## FATHER ANDREW WHITE & Father **Crusader Connections**

### Week of January 20-24, 2025 | 22850 Washington St.



## UPCOMING **EVENTS**

1/22 - MAPGrowth testing **Re-Enrollment** begins 1/23 - IHM Whole County Mass (3rd-8th) 1/24 - MS Monthly Activity 1/26 Catholic Schools Week 1/28 - Second Quarter Grades Posted 1/31 - FAW Awards after Mass 2/1 - HSA Family BINGO Night 2/4 - MAPGrowth testing

<u>Open SAB Meeting at 6:30 pm</u>

### **Catholic Schools Week**

Catholic Schools Week starts this Sunday, January 26th. To kick off the weeklong celebration, each of our three parishes will highlight our school at the Masses this weekend.



You are all cordially invited to share in the liturgical celebration at St. Aloysius (Leonardtown), St. Francis Xavier (Compton), or Our Lady's (Medley's Neck). Students - please wear your uniforms to Mass this weekend!

#### Chorus Singing at Kickoff CSW Mass on Sunday!

The FAW Rhythm Rejoicers will continue with our tradition of singing at the 11:00am Mass at St. Aloysius this upcoming Sunday (January 26th) to kick off Catholic Schools Week. Students (wearing school uniforms) should arrive at 10:00am to the church. This gives us time to rehearse our songs and get settled in the church.

More information and a schedule of all the week's events will be emailed.



Please help us raise funds for our FIVE FAWDI teams and sell/buy Joe Corbi's! Stock up now for those meatless Friday Lent meals, or desserts for your Easter festivities! Orders are due January 31st. Please contact Mrs. Cacko or Krystle Rossignol with any questions. Thank you!



**Upcoming Community Events** Click here 🖕 to view upcoming events!







- Preparing and serving food for 80-175 daily
- Must be able to lift 50 lbs
- Menu planning and food ordering
- Scheduling parent volunteers
- Must maintain kitchen and appliances to be in accordance with St. Mary's County Health Department standards, subject to inspection Upon acceptance of position, ServSafe certification obtained

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Stress affects us in many ways, and stress management is essential for good health. Some tips for effective stress management include the following: 1) Recognize the signs of too much stress, 2) Get enough sleep, exercise, and healthy foods, 3) Have a life outside of work/school, 4) Avoid things bad for you, 5) Have a support system, 6) Keep your sense of humor, 7) Develop and use coping skills, 8) Have a preparedness plan, 9) Draw strength from your faith, 10) Ask for help if you need it.

## 🧇 RaiseRight.

Families who have accepted the service scholarship (volunteer hour discount on tuition) have until <u>MARCH</u>

<u>31, 2025</u> to earn \$50 in rebates through the RaiseRight program. Use gift cards for your regular day-to-day purchases to earn rebates to meet the requirement! Gift cards are available at over 750 popular brands. Getting your morning coffee, doing DIY projects or ordering take out. Conveniently raise money by doing everyday things all from your phone or tablet!

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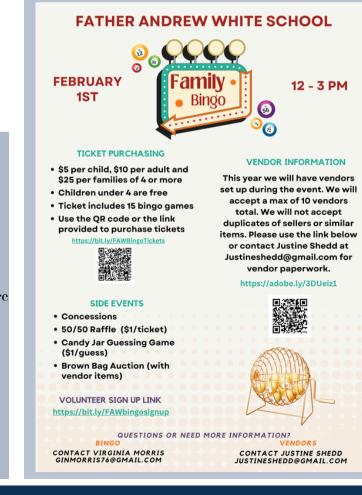
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The application for financial aid is due February 21, 2025.

Re-enrollment will open tomorrow. You will receive an email with instructions to create an account in our new software system called FACTS. Although we have spent a lot of time trying to make this process smooth, issues may come up as we navigate this for the first time. Please be patient and let us know how we can help you.

Enrollment opens to new families on February 3, 2025
<u>\*TADS Tuition Assistance</u>

Our 2nd quarter ended last Friday, January 17th. Be sure that your parent volunteer hours have been submitted. At this point, you should have completed 12-13 hours to stay on pace to fulfill your 25 hour commitment if you are a Service Scholarship family. <u>https://fatherandrewwhite.org/volunteer-hours-log/</u>



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Thank you Electives Teachers, Ms. Suuberg, and Mrs. Cacko!



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Our Open House to invite interested new families to visit our wonderful school will be during our Catholic Schools Week celebration! We appreciate that our families are the best ambassadors for FAW and your word of mouth about our school is the best PR we have! Please help us get the word out about our next Open House to all prospective family and friends. Great things are happening at Father Andrew White!

Note: Re-enrollment for current families will begin tomorrow, January 22nd! Admissions for new/prospective families will open on Monday, February 3, 2025.

Both of these FAW students participated in the St. Mary's County Science Fair on Friday, January 17th







Anna Carrillo: 1st in Animal Sciences

Sully Allan: 2nd in Energy: Sustainable Materials and Design