



# BULLETIN

## ST. FRANCIS OF ASSISI SCHOOL

### November 6, 2009

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206-243-5690

#### **DROP OFF AND PICK UP FROM SCHOOL**

We are receiving complaints from our neighbors about the amount of cars dropping children off in front of the church, parish offices and handi-mart. Please use the parking lot or carpool to drop off and pick up your children from school. We are very concerned about safety and would like everyone to conform to the same rules. Thank you!

#### **USED UNIFORM COLLECTION**

Our used uniform Fall drive begins Monday, 11/16. If you have any used uniforms, please bag them and drop them off in the blue bins located just inside the front doors to the school office or in EDP. Last day to donate at these locations will be Wednesday, 11/25. If you have donations after this date, please contact Shannon Hilton at 206.261.0608 to schedule a pick up or you may donate them during our Winter drive which will be held in mid January.

**Lost & Found will be picked up on 11/25 at 3:30pm**, please take time to stop in before then and check for your lost items. **PLEASE NOTE:** Lost & Finds are located in the upstairs hall closet and EDP. The gym (presently closed and empty) and EDP.

#### **FIRST RECONCILIATION & EUCHARIST**

Parents of all second graders who wish their child(ren) to receive First Reconciliation and First Holy Eucharist will be meeting in Unity Place on November 9, at 7:00 P.M. Please return the Application for First Holy Eucharist form, along with any requested supplemental documents, and the \$30 sacramental preparation fee to the parish office before that meeting. Contact Cheryl Brooten at 206 242-4575, email [cbrooten@stfoa.org](mailto:cbrooten@stfoa.org) for further information.

#### **PICTURE RETAKE DAY**

Picture retakes will be next **Thursday, November 12<sup>th</sup>**. If you had pictures taken in October, please bring your original picture packet with you. If you haven't had your picture taken, please bring your order form.

#### **ST. FRANCIS HOLIDAY BAZAAR**

Join us Saturday November 21st from 9:00 am to 4 pm for our Annual Holiday Bazaar. There are lots of creative crafts, gifts, art and delicious food to enjoy while you shop for the holidays. Easy fundraising hours are available if you would like to help with set-up & clean-up. Please call Suzanne Loiseau at (206) 824-5319 if you can help.

#### **CHECK YOUR CHILD'S CLOTHES LABELS**

Please check your children's clothing labels and make sure they haven't taken someone else's clothes home.

#### **SWEATSHIRT & CLINGS FOR SALE**

SWEATSHIRT \$20/VESTS \$30/COATS \$40/STFOA Clings For Sale: \$4 each

Date: Monday, November 9<sup>th</sup>, Time: Before and After School

Where: Earthquake Bin, near Kindergarten classrooms

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### WREATH SALE

Wreath Sale order forms are coming home in today's family envelope. **THIS IS THE LAST CHANCE TO ORDER.** Orders are due on **Monday, November 9<sup>th</sup>**. Thank you!

### DANCE ON SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 7TH

The Aviation / Highline High School Band is hosting a USO-Themed dance. It will be on Saturday, November 7, 2009 from 7:00pm to 10:00pm in the Highline High School Cafeteria. Tickets are \$8.00 and can be ordered through Devin Tegelberg, 206.243.5699. Come dance the night away and help support the Band Program. This fundraiser helps pay for Uniforms and Band Trips etc...and it's fun too!

### THE NATIVITY - ADVENT PROGRAM

Advent Program try-outs are next week! Try-outs will be held during lunch recesses in Vice-Principal/Counseling Office Nov. 9-13. Please join us if you would like to be a part of this incredible celebration.

### CHILDCARE OVER CHRISTMAS

Looking for childcare over the Christmas Holiday? Licensed drop-in and part time care available for \$5 per hour per child. Contact Nancy McHenry Dirks - parent of a new college student. (206)935-6777.

### REMEMBER IN NOVEMBER!

Join in the November Class Procurement Challenge! Secure your auction donations and turn in your procurement forms today to win!

### KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS EVENTS

Join us for the Back to School Breakfast on Sunday, November 8th after both Masses. As always, we welcome any parents who are looking for service hours. Volunteers can contact Ken Devos at [ken.devos@comcast.net](mailto:ken.devos@comcast.net) or 206-248-2543. Kitchen help and cleanup after the second breakfast are always needed.

### MOM'S CONNECTION

Are you a mother of young children and looking for a place where you can get together with other moms for support, encouragement, advice or just a break? The St. Francis Mom's Connection is the place for you! While mothers listen to guest speakers, enjoy crafts or take part in activities, their children learn, play and have fun in separate rooms with excellent childcare providers. We are a group of mothers with young children who come together to support and enrich each other in an environment of friendship, fun and service. Our meetings are the first and third Tuesday of the month from 9:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. and are held in Unity Place. Our guest speaker on November 17 is from the breast cancer awareness organization "Check Your Boobies." This was a popular speaker last year and is back by popular demand to share information with the women of our parish and school. Also, Mom's Connection is asking for donated baked goods for the bake sale at the bazaar on November 21. If you are interested in donating, please contact Coleen Auxier at [coleen730@gmail.com](mailto:coleen730@gmail.com).

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### CYO NEWS

**CYO is currently recruiting new referees ages 16 and over for the upcoming basketball season.** The free training for referees will be held on November 8<sup>th</sup> from 7:00-8:30 PM at St. Luke in Shoreline. Questions: contact Scott Bailey at [ScottB2@seattlearch.org](mailto:ScottB2@seattlearch.org).

**THANK YOU to our soccer coaches, Mick Purdy, Rich Robles, Craig Ueland, Rob Hall, Larry Shoemaker, Lawrence Feil, Tonya MacQuarrie, and John MacQuarrie** for being terrific role models and coaches for our CYO soccer teams! Our 8<sup>th</sup> grade girls made it into the playoffs, the 4<sup>th</sup> grade girls went undefeated in the southeast division, the 4<sup>th</sup> grade boys improved tremendously, and our 1<sup>st</sup> grade coed team had a very positive introduction to the game of soccer and Play Like a Champion athletics. **THANK YOU to Chris Aley** who helps orchestrate the details of our soccer program. And thank you to the parents for supporting your children and being positive representatives of St. Francis.

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### ALTAR SERVERS FOR WEEK OF November 7<sup>th</sup>:

Saturday –		Abby DeTuerk, Nikki Macias, Karlee McCarroll, Cat Carroll
Sunday –	8:00am	Kyle Hinton, Emma McClean, Peter Herold, Audrey Herold
	10:00am	Monique Wenner, Randy Schmidt, Paul Schumacher, Megan Wenner
Monday –		Abby DeTuerk, Nils Gollersrud
Tuesday –		Tanner Beard, Nathan Gordon
Wednesday		Communion Service
Thursday –		Peter Herold, Layne McNair
Friday –		Nikki Macias, Brogan Meyers