



# WEEKLY UPDATE

**OCTOBER 3 - OCTOBER 7, 2022**

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## **A MESSAGE FROM OUR PRESIDENT & PRINCIPAL**

Next week we will be entering final exams for the first quarter of the 2022-2023 school year. We encourage all Warriors to prepare for your exams early, make time to rest, support your classmates, and ask for help if you need it. Parents, we thank you for being our partners in education and for providing your child with extra love and encouragement as they rise to the challenge of final exams.

On Wednesday we were very blessed to be able to celebrate eucharistic adoration as a school community. Thank you everyone for creating a prayerful and reflective environment where we were able to spend time with God. During the service, Students were encouraged to go up to the microphone and answer the question “Why do I love Jesus?” Many shared that Jesus’ love and goodness is reflected in our friends, family, and school community. Let us remember this as we are in times of struggle that Christ’s love is in the hearts of those we hold closest to us!



God Bless,  
Dr. De Larkin & Mrs. Zozaya





# **Schedule for Week 9**

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**Monday, 10/3: Finals Schedule (Exams 1, 2)**

**Tuesday, 10/4: Finals Schedule (Exams 3, 4)**

**Wednesday, 10/5: Regular Schedule & Exam Make Ups**

**Thursday, 10/6: Early Dismissal 1:05 PM**

**Friday, 10/7: PM Assembly Schedule**

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## BELL SCHEDULE

Final Assessment (1 & 2)			
	START TIME	END TIME	LENGTH
Teacher Arrival	7:30 AM	-	-
Exam Prep	8:40 AM	9:00 AM	20 min
<b>Block 1</b>	9:00 AM	10:30 AM	90 min
Nutrition	10:30 AM	10:50 AM	20 min
Passing Period	10:50 AM	10:55 AM	5 min
Exam Prep	10:55 AM	11:15 AM	20 min
<b>Block 2</b>	11:15 AM	12:45 PM	90 min
Student Dismissal	1:00 PM	-	

Final Assessment (3 & 4)			
	START TIME	END TIME	LENGTH
Teacher Arrival	7:30 AM	-	-
Exam Prep	8:40 AM	9:00 AM	20 min
<b>Block 3</b>	9:00 AM	10:30 AM	90 min
Nutrition	10:30 AM	10:50 AM	20 min
Passing Period	10:50 AM	10:55 AM	5 min
Exam Prep	10:55 AM	11:15 AM	20 min
<b>Block 4</b>	11:15 AM	12:45 PM	90 min
Student Dismissal	1:00 PM	-	

# PARENT VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES

## Homecoming Service Hour Opportunity

ASB will be accepting concessions in exchange for service hours for the Homecoming Dance. We are in need of water, sodas, and chips. 1 service hour for every \$10 with receipt.

## Campus Ministry - Help Needed

Sacristy Support - Your help is needed with sacristy items: including washing, dry cleaning, ironing of linens and care of other items used for liturgical purposes

Retreat Support - Water, snacks, paper plates and napkins are now being accepted to support our upcoming retreat. Please email [greyes@piusmatthias.org](mailto:greyes@piusmatthias.org) to confirm what items you plan to drop off.

Retreat On Site Support - Your help is needed for meal times with set up, serving and clean up as well as overall supervision during various hours of the retreat October 18 and 19. Email Mr. Reyes to sign up.

## DEAN OF ACADEMICS

Ms. Saenz-Moreno



[msmoreno@piusmatthias.org](mailto:msmoreno@piusmatthias.org)

Final Exams:  
Monday, October 3rd  
&  
Tuesday, October 4th

Final Exam Make Up:  
Wednesday, October 5th

## Final Exams

It is important that students are present during exam days and students are expected to take final examinations. Students are not allowed to opt-out of these important exams. Students who are absent for a final exam without a signed doctor's note will be issued a final grade with the missed exam grade recorded as a zero. Appropriate documentation will be required in order for a final exam to be made up within the allowable time frame.

To help prepare for exams, students should go to bed at a reasonable time to get plenty of rest and have a healthy breakfast on the day of the exam.

Students are to report to class at 8:40am on exam days.

## DEAN OF CAMPUS MINISTRY

Mr. Reyes



[greyes@piusmatthias.org](mailto:greyes@piusmatthias.org)

### Junior Retreat: UNSTOPPABLE

All Juniors currently in Theology 11 are pre-registered for their class retreat taking place October 18 and 19 with an overnight stay at the St. Joseph Salesian Center in Rosemead. These students are expected to attend this retreat, while the next group of Juniors will attend in the Spring Term.

- Forms - Permission forms and medical forms will be provided to students to take home return to complete their registration.
- Parents - This retreat includes a drop off October 18 and pick up October 19 at the retreat location. More information will be sent to your email.

# DEAN OF STUDENT LIFE

Mr. Ramos



Homecoming Dance  
ASB is proud to present...



[pramos@piusmatthias.org](mailto:pramos@piusmatthias.org)

Date: Saturday October 8, 2022

Time: 7:30pm to 11:00pm

Location: PMA

TICKETS ON SALE AT LUNCH! \$35 presale, \$40 at the door  
Food included with each presale ticket.

A semi-formal event.

## Homecoming King and Queen Court

The Homecoming King and Queen Court has been selected by a vote of the senior class!

The final vote for Homecoming King and Queen will be held on the morning of Friday, October 7, 2022 via a vote of the entire student body and revealed during halftime of the Homecoming football game!

*Spirit Week 2022 is Here!*  
Monday Oct. 3 - Friday October 7.





# Homecoming

## SPIRIT WEEK DRESS-UP DAYS



### Pink Panther Monday

Wear pink in support of Breast Cancer Awareness Month

### Super Why Tuesday

Dress up in superhero attire from any comic book or, movie



### We Bare Bears Wednesday



Dress in pajama pants, onesies, or sweats (no gym shorts or tank tops)

### Fairly Odd Thursday

Dynamic Duo: Twin with your friend as characters from a movie or tv show



### Class Theme Friday



Dress as a character from your class theme.  
Freshmen: PBS Kids, Sophomores: Boomerang,  
Juniors: Nickelodeon, Seniors: Cartoon Network

### Dress up days as follows...

- Monday (Boomerang): Pink Panther
  - We wear pink for Breast Cancer Awareness
- Tuesday (PBS Kids): Super Why Tuesday
- Superhero (Students may wear a superhero shirt, sock, or hat. No masks allowed)
- Wednesday (Cartoon Network): We bare bears Wednesday
  - Pjs and Bring a Teddy Bear/ Stuffed Animal
- Thursday (Nickelodeon): Fairly Odd Thursday
  - Dynamic duo (twin day)
- Friday: Wear Class theme

### Spirit Day Rally:

Our Spirit Day Rally will be held in the gym the afternoon of Friday Oct. 7!!



# DARE TO DREAM

*Digital Media Arts & Production*



**LOCATION: ROOM III**



THE ART GALLERY

**OCTOBER 3-4**  
**OCTOBER 5-7**

**1 - 1:30pm**

**3 - 3:30pm**

**Please come out and support the Digital  
Media Production Photo Gallery**