

FATHER ANDREW WHITE



Crusader Connections

Week of September 30 - October 4, 2024 | 22850 Washington St.

MAP Growth Standardized testing for grades 2-8 will continue this week.

These tests are important to give us baseline information on how each student is performing and to align instruction with this data. Please ensure that your student has a restful night's sleep and a good breakfast on the morning of the test.

Wed., Oct. 2: Reading



Upcoming Events:

10/1 - Picture Day! (Tag Day)

Interims posted!

Chesterton Visit (7&8)

10/2 - 1st & 2nd grade field trip

10/3 - Bring your Bible to school day!

Virtue Winner Tag Day!

10/4 - First Friday Mass

Hosted by 4th Grade

10/7 - HSPT Registration Opens

10/8 - Knight for a Day (8th only)

10/11 - Buddy Mass

10/12 - Friends of the Poor Walk

10/15 - 5th Grade field trip

10/16 - Camp Maria School Retreat

10/18 - Book Fair Begins!

10/19 - Trunk or Treat: 1:00-4:00



Friends of the Poor Walk

The St. Vincent de Paul Society's (SVDP) 17th Annual Friends of the Poor Walk will be held October 12, 2024. The goal of the Walk is to raise money to assist our neighbors with basic needs including rent, utilities, medicine and food. Starting at Father Andrew White School, the walk route goes through the streets of Historic Leonardtown. There will be a post-walk brunch, music, theme baskets for a silent auction, balloons for children, and door prizes. Registration begins at 7:30 am, Walk begins at 9:00 am.

There is no registration fee, but walkers are encouraged to collect pledges or donate. The Walk is sponsored by the SVDP Conferences at St. Aloysius and Immaculate Conception Churches. At the Walk, you can drop off gently used sneakers which will be donated to Sneakers4Good, a recycling program that keeps sneakers out of landfills while supporting communities all over the world. Go to www.svdpsa.org/fop-walk and click "Maryland" to take you to our website. For further information, contact Patty Belanger at (301) 904-7990.



BIG THANKS to the Slice House for our top notch Friday pizza lunches!

[Upcoming Community Events](#)

Click here  to view upcoming events!

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October is National Sudden Cardiac Arrest Awareness month. Sudden Cardiac Arrest (SCA) is when the heart suddenly stops beating, and it can happen to people of all ages, even children and teens who appear perfectly healthy. This further emphasizes the importance of annual checkups and sports physicals for students, along with training to prepare for unexpected life threatening events. There are many places that provide CPR training including the health department and online courses. Even small children can learn basic first aid skills and what to do in emergencies (such as calling 911 and quickly retrieving an AED when needed).

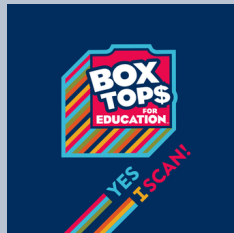
Click [HERE](#) to view additional health forms many new students need to complete.



Our RaiseRight Gift Card Program has begun for the 2024-2025 school year.

Remember, all Service Scholarship families will be required to order enough gift cards to accumulate \$50 worth of rebates for our school.

Click here to learn more!



Help our creative Destination Imagination teams raise money for their upcoming competitions! Scan your receipts from stores like: Food Lion, BJ's, Walmart, Target, etc. to earn box tops. Every box top raises money for our school's DI program! Visit BTFE.com for more information. Download the app: Box Tops for Education to link your account to our school and then simply scan your receipts!

FAW Volunteer Information

Being a volunteer at Father Andrew White School is both rewarding and FUN!! It is a great way to be involved in the Crusader community, meet other families, and stay involved with your student.

If you are a Service Scholarship family (reduced tuition in exchange for volunteering), there are a few required steps before volunteering at the school.

Click [HERE](#) for a step by step guide. Once these steps are completed, join the FUN!!

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