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Hello St. Andrew,

As we “pray-fully and hopefully” leave “Old Man Winter” in February, we look forward to “Moving our Clocks Ahead & Spring Officially starting ” in the month of March. As we know “March Madness” is not only in College Basketball Playoffs, so too will be the interesting mix of weather and many activities that the Parish & School will be hosting.

As we cleanout our Winter Closets, we may find that some of our cherubs are growing and might be in need of new St. Andrew’s Polos or Khakis. If you are interested in maybe reselling (consigning) your student’s old khakis or school uniforms or purchasing something here at school, please stop into the Main Office for more information. We may have something here the could benefit you. Thank you.

March will be a very busy time for St. Andrew: ***Student(s) 2019-2020 Fall School Registrations, Wisconsin Parental School Choice Sign-Ups, Lenten Season, Kindergarten Parent Meetings / Screening Days, PSA Trivia Nights, Staff Development, End of 3rd Academic Quarter, and Spring Break.*** Please read all articles that go home in your Student’s Family/Weekly Envelope, read emails, or check online on our School Website. If you ever have any questions, please reach out to your Student’s Homeroom Teacher. Thank you.

**Learn**

1. Homework Club/ Skills Support (Monday & Tuesdays: 3/4-3/8).
2. Staff Workday (Friday, 3/22, No School For Students)
3. Spring Break (3/25-3/29)
4. School/Family Envelopes Schedule for March is as follows:
  - a. Thursday, 3/7
  - b. Thursday, 3/14
  - c. Thursday, 3/21

### **Lead**

1. March Committee Meetings are as follows:
  - a. School Committee: Tuesday, (3/5, 6:30p, Teacher's Workroom)
  - b. Athletics Committee: Thursday, (3/7, 6:30p, Teacher's Workroom)
  - c. Buildings & Grounds: Wednesday, (3/13, 5:30p, Conference Room)
  - d. PSA: Wednesday, (3/20, 5:30p, Teacher's Workroom)

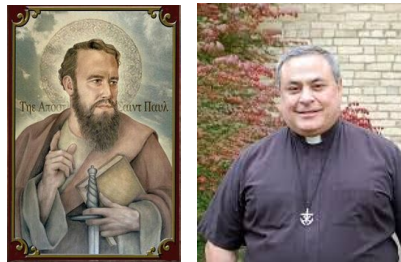
### **Succeed**

1. March Special Events, Fundraiser, and Celebrations are as follows:
  - a. Kindergarten Parent Night: (3/13, 6p)
  - b. Kindergarten Screening Day: (3/21, all day, no school for current Kdg).
  - c. PSA Trivia Night: (3/16, 6p)
  - d. WPCP Days (10a, 3/3 & 1p, 3/17)

### **Serve**

1. March Student Masses are as follows:
  - a. Wednesday, (3/6), 9a, Fr. Oriol (3rd Grade Host) - Ash Wednesday
  - b. Wednesday, (3/13), 9a, Fr. Oriol (2nd Grade Host)
  - c. Wednesday, (3/20), 9a, Fr. Oriol (1st Grade Host)

### **Contemplatives in Action**



Fr. Joe Corpora, Director of the Alliance of Catholic Education in Notre Dame University, teaches us the “Conversion” of St. Paul. It was during Paul’s “conversion”, he believed that, if he behaved well, always did the right thing, and knew the law inside and out, he could earn God’s love. In the moment of his conversion, he came to see that this was not true at all.

We all need to be converted from thinking that we can earn or merit or gain or barter for our salvation. We all desperately need to simply accept the goodness and generosity of God and let God give us all that He wants to give us. Our only role is to accept what God has to offer — ultimately, what God desperately wants to give us.

During this Lenten Season, accept to simply let go and accept God’s love, bartering for our own “conversion” is not what the Lenten Season is meant to be. God Bless you all. Randy