



# SAS Upcoming Events



Week of December 5<sup>th</sup> - 9<sup>th</sup>

## Sunday, December 4<sup>th</sup>

- Second Sunday of Advent

*In this Advent of expectation draw us together in unity, that our praise and worship might echo in these walls and also through our lives. In this Advent of expectation draw us together in mission, that the hope within might be the song we sing, and the melody of our lives. In this Advent of expectation draw us together in service, that the path we follow might lead us from a stable to a glimpse of eternity.*

## Monday, December 5<sup>th</sup>

- Happy Birthday, Mrs. Baker!

## Tuesday, December 6<sup>th</sup>

- Confession for the following classes:
- 8S at 10:00am
- 8B at 10:30am
- 7G at 1:00pm
- 7N at 1:30pm

## Thursday, December 8<sup>th</sup>

- Feast of the Immaculate Conception Main Church at 9:15am sponsored by 2M
- Staff Retreat

## Friday, December 9<sup>th</sup>

- Confession for the following classes:
- 6G at 10:00am
- 6S at 10:30am
- 5A at 1:00pm
- 5T at 1:30pm
- Field Trip: 2F to the Saroyan Theater
- Field Trip: 2M to Sierra Bowl
- No Friday Mass

Week of December 12<sup>th</sup>-16<sup>th</sup>

## Sunday, December 11<sup>th</sup>

- Third Sunday in Advent

## Monday, December 12<sup>th</sup>

- Happy Birthday, Mrs. Wills!
- Feast of Our Lady of Guadalupe

### **Tuesday, December 13<sup>th</sup>**

- Confession for the following classes:
- 3B at 10:00am
- 3A at 10:30am
- 4C at 1:00pm
- 4S at 1:30pm
- Christmas Programs as follows:
- 6:00pm show with 2,4,6 and 8B
- 7:00pm show with 3.5.7 and 8S

### **Wednesday, December 14<sup>th</sup>**

- Christmas show for Kindergarten and First grade at 12:00pm

### **Thursday, December 15<sup>th</sup>**

- Happy Birthday, Coach Tyler!
- 5T & 5A to Catholic Charities

### **Friday, December 16<sup>th</sup>**

- School Mass at 8:45am sponsored by 3B
- Minimum Day 12:30 Dismissal
- NO CAMPUS CARE ( Staff Luncheon)
- Office Closes at 1:00pm

### **SAS School Prayer Line**

Prayers requested for: Anne Sondergaard, grandmother of Nicole and Jack Smittcamp. She is currently receiving chemotherapy treatments and is now also fighting a severe case of shingles. Please keep her and her family in your prayers.

Prayers for Mr. Jim Monreal, SJM Principal, as he heals.

Prayers are being requested the repose of the soul of Harriet Ray. She passed away on Thanksgiving Day. She was the grandmother of John Cullins (2016), Katherine O'Neill (2016), Bella Ray (2016), Ashley and Emily Cullins (2018), Joe Ray (2018) and Juliana Ray (2021). Prayers for the needs of all SAS families.

### **Past Flyers in Tuesday Packet (dates indicate what packet item was published in)**

- Yearly Thursday/Friday Hot Lunch Order form (8-16-16)
- Snack Shack Needs Volunteers (8-16-16)
- Electronics Recycling All Year (8-16-16)
- Spring Board Fall 2016 (8-23-16)
- Bible Study Flyer (8-30-16)
- Yearbook Photos (9-13-16)
- Cub and Boy Scouts (9-27-16)
- Mom's Club (9-27-16)

Dear St. Anthony Parents and Guardians,

St. Anthony School is searching for a principal for the 2017-2018 school year and beyond. A principal search committee has been established. The committee members are:

Monsignor Rob Wenzinger	Pastor
Mona Faulkner	Superintendent of Catholic Schools
Janet DaSilva	Advisory Board President / teacher
Patrick Dodd	Principal of OLPH
Zetta Hadden	Advisory Board Member
Doug Sampson	Advisory Board Treasurer / CPA
Kara Smith	Past Advisory Board President / teacher

Msgr. Rob appointed Janet DaSilva as the board president to be the chair on the search committee.

We will be posting the position on [ncea.org](http://ncea.org) on Monday, December 5. Our hope is to have candidates ready to interview at the end of January 2017. God willing, we hope to announce our new principal before the middle of April.

You can help by spreading the word to anyone you know who is a practicing Catholic with experience in education who may be interested in the position.

Thank you and please pray for our school, our search committee, and our new principal.



# Advent Calendar 2016



SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
<p><b>November 27</b></p> <p><b>28</b></p> <p><a href="#">Bless</a> your Advent wreath. Light one of the violet candles marking the season's first week as you sing a verse of "O Come, O Come, Emmanuel."</p>	<p><b>28</b></p> <p>Consider adding a Jesse tree, depicting the relationship of Jesus with his ancestor Jesse, to your family's Advent traditions. Learn about <a href="#">Jesse trees</a>.</p>	<p><b>29</b></p> <p>Today is "Giving Tuesday," a global day of giving fueled by social media and collaboration. Consider a gift to one of the <a href="#">national collections</a> that support the Church's works of social justice, evangelization, and education.</p>	<p><b>30</b></p> <p>On this Feast of St. Andrew the Apostle, contemplate the "<a href="#">Great Call of Apostleship</a>."</p>	<p><b>December 1</b></p> <p><b>2</b></p> <p>"Today is the World Day for the battle against HIV/AIDS. We <a href="#">express our closeness</a> to all people whom it has affected, especially children." (Pope Francis, Dec. 1, 2013)</p>	<p><b>2</b></p> <p>"What is the meaning of 'Prepare the way of the Lord'? It means: make ready for the reception of whatever Christ may wish to do." (St. Cyril of Alexandria, Commentary on Luke, 6)</p>	<p><b>3</b></p> <p>On this feast day of the great missionary St. Francis Xavier, read about how each baptized Catholic is called <a href="#">to be a missionary disciple of Christ</a>, to proclaim the love of God they have experienced.</p>
<p><b>4</b></p> <p>Light the second violet candle on your Advent wreath. Pray the Rosary and meditate on the <a href="#">Joyful Mysteries</a> with your family.</p>	<p><b>5</b></p> <p>"If we love God and our brothers and sisters, we walk in the light; but if our heart is closed . . . then darkness falls within and around us." (Pope Francis, Dec. 24, 2013)</p>	<p><b>6</b></p> <p>On this feast of St. Nicholas, the 4th century bishop known for his abundant generosity to the poor, <a href="#">pray for an end to global poverty</a>.</p>	<p><b>7</b></p> <p>Today we remember St. Ambrose who once wrote, "Nothing graces the Christian soul so much as mercy—mercy as shown chiefly toward the poor." (St. Ambrose, <i>On the Duties of Clergy</i>, 1.11.38)</p>	<p><b>8</b></p> <p>On this Solemnity of the Immaculate Conception, reflect on St. Augustine's words: "Mary is more blessed in receiving the faith of Christ, than in conceiving the flesh of Christ." (St. Augustine, <i>On Holy Virginity</i>, 3)</p>	<p><b>9</b></p> <p>Today we remember St. Juan Diego, to whom Our Lady of Guadalupe appeared in the 16th century in what is now Mexico. <a href="#">Pray to him</a> today for the protection of migrants.</p>	<p><b>10</b></p> <p>On this day in 1948, the United Nations General Assembly adopted the Universal Declaration of Human Rights. Read about <a href="#">Catholic social teaching</a> on human rights and responsibilities.</p>
<p><b>11</b></p> <p>On this <i>Gaudete</i> (Rejoice) Sunday, light the third (rose-colored) candle on your Advent wreath, and give generously to the <a href="#">collection for retired religious</a>.</p>	<p><b>12</b></p> <p>"On this Feast of Our Lady of Guadalupe, let us . . . gratefully remember her visit and maternal closeness . . . and <a href="#">let us entrust the life our peoples</a> and the continental mission of the Church to her." (Pope Francis, Dec. 12, 2014)</p>	<p><b>13</b></p> <p>Today is the feast day of St. Lucy, who suffered martyrdom during the Diocletian persecution. She is mentioned by name in the Roman Canon and is best known as the patron saint of the blind.</p>	<p><b>14</b></p> <p>"On the evening of life, we shall be judged on our love," wrote St. John of the Cross, a founder of a Carmelite order known for his poetry and mystical writings, whose feast day is today (Dichos, no. 64).</p>	<p><b>15</b></p> <p>"Exceeding gently, the finger of your justice, in love and compassion, touches the wounds of one who is to be healed" (St. Ephrem of Syria, Nisibene Hymns, 11.4). <a href="#">Pray today</a> for the people of war-torn Syria.</p>	<p><b>16</b></p> <p>Today, many Central &amp; Latin American countries begin to celebrate <i>Las Posadas</i>—reenactments of the Holy Family's journey to Bethlehem. <a href="#">Learn more</a> about this and other cultural Advent traditions.</p>	<p><b>17</b></p> <p>Today, begin including the "<a href="#">O Antiphons</a>," which accompany the <i>Magnificat</i> canticle of Evening Prayer from December 17-23, as part of your table or bedtime prayers.</p>
<p><b>18</b></p> <p>Light the final candle on your Advent wreath and assemble and <a href="#">bless the family crèche</a>. Remember to hide the baby Jesus figure until Christmas!</p>	<p><b>19</b></p> <p>"For the great human family it is always necessary to rediscover the common horizon toward which we are journeying. The horizon of <a href="#">hope</a>!" (Pope Francis, Dec. 1, 2013)</p>	<p><b>20</b></p> <p>"Surely in her heart she said to the baby in her womb: 'Come, I want to see your face, for they have told me you will be great!'" (Pope Francis, Dec. 23, 2013). Meditate today on the <a href="#">birth story of Jesus</a>.</p>	<p><b>21</b></p> <p>Today is the feast day of St. Peter Canisius, a renowned Jesuit preacher and Doctor of the Church. In his memory, <a href="#">pray today</a> for vocations to the priesthood and religious life.</p>	<p><b>22</b></p> <p>"With your honorable conduct and your irrepachable deeds, prepare the Lord's way, smooth out his path so that the Word of God may act in you without hindrance." (Origen, Homilies on Luke, 21)</p>	<p><b>23</b></p> <p>Today we remember St. John of Kanty, a Polish priest whose personal devotion and humility were examples to all who knew him. Contemplate the virtue of <a href="#">humility</a> in your prayer today.</p>	<p><b>24</b></p> <p>"This is how <a href="#">the liturgy of this holy Christmas night</a> presents to us the birth of the Savior: as the light that pierces and dispels the deepest darkness." (Pope Francis, Dec. 24, 2014)</p>



# Calendario de Adviento 2016



DOMINGO	LUNES	MARTES	MIÉRCOLES	JUEVES	VIERNES	SÁBADO
<p><b>noviembre 27</b></p> <p>Bendice tu corona de Adviento. Enciende una de las velas color violeta para marcar la primera semana de este tiempo mientras cantas una estrofa de “O Ven, O Ven, Emmanuel.”</p>	<p><b>28</b></p> <p>Considera agregar a tu tradición familiar de Adviento un árbol de Jesé para representar la relación de Jesús con su antepasado Jesé. Aprende más acerca de los árboles de Jesé.</p>	<p><b>29</b></p> <p>Hoy es <i>Giving Tuesday</i> (martes para dar), que es un día mundial para donar promovido por las redes sociales y la colaboración. Considera donar a alguna de las colectas nacionales que apoyan la labor de la Iglesia en la justicia social, la evangelización y la educación.</p>	<p><b>30</b></p> <p>En esta Fiesta de san Andrés Apóstol, piensa en el “Gran Llamado al Apostolado” (Mt 28:19-20).</p>	<p><b>diciembre 1</b></p> <p>“Hoy es la Jornada mundial de lucha contra el hiv/sida. Expresamos nuestra cercanía a las personas afectadas, en especial a los niños”. (Pope Francis, 1 de diciembre de 2013)</p>	<p><b>2</b></p> <p>“¿Cuál es el significado de ‘Preparen el camino del Señor’? Significa: alístense para la recepción de lo que Cristo pueda desear hacer”. (San Cirilo de Alejandría, Comentario sobre Lucas, 6)</p>	<p><b>3</b></p> <p>En este día de la fiesta del gran misionero san Francisco Javier, lee acerca de cómo cada católico bautizado está llamado a <a href="#">ser un discípulo misionero de Cristo</a>, a proclamar el amor de Dios que él o ella ha experimentado.</p>
<p><b>4</b></p> <p>Enciende la segunda vela color violeta en tu corona de Adviento. Reza el Rosario y, junto con tu familia, medita acerca de los Misterios Gozosos.</p>	<p><b>5</b></p> <p>“Si amamos a Dios y a los hermanos, caminamos en la luz, pero si nuestro corazón se cierra . . . entonces las tinieblas nos rodean por dentro y por fuera.” (Papa Francisco 24 de diciembre de 2013)</p>	<p><b>6</b></p> <p>En esta fiesta de san Nicolás, el obispo del siglo IV conocido por su abundante generosidad hacia los pobres, <a href="#">ora para erradicar la pobreza en el mundo</a>.</p>	<p><b>7</b></p> <p>Hoy recordamos a san Ambrosio quien una vez escribió: “Nada embellece tanto el alma cristiana como la misericordia, la misericordia como se muestra principalmente hacia los pobres”. (San Ambrosio, <i>Sobre los deberes del clero</i>, 1.11.38)</p>	<p><b>8</b></p> <p>En esta Solemnidad de la Inmaculada Concepción, reflexiona sobre las palabras de san Agustín: “María es más bendita al recibir la fe de Cristo, que al concebir la carne de Cristo”. (San Agustín, <i>Sobre la santa virginidad</i>, 3)</p>	<p><b>9</b></p> <p>Hoy recordamos a san Juan Diego, a quien Nuestra Señora de Guadalupe se le apareció en el siglo XVI en lo que hoy es México. Hoy rézale a él por la protección de los migrantes.</p>	<p><b>10</b></p> <p>En este día, en 1948, la Asamblea General de las Naciones Unidas adoptó la Declaración Universal de los Derechos Humanos. Lee acerca de las <a href="#">enseñanzas sociales católicas</a> acerca de los derechos humanos y las responsabilidades.</p>
<p><b>11</b></p> <p>En este domingo Gaudete (de regocijo), enciende la tercera vela (rosada) de tu corona de Adviento y contribuye generosamente a la colecta para los religiosos jubilados.</p>	<p><b>12</b></p> <p>“En esta festividad de Nuestra Señora de Guadalupe, hacemos . . . memoria agradecida de su visitación y cercanía materna; y <a href="#">le confiamos la vida de nuestros pueblos</a> y la misión continental de la Iglesia”. (Papa Francisco, 12 de diciembre de 2014)</p>	<p><b>13</b></p> <p>Hoy es el día de fiesta de santa Lucía, quien sufrió un martirio durante la persecución de Diocleciano. A ella se le menciona por nombre en el Canon Romano y es más conocida como la santa patrona de los ciegos.</p>	<p><b>14</b></p> <p>“En el ocaso de nuestra vida seremos juzgados en el amor”, escribió san Juan de la Cruz, fundador de una orden Carmelita y conocido por sus escritos poéticos y místicos y cuya fiesta se celebra hoy (Dichos, no. 64).</p>	<p><b>15</b></p> <p>“Con suavidad suma, el dedo de tu justicia, en amor y compasión, toca las heridas de aquel que ha de ser curado” (San Efrén de Siria, Himnos Nisibianos, 11.4). <a href="#">Ora hoy</a> por el pueblo de Siria, destrozado por la guerra.</p>	<p><b>16</b></p> <p>Hoy, en muchos países de América Latina se empiezan a celebrar Las Posadas—recreando el viaje de la Sagrada Familia a Belén. <a href="#">Aprende más</a> acerca de esto y de otras tradiciones culturales de Adviento.</p>	<p><b>17</b></p> <p>Hoy, empieza a incluir las “Antifonas O”, que acompañan al cantico Magnificat de la Oración Vespertina del 17 al 23 de diciembre, como parte de tu oración antes de cenar o de acostarte.</p>
<p><b>18</b></p> <p>Enciende la última vela de tu corona de Adviento y arma y bendice el nacimiento o pesebre de la familia. ¡Recuerda que no debes colocar al Niño Jesús hasta el día de Navidad!</p>	<p><b>19</b></p> <p>“De la misma manera para la gran familia humana es necesario renovar siempre el horizonte común hacia el cual estamos encaminados. ¡El horizonte de la <a href="#">esperanza!</a>” (1 de diciembre de 2013)</p>	<p><b>20</b></p> <p>“Y ‘en su corazón decía seguramente’ al niño que llevaba en su seno: ‘Ven, quiero mirarte a la cara porque me han dicho que serás grande’” (Papa Francisco, 23 de diciembre de 2013). Medita hoy acerca de <a href="#">la historia del nacimiento de Jesús</a>.</p>	<p><b>21</b></p> <p>Hoy es el día de fiesta de san Pedro Canisio, un renombrado predicador jesuita y Doctor de la Iglesia. En su memoria, <a href="#">ora hoy</a> por las vocaciones al sacerdocio y a la vida religiosa.</p>	<p><b>22</b></p> <p>“Prepara un camino al Señor mediante una conducta honesta, y con acciones irreprochables allana tú el sendero, para que la palabra de Dios camine hacia ti sin obstáculo”. (Orígenes, Homilias sobre Lucas, 21)</p>	<p><b>23</b></p> <p>Hoy recordamos a san Juan Cancio, un sacerdote polaco cuya devoción personal y humildad fueron un ejemplo para todos los que lo conocieron. Contempla la virtud de la <a href="#">humildad</a> en tu oración hoy.</p>	<p><b>24</b></p> <p>De este modo, <a href="#">la liturgia de la santa noche de Navidad</a> nos presenta el nacimiento del Salvador como luz que irrumpe y disipa la más densa oscuridad.” (Papa Francisco, 24 de diciembre de 2014)</p>