



Pacelli Post

Educating the Heart and Mind

October 19, 2022

Cardinal Pacelli School's Mission

Cardinal Pacelli, parish school of Our Lord Christ the King, is driven by Christian values, committed to academic excellence, strengthened by a nurturing community and dedicated to educating both the heart and mind, while serving the Lord.



Mrs. Cento's Weekly Message

Arrival/Drop Off at street level could improve if once your vehicle has stopped along the sidewalk, your child(ren) should exit your car. We have adult supervision for them to safely walk along the sidewalk and then proceed to the driveway. Waiting until your car gets to the drive does slow the drop off line. I know we can improve on this going forward. Preparing your children ahead of time with getting their seatbelts undone and their school materials in hand when approaching, will also improve this process.

Dismissal Pickup is going very well in the school lot. The children have now become accustomed to where you may be parked and everyone seems to have developed a plan. The cars are usually out of the school parking lot by 2:37 PM. For those who will continue to park on the street for pickup, students will be dismissed with the group of walkers. We still have vehicles parking too close to the corner and stop signs at Ellison and Nash. It has been reported to me that some of the busses and cars coming from the school lot are still having a difficult time making the turn as we have some large SUV's parking too close to the corner. I know we can improve upon this.

Brrrrrrr With the weather dipping into the 30's and 40's, please encourage your children to dress appropriately. We have had many young children coming to school without even a lightweight jacket. They go outside for recess twice each day and the teachers get concerned when it is in the 40's without some form of outerwear.

Cooler weather means clothing changes. Through the remainder of October, students can continue to wear navy blue uniform shorts or on PE days their Pacelli school PE shorts. Beginning on November 1st, shorts can no longer be worn. Students will either wear their navy blue uniform pants, or if it is a PE day, solid navy or black sweat pants or the spiritwear athletic pants with the Panther logo. Tights and leggings for all students in grades K – 8 will follow the same colors as the socks – solid white, navy or black.

Spiritwear can only be worn on designated days within the classroom but feel free to wear it to and from school and at recess. With the weather getting cooler, I know there are some very nice spiritwear outerwear choices.

SafeParish Compliance Thank you to everyone who has either registered for SafeParish or has completed the process. All volunteers, including coaches for our athletic teams, must be compliant according to the Archdiocese of Cincinnati Safe Environment Office. Please [CLICK HERE](#) for the steps to take to get yourself registered through SafeParish or to update your SafeParish account. Use the passcode "protectcincy".

Grandparents and Special Persons Day will be held on Friday, October 21st from 8:15 – 10:45 AM. Currently we have 120 families who have RSVP'd to attend Mass at 8:15 AM. We will set up additional chairs in the Welcome Area for the overflow where the Mass will be streamed. The other activities to enjoy with Grandparents/Special Persons beginning at 8:15 AM are classroom and school tours given by your children, visiting the Book Fair in the Parish Center, a photo booth, and refreshments in the gym.

Parent/Teacher Conferences are scheduled for Monday, November 7 from 9:00 AM – 6:00 PM. These will be in-person. Please [CLICK HERE](#) to schedule a ten-minute conference time with your child's homeroom teacher and/or with their Special's teacher.

Luke, the writer of the Gospel and the Acts of the Apostles, has been identified with St. Paul's "Luke, the beloved physician" (Colossians 4:14). We know few other facts about Luke's life from Scripture and from early Church historians. We celebrate his feast day on October 18th.

"For where your treasure is, there also will your heart be." ~ Luke 12:34
Joyfully in Christ,

Mrs. Terri Cento



Breast Cancer Awareness

Breast Cancer Awareness Month On October 26, 2022 please bring in \$3 if you wish to participate in "On Wednesday We Wear Pink Day!" On Wednesday, October 26th, you can be out of uniform in pink clothing and tasteful accessories. October is Breast Cancer

Awareness Month and the color that represents that is pink. Therefore, we will wear pink to show our awareness. Please bring in your donation beginning as early as October 13th and as late as October 26th. All donations will go to **The Foundation, Pink Ribbon Girls**. This event is sponsored by Cardinal Pacelli School Student Council.

Cardinal Pacelli Athletics Booster Club – Register Now!

The Cardinal Pacelli Athletic Commission would like to invite you to become an inaugural member in our new Cardinal Pacelli Athletics Booster Club. There are many ways to support Cardinal Pacelli Athletics throughout the year, however we're looking to consolidate our traditionally many fundraising events into one program designed to have enduring impact. Your support of Cardinal Pacelli Athletics will help deliver our children an amazing extra-curricular experience, while also allowing you and your family to be recognized for your support of our amazing school and parish. We are standing up this booster club, in partnership with our current Pacelli Athletic Commission, to achieve the following:

Goals of program:

- Provide our Cardinal Pacelli athletes and coaches with the cutting-edge equipment and uniforms
- Streamline fundraising efforts into a once-a-year program to bolster Cardinal Pacelli athletics at the beginning of each school year
- Reward booster club members with unique benefits to promote school spirit!

Booster Tiers:

Panther Level (\$150)

- Family admission pass for Fall, Winter, and Spring sports
- Booster club car magnet
- 1 Cardinal Pacelli winter hat/beanie
- Name on banner at gym entrance

King Level (\$500)

- All Panther level membership benefits
- 5 - \$10 Cardinal Pacelli gym concession stand vouchers
- 1 Cardinal Pacelli Yeti tumbler
- 1 Additional Cardinal Pacelli winter hat/beanie
- Name on banner on gym wall

How to become a booster club member (Deadline is November 4th):

1. Use this link to register <https://www.wesharegiving.org/app/giving/WeShare-2609>
2. Click "Home" on the top left
3. Scroll down and find the "Cardinal Pacelli Athletics" logo
4. Select fund "Cardinal Pacelli Athletics"
5. Enter \$500 or \$150, depending on the desired Booster Tier (Please note that this is a free form text box, so please enter \$150, \$500 or any additional amount in this box)
6. Complete payment information

Note: All donations will remain in the Cardinal Pacelli Athletic Commission bank account and requires a vote from the Athletic Commission to repurpose.

On behalf of the Cardinal Pacelli Athletics Commission, thank you for your continued investment in our children and Cardinal Pacelli Athletics. Should you have any questions or concerns, please contact Cory Ondo (coryondo@yahoo.com) – AC President, or David Houston (ccd.houston@gmail.com) – AC Vice President/Booster Chair.

Scholastic Book Fair

We are very excited to welcome all of our Grandparents and Special Friends to shop at the Scholastic Book Fair.

To help alleviate crowds in the Parish Center, we ask that you shop during a specified time.

- **If your student's last name starts with A through H, please consider visiting from 9:15 am to 10:00 am.**
- **If your student's last name starts with I through Q, please consider visiting from 9:45 am to 10:30 am.**
- **If your student's last name starts with R through Z, please consider visiting from 10:15 am to 11:00 am.**

There will be parent volunteers in the book fair starting at 8 am, if that is a better time for you to visit.

<https://bookfairs.scholastic.com/bf/cardinalpacellischool1>

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/60b0c49a8ac22a7fc1-scholastic2>

Grandparents and Special Persons Day

Friday, October 21, 2022

8:15-10:45am

Guests that have RSVP'd **YES** to mass please meet your student(s) in the Atrium of the church

*There are over 100 families that have RSVP'd YES for mass. There will be no reserved seating. It is first come first serve, and there will be overflow seating in the Atrium with Live mass on the TV.

*Preschoolers and Pre-K Children will not go to mass

Guests that have RSVP'd **NO** to mass please go the OLDEST student's classroom, then get the younger students from their rooms

*There will be volunteers to help direct you to the classrooms

Everyone will have a chance to visit classrooms/tour school and have refreshments in the gym with live entertainment by students and art work displayed. There will also be a book fair and photo booth.

Please return children back to classroom by 10:45am dismissal

ALL Guests must park at Mount Lookout Swim Club or on side streets. Parking in the school parking lot is for guests that require special assistance.

Free shuttle transportation will be provided by the PTO and available at Mt. Lookout Swim club
3605 Totten Ave. Cincinnati, OH 45226

*Please contact mecwartz@gmail.com if you have any questions.

LUNCH MENU

Reminder - All lunch orders MUST be placed before 8:00 a.m. to guarantee a lunch is available for your child!!

OCTOBER LUNCH MENU

Dates to Remember

- October 21 - Grandparents' Day
- October 26 - On Wednesday We Wear Pink Day - \$3 Donation
- October 31 - Ghoulish Games



Grandparents' Day Mass – October 21

We look forward to welcoming Grandparents and Special Persons to the 8:15 am on Friday.

Mission Sunday is October 23

We will take up a second collection on **October 22** and **23** for World Mission Sunday. Pope Francis invites the entire Church to support mission dioceses where priests, religious and lay leaders serve the world's most vulnerable communities. Please keep the Pope's missions and this collection for the Society for the Propagation of the Faith in your prayers.



St. Vincent de Paul Fall Food Drive – October 29-30

Our **Community Outreach Commission** together with our **St. Vincent de Paul conference** is sponsoring its annual Fall Drive for Food & Personal Care Items the weekend of **Oct. 29-30**. Please bring in a shopping bag full of the following food items: peanut butter, healthy vegetable cooking oils, spices or salt and pepper, tea bags and coffee, sugar and flour, cake mix and frosting, dishwashing detergent, Stove Top Stuffing, pork & beans, peas, soups, mac & cheese, can openers. All personal care items including feminine hygiene products, and toiletries. SVDP Volunteers will be at all Masses to assist you placing your donations in the truck. Donations will be given to St. Vincent de Paul in OTR. Please make checks out to St. Vincent de Paul. Thank you for your generosity.

All Saints' Day – November 1

Masses on Tuesday, November 1 will be at **8:15 am** and **6:30 pm**. It is a holy day of obligation.

Reminders about Upcoming Events

Fair Trade Coffee: will be on sale October 29-30

Coat Drive: Do you have a coat in good condition that you are no longer using? The SVDP Coat Drive will take place in November, so start gathering your gently used coats today!

Turkeys: It's almost TURKEY TIME! Donations of frozen turkeys will again happen in early November! More details to follow!

Fall Open House at Cardinal Pacelli

Friday, November 4, 2022

9:30 - 11:00 am

Informational session in The Cross and Crown Atrium followed by a school tour.

[RSVP Here](#)

Please help us spread the word! Questions? Please contact our Enrollment Coordinator, **Julie Florio** at admissions@cardinalpacelli.org

We are Searching for a Few Good Women and Men! JuneFest Needs YOU!

One of the most rewarding experiences of service you will have at the Christ the King is to be a part of JuneFest! Not only will you connect with amazing people, but you'll be at the heart of a beloved community tradition! More than a fundraiser, JuneFest is a chance to come together as a parish family for a few days of fun and fellowship. We are looking for couples/individuals to be a part of the **JuneFest Team**. Parish staff will assist you through the preplanning and event weekend. Planning starts at the beginning of 2023. Please reach out to **Rachel Worley** at worley_r@olctk.org or **Alisa Fisher** at fisher_a@olctk.org to learn more.

News & Events at Our Family of Parishes

Our Family of Parishes includes Our Lord Christ the King, Holy Cross-Immaculata, St. Francis de

Sales, St. Rose, and St. Stephen. As we make strides towards partnership with our sister parishes, we want to make it easier for you to stay informed about opportunities, news and events in the Family 8 of the South Deanery. Please visit this [page](#) to see what is happening.

High School Information

St. Ursula Academy

St. Xavier

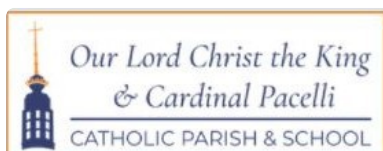
McNicholas High School

Mount Notre Dame

Ursuline Academy

Purcell Marian

Mercy McAuley



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