

# Nazareth School News

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*Rejoice in the Lord!  
May all the beauty and  
glory of this blessed  
season fill our hearts  
with joy and praise.*



***The Faculty and Staff of Nazareth School  
would like to wish all of our families a "Happy Easter"***

## **NEW COVID-19 EXTENDED CARE HOURS:**

**Extended Care Opening at 7:00am**

**Extended Care Closing at 4:30pm.**

**Parents must walk students to auditorium for Morning  
Extended Care to check them in and temperature check.**

## **WEEK AT A GLANCE – April 11-16**

**SUN** Divine Mercy Sunday

**MON** Classes Resume

**TUES**

**WED** Crazy Hair Day

**THU** 8:15am, Assembly – Zoom

“Resurrecting the Alleluia” Prayer Service led by  
7<sup>th</sup> grade

**FRI** Food Drive Friday

8:30am, Mass at St. Francis Chapel led by

5<sup>th</sup> grade

Minimum Day

11:55am, Dismissal

[Nazareth Reopening Plan](#) – Updated 2/5/2021.

[Nazareth School Distance Learning Plan](#)

## **ON CAMPUS HEALTH PROTOCOLS**

The links below are the lists of Covid-19 symptoms according to the HHSA. Any person experiencing these symptoms must self-isolate for 10 days (stay at home) and may return on day 11. Please contact the office at [office@nazarethschool.org](mailto:office@nazarethschool.org) if your child is sick.

[Covid Testing Locations in San Diego County](#)

[Nazareth School On Campus Health Protocols](#)

[COVID 19 Symptom Decision Tree](#) – Revised 2/5/2021.

## **TUITION ASSISTANCE PROGRAM NAZARETH SCHOOL OF SAN DIEGO – DEADLINE – APRIL 30**

Applications are being accepted for Nazareth School Tuition Assistance for the 2021-22 school year.

Nazareth School has created an account at FACTS Grant & Aid for Tuition Assistance. This is a financial needs based program. All applicants must be enrolled in Nazareth School. You may apply online at the link below.

**The deadline to apply is April 30, 2021.**

[Facts Grant & Aid](#)

## **REPORT CARDS**

3<sup>rd</sup> quarter report cards are in today’s envelope. Please sign and return the report card envelope.

## **FOOD DRIVE FRIDAY**

Food Drive Friday is April 16. Send in non-perishable food items to the classroom. Each student who brings in 2 canned food donations will receive a Spirit Dress Day on Tuesday, April 20.

## **TRAVEL RESTRICTIONS – UPDATED 2/1/2021**

The State of California has updated its travel policy with the following provisions:

- Non-essential travel (for recreational purposes) should be limited to 120 miles from the person’s home.
- Californians who travel outside the state or the country must quarantine for 10 days upon their return to California.
- Visitors to California from other states and countries must also quarantine for 10 days upon their entry into California.

With this in mind, please limit recreational travel to no more than 120 miles from your home. If you must travel, you will need to quarantine for 10 days upon your return to California. Any family that needs a tax receipt for extended care and/or Preschool tuition for their 2020 income tax returns, please

## **STAY HOME IF YOU HAVE THE FOLLOWING SYMPTOMS:**

Please contact the Nazareth School office 619-641-7987 or [office@nazarethschool.org](mailto:office@nazarethschool.org). According to the HHSA, any person with these symptoms must self-isolate for 10 days (stay at home) and may return on day 11.

- Fever with or without chills/rigors (fever defined as a temperature greater than or equal to 100.0 degrees Fahrenheit that does not resolve within 30 minutes without medication)
- Cough
- Shortness of breath or difficulty breathing
- Nasal Congestion or runny nose (rhinorrhea)
- Sore throat
- Nausea, vomiting or diarrhea
- Fatigue
- New loss of taste or smell
- Headache
- Muscle or body aches
- Poor feeding or poor appetite
- Known close contact with a person who is lab confirmed to have COVID-19

### **DROP OFF/PICK UP**

Thank you to the parents who continue to use the front driveway entrance, entering from below, on San Diego Mission Road, for both drop off and pick up. **We ask that you try and NOT to use the Rancho Mission Road entrance (above the statue of Jesus), as traffic is backing up and causing a dangerous hazard.** Please remember that it is one way only up the hill from San Diego Mission Road. The staff is working hard to temperature check your children and get them to and from class safely.

### **MORE SCIENCE FAIR NEWS**

Congratulations to Grace Cunningham and Grace Balkowski as both received an invitation to present their Projects at the California State Science and Engineering Fair. Also, Grace Cunningham was a winner of the Marine Technology Society's Award and Sofia Durazo received an Honorable Mention from the San Diego Psychological Association. Fantastic job! Thank you also to Mrs. Reed for her many hours of instruction and assistance to the students for the Science Fair.



### **EXTENDED CARE**

February/March Extended care invoices are in today's envelope. Pink statements are attached if you have a credit or a prior balance. Extended care payments are due upon receipt.

### **2020 TAX RECEIPTS**

Any family that needs a tax receipt for extended care and/or Preschool tuition for their 2020 income tax returns, please email Mrs. Horning at [adminassist@nazarethschool.org](mailto:adminassist@nazarethschool.org) or you may send a written request to the office.

### **YEARBOOK PICTURES & ONLINE ORDERS**

If you have pictures of current school year events that you would like to share with the yearbook committee, please go to following link. You may also place your order for the 2020-21 Nazareth School Yearbook at this link too.

[Yearbook Photos and Online Orders](#)

### **UPCOMING IMPORTANT DATES.**

- 4/12 Classes Resume
- 4/14 Crazy Hair Day
- 4/15 8:15am, Assembly – Zoom  
“Resurrecting the Alleluia”  
Prayer Service led by 7<sup>th</sup> grade
- 4/16 Food Drive Friday  
Minimum Day, 11:55am Dismissal
- 4/20 2-Can Tuesday–Spirit Dress Day for 2  
canned food donations
- 4/22 Earth Day  
Time Travel Day
- 4/23 8:30am, Mass at St. Francis Chapel led by  
4<sup>th</sup> grade, 3<sup>rd</sup> grade will attend as cohorts
- Spring STAR Testing Window – April 26 – May 14

### **CATCH OF THE WEEK**



**No Catch of the Week this week. We will go fishing after Easter Break!**

### **CRAZY HAIR DAY**

Student Council is sponsoring a Crazy Hair Day on Wednesday, April 14. More information to come after Easter Break.

### **TIME TRAVEL DAY**

Student Council is sponsoring a Time Travel Day on Thursday, April 22. More information to come after Easter Break.

### **NAZARETH SCHOOL LICENSE PLATE FRAMES**

Nazareth School is bringing back the Nazareth School License Plates Frames. Show your Nazareth School spirit and promote our school by displaying the plates on your car as you drive. Please see the website link below to order.

[Nazareth School License Plate Frames Order Form](#)

### **NAZARETH SCHOOL LOGO FACE MASKS**

All Nazareth School students received a free Nazareth School facemask. Parents, relatives, and friends are welcome to purchase a mask too! Cost is \$10 per mask. Please see the website form link below to order. Show your Nazareth School pride and order your mask today!

[Nazareth School Logo Face Masks](#)

### **NAZARETH SCHOOL CAR MAGNETS**

Nazareth School has car magnets available for purchase. The magnets have Nazareth School, our school logo, and the core values of the Sisters of Nazareth on them. The car magnets are \$10 each.

### **NAZARETH SCHOOL PRAYER REQUESTS**

We pray for ~

♥ Mrs. Ana Barragan Huckabee (Miss B.) as she leaves Nazareth School to live in Riverside County with her new husband. We love you, Ana, and wish you all the best!!

♥ Our Nazareth School Families and Staff/ - that all would enjoy a safe and relaxing Easter Break. Happy Easter!



**Core Value for April:  
Patience**

***Blessed are the gentle for they shall  
possess the earth. Matt 5:5.***



# Happy Easter!

Samantha  
Goddard

Felix Valdez

Mrs. McDowell

Hina Barragan  
Mrs. Fearman

Bridgette Grabenard

Mrs. Livado

Modeline Martinez  
Anna Johnson

Mrs. C.

Mrs. Rose

Mrs. Mendoza

Mrs. Covey

Mrs. Walthall

Mrs. Sebring

Mrs. Martinez

Rafael Castillo

Mr. Ziege

Ana Barragan/  
Hickabag

Mrs. Rene' Come

Mrs. Kinkadee

Mr. Knight

Marilyn Reed

Mrs. Horning

Mr. Fairhead

Felix Castillo

Courtney  
Madeline

Mrs. Burdine

Mrs. Mundy





*Congregation Sisters of Nazareth*  
*American Area*

**6333 Rancho Mission Road  
San Diego, California 92108**

March 31, 2021

Dear Nazareth Parents,

The Congregation of the Sisters of Nazareth and school leadership would like to thank you for partnering with Nazareth School. This year has been full of challenges, and together we have reimagined our school. By the grace of God, we have been able to open Nazareth School to both in-person instruction and distance learning, to support our community's needs in a loving and safe environment,

The Sisters recognize the financial sacrifices that families face when choosing to send their children to Catholic school. Our mission at Nazareth School is to provide students with a strong Catholic education that prepares them to be good stewards in the future. By integrating the Gospel core values of love, hospitality, respect, compassion, patience, and justice we give our students tools that can be carried through life.

With this mission in mind, the Sisters of Nazareth Foundation will continue to offer tuition assistance through the use of the new [Grant and Aid qualification process through FACTS](#). This is a financial needs-based program. Applications are currently being accepted for Nazareth School Tuition Assistance for the 2021-22 school year and all applicants must be enrolled in Nazareth School for the 2021-2022 academic year. The deadline to apply for financial assistance is April 30, 2021.

Thank you for entrusting Nazareth School with the Catholic education of your children. Working together as partners and with God's blessings, all things are possible.

The Sisters continue to pray for all of you and join me in wishing all of you a blessed Easter.

God bless,

*Sister Rose*

Sister Rose Hoyer csn  
American Superior  
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April 1, 2021

Dear Wonderful Nazareth Parents,

At sundown, we prepare for the Easter Triduum of the passion and resurrection of Christ. It marks the height of the entire liturgical year. The Triduum is the liturgical season that follows Lent, precedes the Easter season and is the period of three days. It begins with the liturgy on the evening of Holy Thursday, reaches its high point in the Easter Vigil, and closes with evening prayer on Easter Sunday. During this time, we celebrate the Paschal Mystery which is the passion, death, and Resurrection of Jesus Christ and is the culmination of the work that God the Father sent His Son to accomplish on earth.

Congratulations to second grade for their celebration of the Sacrament of Reconciliation yesterday. Father Raymond Philip lead us together in the Liturgy of the Word with Father Bill and Father Peter assisting in the Sacrament of Reconciliations. Please keep them in your prayers as they continue their Sacramental journey this year. Second grade will be receiving the Sacrament of First Eucharist on May 15, 2021.

Nazareth School would like to congratulate Grace Cunningham and Grace Balkowski on their science fair projects. They both received an invitation to present their science projects at the California State Science and Engineering Fair. This is a tremendous honor and we are very proud of them. In addition, Grace Cunningham was the winner of the Marine Technology Society's Award and Sophia Durazo received an Honorable Mention from the San Diego Psychological Association. Thank you also to Mrs. Reed for sharing her God given talent and love of science with all of her students. Her long hours of instruction and dedication to assisting our Nazareth students is appreciated beyond words. Fantastic job everyone!

Please note that today Nazareth School will be sending home report cards in the Family Envelope. Distance learners you may come to the office today and pick up your report card and Family Envelope. We have also provided a PDF file in Gradelink of the third quarter report card for your benefit. Please make sure you review them with you child(ren), and **return the signed report card envelope, when classes resume on April 12, 2021.**

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With the excitement of the Easter approaching, we ask that our Nazareth community please respect the travel restrictions established by the state of California and embraced by the Diocese of San Diego. As of today, the travel guidance's established February 1 have not changed. Please see the COVID-19 symptoms, Decision Tree and Travel guidance's listed in our Nazareth News.

Please enjoy your Easter vacation with your family and we look forward to seeing you back on campus Monday, April 12, 2021. Enjoy reading the Nazareth News for important upcoming events, information and COVID-19 guidance's. If you have any questions or concerns please feel free to call the office at 619-641-7987, or email me directly at [principal@nazarethschool.org](mailto:principal@nazarethschool.org).

God watch over our students,  
God watch over our parents and families,  
God watch over our teachers and staff!

God Bless,

*Mrs. René Coons*  
Principal  
Nazareth School



# NAZARETH SCHOOL

## Spring Giving Campaign

April 19 - May 7, 2021

*Help support the Nazareth School Tuition Assistance Program! The PTG will match the first \$10,000 in donations raised, for a total of \$20,000 toward the Tuition Assistance Program. Any additional monies raised above and beyond that amount will go directly toward the purchase of new iPads for students.*

For more information and details, visit the Nazareth School Facebook & Instagram pages.

LEVEL 1  
GIFT: \$75 - \$149



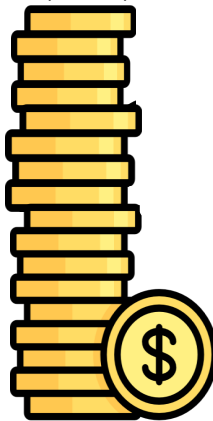
RECEIVE: Spring fundraiser t-shirt for each student in your family

LEVEL 2  
GIFT: \$150 - \$299



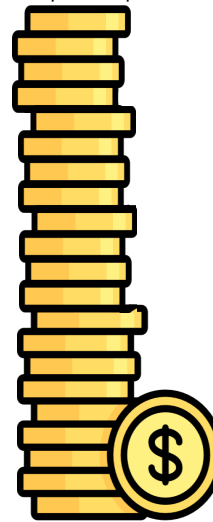
RECEIVE: Level 1 prize + Spirit dress for each student in your family on 4/22, 4/29 & 5/6  
One entry into "Principal for a Day" drawing

LEVEL 3  
GIFT: \$300 - \$499



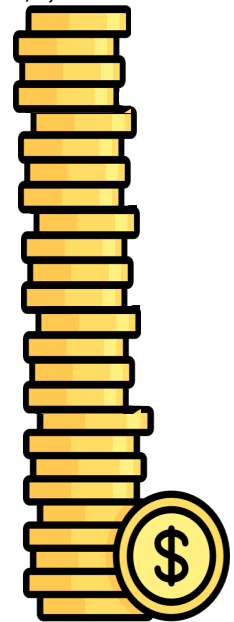
RECEIVE: All level 2 prizes + Additional entry (2 total) into "Principal for a Day" drawing  
Nazareth School license plate frame  
One entry into "\$500 Tuition Discount" drawing

LEVEL 4  
GIFT: \$500 - \$999



RECEIVE: All level 3 prizes + Three additional entries (5 total) into "Principal for a Day" drawing

LEVEL 5  
GIFT: \$1,000 & ABOVE








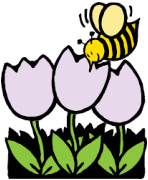
RECEIVE: All level 4 prizes + A **legacy brick**, with inscription of your choice, in the Nazareth School courtyard



Check your email on Monday, April 19 (the day the campaign goes live), for your family's **UNIQUE FUNDRAISING LINK**. This campaign is based per family, and not per child, so you will use the link to donate to the campaign on behalf of your entire family. Don't forget to forward the link to your friends and family also.

The **TOP 30 DONATING FAMILIES** will be invited to an Exclusive Zoom Prize Ceremony where they will select from a list of over \$9,000 in additional incredible prizes procured by our Fund-raiser Committee! Visit the school's Facebook & Instagram pages for photos and descriptions.

The **TOP FUNDRAISING CLASS** will participate in the **DUNK TANK** event, where you will vote and elect whom to dunk from a participating list of teachers/staff/principal.

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Core Value for the month: <b>Patience</b>				<b>1 Holy Thursday</b> Report Cards Sent Home 11:00am, Passion Play Minimum Day 11:55am Dismissal <b>No After School Extended Care – All Grades</b>	<b>2 Good Friday</b>  <b>No School</b>  <b>Easter Vacation begins</b>	<b>3 Holy Saturday</b>
<b>4 Easter Sunday</b> 	<b>5</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>10</b> 
<div>  <b>EASTER VACATION</b>            April 2 – 9    School Resumes April 12         </div>						
<b>11 Divine Mercy Sunday</b>	<b>12 Classes Resume</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>14</b> Crazy Hair Day	<b>15</b> 8:15am, Assembly – Zoom “Resurrecting the Alleluia” Prayer Service led by 7 <sup>th</sup> grade - Zoom	<b>16</b> 8:30am Mass at St. Francis Chapel led by 5 <sup>th</sup> grade  <b>Food Drive Friday</b> Minimum Day 11:55am Dismissal	<b>17</b> 
<b>18</b> 	<b>19</b>	<b>20</b> 2-Can Tuesday (Spirit Dress Day for 2 canned food donations)	<b>21</b>	<b>22 Earth Day</b> 8:15am, Assembly – Zoom Time Travel Day 	<b>23</b> 8:30am Mass at St. Francis Chapel led by 4 <sup>th</sup> grade. 3 <sup>rd</sup> will attend as cohorts.	<b>24</b> 
<b>25</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>29</b> 8:15am, Assembly – Zoom	<b>30</b> 8:30am Mass at St. Francis Chapel led by 8 <sup>th</sup> grade. 7 <sup>th</sup> grade will attend as cohorts.	
<div>Spring STAR Assessments Testing Window – April 26 – May 14</div>						