



WHAT'S AHEAD WEDNESDAY



November 19, 2025

A MESSAGE FROM THE SUS LEADERSHIP

Dear Parents/Guardians,

On Friday, students in grades 3–8 will come together to participate in the Digital Encounter with Pope Leo at the National Catholic Youth Conference, where the Holy Father will speak to young Catholics and answer their questions.

We are also looking forward to our November Spirit Assembly this Friday, November 21st. Students may wear SUS spirit wear and/or their gym uniform. All students receiving either a Child of God certificate or a blue slip will enjoy a special out-of-uniform day on Monday, November 24th.

We have made some revisions to the handbook regarding demerits, missing work, and uniforms. Please see this document for the updates. [Handbook Revisions](#)

Next Tuesday is Grandparents' Day, and we are excited to welcome our special guests to campus. Please see the information below for additional details.

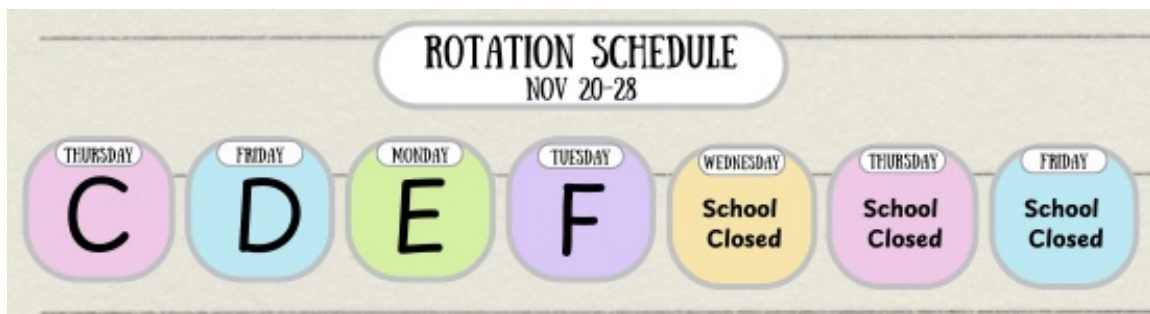
We also encourage families to stop by the Mistletoe Market in the Spiritual Center this Saturday from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. Ms. Anderson and Mrs. Marinaro will be there, so be sure to swing by and say hello while you browse the wonderful holiday items!

As we head into the holiday break, we wish our SUS community a safe, joyful, and blessed Thanksgiving. Enjoy this special time with your loved ones!

Blessings,



ROTATION SCHEDULE FOR NOV 20-28



PAY-IT LINKS

LAST CHANCE Mother Daughter Glow Party

The Mothers' Club invites you to GLOW CRAZY on Friday, November 21st. Come have fun with music, dancing and games!! This event is for St. Ursula students and their maternal caregivers. Payment is due by Thursday, November 20th at 8am. Please note that alcoholic beverages are not permitted at any student event, and adults are asked to refrain from consuming them during these activities. <https://payit.nelnet.net/form/6Ax4rL81>

LAST CHANCE Grandparents' Day Love Grams

Grandparents, surprise your grandchild with a heartfelt Love Gram, delivered right to their classroom on Grandparent's Day. You can also purchase one for

your child's special visitor, to be given during visiting times. Each Love Gram costs \$1.00. This link will close on Thursday, November 20th at 8 a.m. No late orders will be accepted. Please order here: <https://payit.nelnet.net/form/0VRCIK08>

REMINDER PHSA Ugly Sweater Cash Bingo

Join us for Cash Bingo in the SUS Gym on Saturday, December 6th! We can't wait to see your "terrible taste" in sweaters! Doors will open at 6:00 p.m. and games begin at 7:00 p.m. Admission is \$15.00 per person in advance and \$20.00 per person at the door. To register, please visit:

<https://payit.nelnet.net/form/lotyC7Bf>.

REMINDER Breakfast with Santa

The St. Ursula Fathers' Club is hosting Breakfast with Santa in the St. Ursula gym on Saturday, December 13th from 9 a.m. to 12 p.m. Come out and enjoy pancakes and grab a quick pic with Santa! This event is open to all SUS students from Pre-K through 5th grade. Cost is \$7 per child and \$10 per adult and includes pancakes, sausage, and activities for students. Please register and pay at the following link: <https://payit.nelnet.net/form/8MvYluAV>. Please note that alcoholic beverages are not permitted at any student event, and adults are asked to refrain from consuming them during these activities.

REMINDER Fathers' Club Prom Night

Relive prom night with the Fathers' Club! Join us for drinks, music, raffles, and games on Friday, February 13th from 7:00-11:00 p.m. For more information or to purchase tickets: <https://payit.nelnet.net/form/qkc917KB>

UPDATES & REMINDERS

REMINDER Grandparents' Day

Grandparent's Day will be held on Tuesday, November 25th from 8:45 to 11:35 a.m., so please alert the grandparents to save the date! More information, including time slots for each grade, can be found here: [Grandparents' Day Letter](#)

LAST CHANCE All visitors will need to be Raptored before entering the building. Badges will not be available until the day of. This link will close at 8 a.m. on Friday, November 21st. For those who have already had their license scanned, you can pre-register here:

<https://forms.gle/QGncMB9pWuYL2akv7>

Below are two sign up genius links: one is for volunteers and the other for donations. All volunteers MUST be VIRTUS approved. Service hours apply, as described in the links.

- Sign Up Genius for Food/Drink donations:
<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C0D4AAEA72BA4FDCF8-59883595-donations>
- Sign Up Genius for Volunteers Day of:
<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C0D4AAEA72BA4FDCF8-59881329-grandparents>

REMINDER Pie Order Pick-up

If you purchased pies from Enchanted Cakes & Treats, the pick-up is on

Tuesday, November 26th from 3-6 p.m. at the St. Ursula Church Spiritual Center.

NEW Fire Drill Tomorrow

We will have a planned fire drill tomorrow, Thursday, November 20th, weather permitting. The fire department will be present.

NEW Report Cards

Trimester 1 report cards will be sent electronically on Friday, November 21st.

NEW Thanksgiving Break

School will be closed Wednesday, November 26th through Friday, November 28th for the Thanksgiving holiday. Happy Thanksgiving!

NEW Kindergarten STEAM Activity

On Thursday, December 11 (C Day), Mrs. Zimmerman and Mrs. Swauger will be hosting a STEAM activity for 10 Kindergarten students. We will be creating Christmas pomanders. **The sign up email will be sent to Kindergarten parent(s)/guardian(s) on Thursday, November 20, 2025 at 6:30 pm.** The sign up genius also includes an opportunity to provide materials for service hours. You will only be able to sign your child up for one STEAM activity this year. Subsequent sign up genius links will only be emailed to those that did not participate in an activity yet.

NEW Reminders from the Nurse

Please send in Vaseline or chapstick for your child, as the cold weather is causing many students' lips to become dry. Cough drops may be sent in a labeled bag with your child's name. They will be kept in the homeroom on the teacher's desk, and the teacher will dispense them as needed. Please also review our policy that students must remain out of school for 24 hours after vomiting, diarrhea, or a fever, or longer if otherwise advised.

NEW Lunch Reminder

Per the Student Handbook, students should not be bringing sodas to lunch. For more information, please reference page 50 of the handbook.

NEW This Week's Lucky 1500 Winners

1st: #584 M. Privitera
2nd: #543 K. Pahl
3rd: #643 S. Sands
4th: #157 J. Cross
5th: #910 J. Cruse

REMINDER Lucky 1500 Tickets

Send in your Lucky 1500 tickets as soon as possible, the weekly drawings have begun. Please send in your service hour card with your tickets so that we can record the hours. You may send in cash or check, made payable to St. Ursula School or you may use this Pay-it link to make a payment:

<https://payit.nelnet.net/form/H4QXzhBM> If you would like additional tickets or have any questions, please contact Ms. Sampson at asampson@stursula.org.

REMINDER Yearbooks

- Order Your Yearbook
 - **LAST CHANCE** to order your yearbook for \$25! After November

30th, the price of a yearbook will increase to \$30. The price will increase to \$35 after January 20th. Please see the flyer below for purchasing instructions. [Yearbook Order Form 2026](#)

- 8th Grade Spreads
 - We do two spreads in the yearbook for our 8th graders: "8th Grade Through the Years" and "8th Grade Baby Pictures." Please see the instructions below on how to submit these pictures for the yearbook. Picture submissions are due by January 6, 2026. [8th Grade Picture Spreads](#)
- 8th Grade Yearbook Ads
 - Congratulate your 8th grade student and express your pride and love with an ad in the 2026 yearbook! Please see the flyer below for pricing and design instructions. Yearbook ads are due by January 12, 2026. [Yearbook Ad Flyer](#)

SAVE THE DATES

NEW Fathers' Club Meeting

We will hold our November meeting on Sunday, November 23rd at 7PM in the St. Ursula School Gym. It is a potluck Thanksgiving theme, so please bring a small dish. All fathers, grandfathers, uncles, godfathers and male relatives are welcome to attend.

REMINDER Mothers' Club Meeting

Our November meeting will be held on Monday, November 24th at 6:45PM in the St. Ursula Church Spiritual Center. Food and drinks will be provided. Please help us prepare for the meeting by using the link to RSVP.

<https://forms.gle/AwdWRvzfDJyp82ed8>

SERVICE HOUR OPPORTUNITIES

NEW December Lunch Volunteers

We are looking for volunteers to help in the lunchroom in December. Volunteers are needed from 11:20 a.m. until 1:00 p.m. each day. Please use the Sign-up Genius link below to register for the date(s) you are available. Service hours do apply. All volunteers need to be Virtus approved.

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/30E0444AAA62EA5FE3-60620284-lunch>

REMINDER Grandparents' Day Volunteers Needed

We are in need of volunteers to help show around our loved ones, assisting in the lunchroom for the breaks in between sessions, or manning the parking lots. This time will include clean up afterwards. MUST be VIRTUS approved.

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C0D4AAEA72BA4FDCFB-59881329-grandparents>

REMINDER PHSA Bingo Volunteers Needed

We will need help setting up the gym before the event, running the Bingo games, working in the kitchen, providing baked goods or clean up after the event. Service hours apply. You must be VIRTUS APPROVED to volunteer.

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/9040D48A9A928A3F94-54213254-cash#/>

REMINDER Paper Donations

We are now accepting paper donations for service hours. Three reams of 8 1/2x 11 white paper will earn 1 service hour. No 3 hole paper please.

PARISH NEWS

THIS SATURDAY Mistletoe Market



Please join us for the ...
St. Ursula Catholic Church



Mistletoe Market

Saturday, November 22, 2025

9:00am to 1:00pm

Come support local small business and do your Christmas shopping! This event will feature all kinds of vendors, unique artwork, crafters, gifts, food, raffles, live music, children's activities and more! There may even be a guest appearance by someone from the North Pole!!

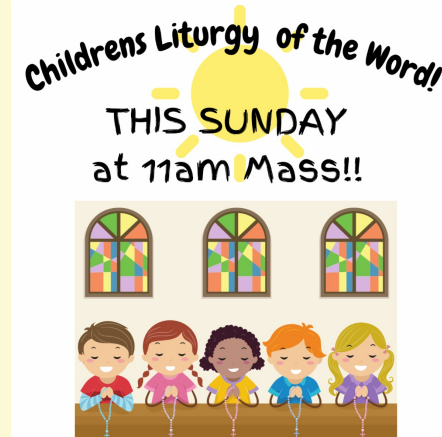
Proceeds will benefit Ministry with Children, Youth, and Families

St. Ursula Spiritual Center
(Lower level of Church)
8801 Harford Road
Parkville, MD 21234

Plenty of free parking,
enter through the glass doors in
the rear of the parking lot



To volunteer or help provide food for the concessions, scan or click the provided QR codes to the right!





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