



ST. GENEVIEVE SCHOOL NEWS

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St. Genevieve Catholic School (Pre-K – 7th), an educational ministry of St. Genevieve Parish, exists to further the teaching mission of the Roman Catholic Church. We strive to nurture the child in all developmental areas – spiritually, intellectually, physically, socially, and emotionally. Living and teaching Gospel values, we work to build God's Kingdom.

Mission Statement of St. Genevieve Catholic School

September 11, 2020

DID YOU KNOW...

...that we encourage everyone to participate in the weekly challenges from the Religion in the Home Committee. Next week's challenge is listed below:

On Sept 15, we remember Our Lady of Sorrows. This week learn about and pray the Seven Sorrows of Mary:

1. Prophecy of Simeon
2. The Flight to Egypt
3. Loss of Jesus in the Temple
4. Mary meets Jesus on Road to Calvary
5. Jesus dies on the cross
6. Mary receives the Body of Jesus
7. Jesus is placed in the Tomb

Say 7 Hail Mary's each day this week, reflecting on her 7 sorrows.

Want to learn more? [Teaching Kids About Our Lady Of Sorrows \(September Dedication\)](#)

...that Catholic Charities works with CFSL to organize disaster relief. CFSL has created an Amazon list of supplies that can be purchased by those choosing to donate items without having to go to the store and deliver to drop-off sites (https://www.amazon.com/hz/wishlist/ls/1QQO01C8F2GJF?ref=wl_share). Catholic Charities is still setting up drop-off sites in the diocese, as well, if people prefer to drop off items.

...that October is the month of the Rosary. St. Genevieve Church Parish will have the following rosary events:

*Candlelight Living Rosary (in church and live-streamed)

Sunday, October 4, 2020 at 7 PM

*Nightly Rosary (livestreamed on Facebook)

October 5 – October 31, 2020 at 7 PM

*Candlelight Living Rosary (in church and live-streamed)

Sunday, November 1, 2020 at 7 PM

To volunteer to participate in October Rosary Month events at St. Genevieve, call the church office at (985) 446-5571, or email us at jharvey@htdiocese.org. Volunteers are needed for the following:

- 1) Participation in the Living Rosary on Oct. 4th
 - 2) Leaders to pray the Rosary on Facebook live-stream from St. Gen each night at 7:00 p.m. (Note: You will not be visible for the nightly Rosaries. We will have the camera set on our Holy Mother. Also, your family group may participate with you if you'd like to sign up as a family.)
 - 3) Participation in the Living Rosary on Nov. 1st
- #octoberrosarymonth #praytherosary #prayasacomunity #stgenevievecommunity

MAKE SPECIAL NOTE:

1. Face Covering Update:
 - a. The CDC recommends that people wear cloth face coverings in public settings.
 - b. Cloth face coverings are recommend as a simple barrier to help prevent respiratory droplets from traveling into the air and onto other people when the person wearing the cloth face covering coughs, sneezes, talks, or raises their voice. This is called source control. It is not known if neck gaiters provide any benefit as source control to protect others from the spray of respiratory particles.
 - c. **The CDC does not recommend use of neck gaiters as a substitute for cloth face coverings.** Neck gaiters should only be used until an appropriate cloth face covering can be secured.
 - d. Neck gaiters will not be allowed beginning Monday, September 14, 2020
2. We will be celebrating Constitution Week next week. We will have a flag raising for students on Monday.
3. School pictures will be sent home on Monday.
4. Wednesday is a red, white, and blue fun dress day and treat sale that will benefit sixth grade.
5. The list of donors for the Annual Fund for the 2019-2020 school year will be posted on the front page of the website on Monday. Corrections should be sent to cheryl.thibodaux@htdiocese.org by September 25, 2020. Please pay special attention to the intent of the donation. We want to make sure that any donation made in memory of a loved one, or in honor of a special individual is published correctly.
6. Gov. John Bel Edwards said yesterday that the state would move to Phase 3 starting today. We will not be pulling children into the overflow classes. All children will remain in their homerooms beginning on Monday. Our state medical director stated that the schools are not hot spots; the challenge is when students and employees leave the school environment and continue to socialize without following the recommendations and guidelines. Please help us stay open and with full classes by having your children follow these guidelines when away from school.

COMING NEXT WEEK:

Monday, September 14, 2020	Flag Raising
Wednesday, September 16, 2020	Buddy Day Progress Reports Red, White, Blue Fun Dress Treat Sale
Friday, September 18, 2020	Mass at 8:45 AM