba                    | <i>23</i><br><br><b>12:00<br/>DISMISSAL -<br/>NO<br/>AFTERCARE!!</b><br><br>9:00 AM Mass<br>- Benefactors<br>Mass      | <i>24</i><br><br><i>Happy<br/>Thanksgiving</i><br><br>School Closed<br>- Thanksgiving<br>Break   | <i>25</i><br><br>School Closed<br>- Thanksgiving<br>Break  | <i>26</i>  |
| <i>27</i>   | <i>28</i><br>2:00-3:00<br>Book Club<br>Gr. 6-8<br><br>2:00-3:00<br>Chorus  | <i>29</i><br>2:00-3:00<br>Zumba<br><br>Confessions | <i>30</i><br>2:00-3:00<br>Fitness Club<br><br>2:00-3:00<br>Lambs Club  |  |  |  |

**ST. STANISLAUS ROSARY ALTAR SOCIETY**  
**CHRISTMAS GRAVE BLANKETS AND WREATHS**

The Rosary Altar Society will be taking orders for grave blankets and wreaths on the weekends of November 12<sup>th</sup> -13<sup>th</sup> and November 19<sup>th</sup> -20<sup>th</sup>, 2016.

- ❖ Three sizes are available. Samples will be in both the main and elevator lobbies of the Church.
- ❖ The deadline for orders will be Sunday, November 27<sup>th</sup>. Payment is due when order is placed.
- ❖ Please make check payable to "St. Stan's Rosary Altar Society".
- ❖ Orders may be placed in collection basket or given to the Church office. (please mark envelope: Grave Blanket Order)
- ❖ The pick-up date is Saturday, December 3<sup>rd</sup> from 10:30 am to 12:30 pm in the parking lot behind St. Stan's School, 221 MacArthur Ave, Sayreville, NJ.

For Information Contact:  
 Bernadine (732-257-3077)  
 Julie (732-254-4908)  
 Alfreda (732-257-4839)

**GRAVE BLANKET ORDER FORM**

|                |      | <u># of Item</u> | <u>Amount Due</u> | <u>Check #</u> | <u>Cash</u> |
|----------------|------|------------------|-------------------|----------------|-------------|
| Small 2½- 3 ft | \$23 | _____            | _____             | _____          | _____       |
| Medium 3½      | \$28 | _____            | _____             | _____          | _____       |
| Large 4 - 4½   | \$38 | _____            | _____             | _____          | _____       |
| Wreath         | \$22 | _____            | _____             | _____          | _____       |

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