



# SAINTS WEEKLY

St. Augustine School spreads the good news by Navigating a Christian course,  
Educating body, mind, and spirit, Worshipping the Lord, and Serving others.

January 11, 2019

## Principal's Message

-Mrs. Lenn

Congratulations to our December Students of the Month: Addyson Shreve, JT Schweihofer, Giselle Graebert, Nanuka Schlegel, Stella Grace, Rebecca Shrodes, Michael Kiell, Tyler Lenn, and Maximus Greenia! Great job to all of our Saints during the month of December. It was a busy one!

If you happen to be shopping Christmas clearance sales, it is great time to pick up wrapping supplies for our Santa Shop next year. We are in need of gift bags, tissue, stick-on gift tags, tape, and wrapping paper. If you see any deals and are willing to pick up items to donate, please do!

Thank you!

Remember to dress your children for the weather. We make every effort to get them outdoors for recess. If the windchill is single digits, we will keep them in, but otherwise, they will go out, so hats and gloves are necessary. Also boots and snow pants are needed to play in the snow.

The Varsity girls basketball tournament will take place on Friday, January 18, at 5:00 at Immaculate Conception. There will be four games played that evening. It has been a very exciting season with many close games, so I am sure the tournament will be just as exciting to watch. All families are invited to come and cheer on our Saints! The boys teams are busy practicing to prepare

for their season, with the first game on January 29. We are looking forward to a great season with our boys teams.

Please RSVP by Monday for Human Trafficking if you plan to attend. We welcome you to invite family and friends. Everyone needs to be informed about human trafficking because it is happening here. According to the National Human Trafficking Hotline, over 5000 cases were reported in Michigan during 2018. Michigan is in the top 6 of all 50 states for reported cases.



## **Human Trafficking**

*A multibillion-dollar industry*

*Join us for a free informational seminar regarding the terrible reality of human trafficking.*

**Thursday, January 31<sup>st</sup>**  
**St. Augustine Parish Hall**  
**6:30-8:00 pm**

### ***Why do YOU need to know about human trafficking?***

Michigan ranks seventh in the nation for the number of reported human trafficking cases. Unfortunately, proximity to the Canadian border is often cited as a factor in the high level of human trafficking activity in the state. The seminar will be presented by Theresa Kukawka, founder of the Port Huron MAP group. The Michigan Abolitionist Project (MAP) is a statewide, grassroots organization that uses networking and community action to raise awareness of human trafficking. MAP chapters engage in educational outreach to interrupt human trafficking networks and help victims connect to resources that can help them escape.

\*\*\*Please RSVP for this event to [jthomson1315@gmail.com](mailto:jthomson1315@gmail.com) by 1/14/2019 so that we ensure we have enough chairs and materials for everyone attending.\*\*\*

Due to the sensitivity of this material, adults only please.

### Upcoming dates to know:

- Jan. 14- Girls Basketball game- JV at 6:30, Varsity at 7:30 (against MCA at Holy Family)
- Jan 16-18- **NO PM BUS SERVICE** due to half days at Richmond Schools
- Jan. 17- **Technology Committee Meeting**, 7 pm
- Jan. 18- End of 2nd quarter, Vision screening grades 1-7; Varsity girls basketball tournament at IC starting at 5:00
- Jan. 19- **K of C Free Throw Contest at Holy Family gym**, register at 8, contest at 9- **see flyer**
- Jan. 21- 5th-8th grade Spelling Bee, 12:45 pm (Parents welcome to attend)
- Jan. 22- **Athletic Committee Meeting**, 6 pm; **School Advisory Committee Meeting**, 7 pm
- Jan. 23- Half day, no pm latchkey or bus service
- Jan. 26- PTC Crop or Craft for a Cause; in Parish Hall, 8-6 pm
- Jan. 27- 7th grade Confirmation Parent Meeting, 10:15 in the Parish Hall
- Jan. 28- Blue Water Vicariate Carnival at Cardinal Mooney for Catholic Schools Week
- Jan. 29- Boys Basketball Game against IC at HF, JV 6:30, Varsity 7:30

- Jan. 30- Boys Basketball Game at MCA, Varsity only 6:30
- Jan. 31- **Human Trafficking Presentation for Parents & Parishioners, 6:30 pm, Parish Hall**
- Feb. 4- Boys Basketball Game at St. Peter's gym, JV 6:30, Varsity 7:30
- Feb. 6- Boys Basketball Game at Holy Family against Holy Cross, Varsity only 6:30
- Feb. 8- 6th-8th grade Vicariate Snowball dance; 6:30-8:30 pm in Parish Hall
- Feb. 11- Boys Basketball Game at St. Mary St. Clair, JV 6:30, Varsity 7:30
- Feb. 13- Boys Basketball Game at IC, JV 6:30, Varsity 7:30
- Feb 19- **For Parents- Internet Safety Presentation, 6:30 pm, Parish Hall**
- Mar 19- **Active Shooter Info. Night for Parents with Chief Teske, 6:30 pm, Parish Hall**

