

ST. ANTHONY COUGAR CONNECTION

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FROM the desk of MRS. SCHWEITZER



God Rules! This month, we will focus on the Fourth Commandment: "Honor your father and mother." This means that we are called to love, respect, and obey our parents and people of authority in our lives. All of this prepares us to love and honor God, our Heavenly Father.

**Our challenge this week will be to:
Use good manners with ALL people that we encounter.**

Prayer for our school year: "Dear God, please grant us the strength to be your faithful followers. Help us live out these Ten Commandments so that we may grow closer to you each day and be reunited with you in Heaven. We ask this through Jesus Christ, our Lord and Savior... Amen."

THURSDAY & FRIDAY – Due to unforeseen maintenance work that needs to occur in the building, we ***will not be in school on Friday, November 17th***. Early dismissal will remain as scheduled on Thursday, November 16th at 11AM

TEXAS ROADHOUSE FUNDRAISER - Boosters Texas Roadhouse gift card fundraiser ends this week! Please turn in your forms and money with your child on Wednesday 11/15. Checks can be made to St. Anthony Boosters. St. Anthony Boosters will receive 10% of all sales to go towards sports programs and playground equipment. The gift cards will be available for distribution around December 1st.

GARDEN CLUB - A HUGE THANKS to all who donated, helped, or bought goodies to benefit the Garden Club this past weekend! The bake sale was a BIG success and made \$491 for our Spring garden projects!! The Garden Club is open to all, and will resume in late Winter/ early Spring....stay tuned!

EMERGENCY CALL – The "test" emergency call will be sent TOMORROW. It is a test and the phone number will be from CARLISLE, KY. If you do not received the call, please contact the office.

PICTURE RETAKE DAY – is TUESDAY, November 21st. If you wish to have your student's picture retaken, please return the original photos. If you have any questions, please contact the office.

DRAMA CLUB – We will meet EVERY Monday from 2:30 - 4:30 until further notice. We are excited to have a huge cast! We will be very busy on Mondays creating and writing our own story! We have several great ideas already in process! We will perform our story on stage in Fleming Hall in the evening of Thursday March 14, 2024!! Monday meetings will continue to be in the cafeteria and include a snack and a drink We will assume your child is staying for the meeting unless you send a note telling us otherwise. When coming for pick-up, parents please park in the lower playground lot OR the upper playground lot, NOT in front of school and I will walk the children out to you at 4:30. Parking in the lower and back lots keeps the children safer because we are not walking up the driveway as cars are trying to leave. I appreciate your help with keeping our students safe. For any questions, email Mrs. Faulhaber, L.Faulhaber@stanth.org.

"GOD RULES"

MISSION STATEMENT

St. Anthony Catholic School accepts the responsibility, along with the parents, to educate students spiritually, morally, and academically in a safe & caring Christian atmosphere. Each individual is assured academic achievement and develops social and emotional growth while embracing the gospel message of Jesus Christ.

IMPORTANT REMINDERS

- Dismissal is a busy time. Please do not allow children to run & play on school grounds at the end of the day. With more students & vehicles coming and going we need to ensure everyone is picked up safely. Thank you for your cooperation.
- There are no water fountains available in the building. Water refilling stations are available. Each student should bring their own water bottle.
- Please wait until all students have been dismissed to depart the parking lot after school. Thanks for your patience.

VISION STATEMENT

St. Anthony Catholic School's vision is to work together as a team composed of students, parents, teachers and staff in a positive manner to build strong, spiritual children who give witness to their faith.

ST. ANTHONY SPIRITWEAR SHOP – The spiritwear shop will be reopened for two weeks. Items will be delivered before Christmas break. <https://saintanthony.orderpromos.com/>

PTO MEETINGS - DID YOU KNOW?? – When a parent of a student attends a PTO meeting, the student will receive a day Out of Uniform. If there are multiple children in the family, all children in the family will be granted an Out of Uniform day. Students are given a certificate to be redeemed on a specific day.

LOST & FOUND- There are several unclaimed sweatshirts found around school in the office. The items will be donated at Thanksgiving if not claimed.

PLANNING AHEAD

- **NO SCHOOL NOV 17th**
- **THANKSGIVING BREAK – NOV 22 – 24 – NO SCHOOL**
- **DECEMBER 8th – No School – Holy Day Immaculate Conception**

LUNCH THIS WEEK

- **TUESDAY – Chicken Patty Sandwich**
- **WEDNESDAY – Turkey & Gravy**
- **THURSDAY – NO LUNCH SERVED – 11AM Dismissal**
- **FRIDAY – NO SCHOOL**
- **MONDAY – Cheese or pepperoni pizza**