

ST. JAMES' EPISCOPAL SCHOOL ENGAGING HEART, MIND, AND SPIRIT

HUSKY HITS

KEY DATES

Preschool Family Coffee

Tuesday, November 3rd 4:00pm *please note the change of date*

<u>K-6th Grade Family Coffee</u>

Thursday, November 5th 4:00pm *please note the change of date*

<u>All-School Chapel</u> Friday, November 6th 9:30am

<u>Virtual Bingo Night</u> Saturday, November 7th 6:00-7:30pm

<u>All School Zoom gatherings</u> are accessible with an SJSLA student account. Family Coffees will be recorded so that they may be available with those who are unable to attend.



We are very grateful for the enthusiastic support thus far to the annual fund! We are running 5% ahead of last year at this time, even with a significantly later start date this year due to challenges related to the pandemic. Your generosity allows us to continue to expand support for tuition assistance, build out our robotics and computer science program, and continue to add even more permanent differentiation strategies for our instructional program. Of course, the ECF also supports the enormous unpredictable costs of enhancing safety and mitigating risk during this challenging time.

Thank you and Happy November!

Peter Reinke Head of School St. James' Episcopal School

Thank you to those that have already contributed to the Every Child Fund.

Anonymous (2) Katie and Jake Ahn Paula and David Agnew Stephen Bedikian and Heather Johnson Brooke and Joshua Benjamin Caroline and Perrin Chiles Richard Chisholm and Lois Perrin Sunny and Eric Choi Jennifer Lin and W. Allan Edmiston Theane Evangelis Brooke Gadasi Nami and Steve Her Zoya and Martin Hynes Andrea Salazar-Kone and Moussa Kone Susannah and Noah Laracy Young Hong and Jae Chun Lee Ja-Hong Kim and Marc Levy Yu Chong Jun and Chul Lim Amber and Bryan Madole Judy Oh and Michael Moon Peter Reinke and Dr. Claudia Nau Talita Choudhury and Josh Neuman Sarah and John O'Brien Sanghee Ko and Hyung Park Soo Ji Park and Jong Park Gina and David Riberi John Roman Jeffrey Rutherford and Dorothy Kim Lorraine and Joseph Sarles **Amy Schlecter** Thomas Swan III Maria Ferrari and John Tumlin Erica Wang and Stephen Shiao

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Chapel

Michaella (6, Leader), Maebel (4, Reading Lesson) Vivienne (5, Intercessor)

Click <u>here</u> to see the special homily delivered by Sherlock Reinke, Mr. Reinke's mustachioed cousin.

Friday's Chapel was filled with joy, laughter, the word of the Lord and some

special treats in honor of Halloween. Father Koh welcomed everyone and reminded the students and families that all faiths are celebrated and revered in our Episcopal chapel.

Mr. Reinke was delayed at Denny's on Friday getting pumpkin pancakes for Mother Kate, so he asked his cousin, Sherlock Reinke, to give the homily. Sherlock gave us a brief history of Halloween both in this country and in Europe. Halloween, historically, in the United States, was a time where some folks enjoyed dressing up in scary outfits and scaring one another. Halloween also marked the end of summer and the beginning of cold winter days.

One last thing, Sherlock added, American society, much like Joshua and the Hebrews in exile, has had a tough time lately. Sherlock said that even his cousin, Mr. Reinke struggles with these days and misses seeing all of his students in person. It is not new for human beings to deal with challenges and St. James' students have empathy, ethics, and courage to always do what is right. Sherlock suggested that when we see someone who is struggling and appears unkind, that is the person that needs our kindness the most.



Click Here to Register for the St. James' Virtual Bingo Night

Update from the Admission Office Priority Application Process for Siblings of St. James' Students Sibling applications & children of staffulty applications due: November 13, 2020 Preschool applications due: November 30, 2020 Kindergarten - 6th Grade applications due: December 4, 2020



Sherlock Reinke and St. James (aka Father Koh) welcome students to the firstever drive-through Halloween Parade.

Halloween Parade

St. Andrew's Place was crowded with ghosts and ghouls, and quite a few princesses on Friday, at the first-ever drive-through Halloween Mask Parade. Teachers, students, and families came in full Halloween attire. Every student received a treat-filled Jack-O-Lanterns and warm greetings from their teachers.

We hope you had a happy Halloween.

Go Huskies!

































PHOTO CONTEST WINNER

Congratulations to our Photo Contest Winner!

St. James' students welcomed a new member, "Slim," to their outdoor learning pod today. He is still getting the hang of distance learning. First-grader Ruby and Fourth-grader Tristan are showing him the ropes.



Enter for a chance to win an In-N-Out gift card! To enter, please send a photo of your student(s) that best captures their learning at home, with a caption that briefly describes a lesson. Send your photo(s) and caption(s) to <u>photos@sjsla.org</u> with the following:

1. Subject line "WEEKLY PHOTO CONTEST"

2. Student's full name, grade, and the name of the teacher.

Poco Loco Virtual Paint Party



Families participated on Sunday, November 1st for the annual Poco Loco virtual painting party to celebrate Dia de Los Muertos sponsored by the Parent Association.

BIRTHDAY VIDEOS



Happy Birthday! Featured Birthday Blessings:

Lexi

If you wish to submit a birthday video to be shared in our weekly Chapel, please submit your video to Kathleen Lalap at <u>klalap@sjsla.org</u> by Wednesday of their birthday week.

Video Passcode: HappyBirthday!

Birthdays from October 25th - October 30th

<u>Pre-K</u> Nikhil

5th Grade Lexi Henry Jayson



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