



Catholic Schools Walk

Catholic Schools Walk is an annual fundraising walk geared towards building community within our Catholic schools, celebrating Catholic education and helping all of the Catholic schools within the Archdiocese raise money to support educational costs. All proceeds raised at our school are kept within the school; that means 100% of the money raised comes to our school! Our goal this year is to raise \$9,000! We know we can do it. We currently have raised \$1,731! Money raised will be used for the following:

- Reduce the cost of field trips. Bussing costs have almost tripled since last year. To reduce the burden on families, money raised from the Catholic Schools Walk will be used to help pay for buses.
- Playground equipment and improvements, such as new game equipment, structure repairs and/or replacement.
- Outdoor reflection area and outdoor classroom seating, additions to the area such as whiteboards.
- Technology for classrooms, such as new chromebooks, tablets, and laptops.

For each level achieved towards our fundraising goal, students will earn an incentive. Check out these cool incentives:

\$750 - Crazy hat, crazy hair, crazy dress and crazy shoe day!- Whoot whoot earned!

\$1,500 - Movie, Slushie and Popcorn Bar- Whoot whoot earned!

\$3,000 - Chalk the Lot- draw and cover the parking lot with chalk

\$6,000 - Mad Scientist Day - Dress like a mad scientist and participate in STEM activities and science experiments

\$9,000 - Student "YES" Day- students choice day for activities, lunch, and many more surprises!

Help us reach our goals by texting **SCHOOLSWALK12** to **71777** or at <https://fundraise.givesmart.com/vf/SCHOOLSWALK/team/DivineMercy> Thank you for generously supporting our fabulous Catholic School!

Don't forget to join us for our [Rollin' for Soles](#) fundraiser tomorrow! If you can not bowl, drop in to South Shore Bowl to purchase some raffle tickets for one of the many amazing prizes including tickets to Sipply Divine, pizza party for your class, and Principal for the day!

Bake Sale

On Friday, October 27, 2023 we will be having a bake sale to help raise money for the Catholic Schools walk. Students will be able to purchase items that range in price from 50 cents to \$1.

Pie Mrs. Rucka

On Friday, November 17, 2023 students will have the opportunity to throw a pie at Mrs. Rucka for \$1! All proceeds will go to the Catholic Schools Walk. For \$20, students will get 20 small, individual pies and one large pie!

Parent-Teacher Conferences

[Parent teacher conferences](#) will be held on Wednesday and Thursday, October 18 and 19 from 4:00-7:00 pm. Conferences will be held in your child's classroom. Conferences are a time to check in on the progress of

students, address areas of growth and/or concerns, and to ask questions. **Students are not required to attend conferences.** Conferences will be 15 minutes in length. Please sign up using the link below for a time with your child's teacher.

Pumpkin Farm

On Friday, October 27, 2023 all students will participate in our [Pumpkin Farm](#) at school. Students will have the opportunity to pick a pumpkin, do some crafts and games, enjoy a spooky snack and even go to a haunted classroom! The cost of the pumpkin farm is \$7. Money will need to be sent to the school office by Wednesday, October 25, 2023. Parent volunteers are needed to help with this amazing event. If you are interested, and have taken Safeguarding God's with a completed background check, please sign up on the link below.

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/60B044EABAB29AAFC1-45211783-pumpkin>

Trunk or Treat

Join us for Trunk or Treat on Friday, October 27, 2023 from 5:00-6:30 p.m.! School families may reserve a space to decorate their car and hand out candy/treats or just come on down for some trick or treating fun! Food will be for sale as well. Please see the [flyer](#) for information and [link](#) to reserve your space!

All Saints Day

Wednesday, November 1, 2023 is All Saints Day. Students may dress up as a saint of their choice on this day. Be sure to join us for Mass and afterwards to see the 4th and 5th grade students in their Saint museum!

Picture Retake

Picture retake day will be on Thursday, November 2, 2023. If you would like to have your child's picture retaken or you didn't have a picture taken, he/she may be out of uniform for this day. Students who played soccer this fall may wear their soccer shirts with a uniform bottom. Basketball photos will be taken in January.

Important Dates

10/14- Rollin' for Soles Family Bowling event (see flyer for details)
10/18-10/19 - Parent Teacher Conferences
10/20 - No school
10/27 - Pumpkin Farm & Bake Sale
10/27- Trunk or Treat (see flyer)
10/31 - Halloween Parties
11/2 - Picture Retake

Attachments

- [Rollin' for Soles](#)
- [Parent Teacher Conferences](#)
- [Trunk or Treat Sign Up](#)
- [Catholic Schools Walk - Line our hallway with shoes!](#)
- [Pumpkin Farm Flyer](#)
- [Adult Sacramento Information Meeting](#)