

Nazareth School News

Office: (619)641-7987 Fax: (619)280-4652 October 2, 2020 Preschool: (619)641-7954 Extended Care: (619)618-8236

NEW COVID-19 EXTENDED CARE HOURS:

Extended Care Opening at 7:00am

Extended Care Closing at 4:30pm.

WEEK AT A GLANCE – October 5-9

MON

TUES 2-Can Tuesday–Spirit Dress Day for 2 canned food donations

WED

THU 8:15am, Morning Assembly via Zoom
Decade of the Rosary

FRI 8:30am, Mass at Mission San Diego Courtyard
7th grade class representatives/8th attending as cohorts

[Nazareth School Reopening Plan](#)

[Nazareth School Distance Learning Plan](#)

Please sign and return the acknowledgement page to the above plans to the school office at office@nazarethschool.org as soon as possible. We need to have a copy of signed acknowledgement pages for every family.

ON CAMPUS HEALTH PROTOCOLS

The two 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 if your child is sick.

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

[Nazareth School On Campus Health Protocols](#)

[SD County HHSA & Office of Edu: Fever/COVID 19 Symptom Decision Tree](#)

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.

CAR SAFETY

- Parents stay in car
- Load from right side
- Teacher will assist with children

REMINDERS: NO SCHOOL

Monday, October 12 – Columbus Day Observed

Friday, October 23 - Diocesan Professional Development Day. This is a teacher workday and student holiday.

PROGRESS REPORTS

All 1st Quarter Progress Reports need to be signed and returned to your child's teacher. **Distance Learners – we have your child's progress report for you to pick up** – please call the office when you are here, and we will bring out it to you.

TURKEY TROT

Turkey Trot t-shirt orders are in today's envelope. Each student will receive one free t-shirt to wear for the event.

You may also order additional shirts. **Please return the order forms by Friday, October 16.**



EMERGENCY CARDS

Nazareth School Emergency Cards and Release Forms were sent home last week in the family envelope. Please fill out and return to the school office.

[Nazareth Release Form](#)

STAY HOME IF YOU HAVE THE FOLLOWING SYMPTOMS:

Please contact the Nazareth School office 619-641-7987 or 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

SPIRIT DRESS DAY – FOOD DONATIONS

Tuesday, October 6 is 2-Can Tuesday. Any student who brought 2 canned food donations for Food Drive Thursday may wear their Spirit Shirt and jeans or regular school shorts. Spirit Shirts are available for purchase for \$10 in the school office.



CATCH OF THE WEEK



Congratulations to Damiana Chuma (Kg), Valentina Smyth (1st), Ryland Anderson (2nd), Thomas Jordan (3rd), Leah Vinck (4th), Ethan Stroup (5th), Patricia Jordan (6th), Mayumi Bolger (7th), and Jean Pierre Noury (8th) who were caught doing a good deed this week.

HOT LUNCH

Hot Lunches begin next Monday, October 5 for those students who pre-purchased a lunch. Lunches will be boxed and brought to the students at lunch time. At the present time only bottled water will be included with the Hot Lunch, milk will not be served.

Reminder: Hot lunches may not be purchased on a daily basis and must be purchased in advance. Parents, please know that if your child(ren) come to school without a lunch, you will be called to bring him/her a lunch.

EXTENDED CARE

September Extended Care invoices are in today's family envelope. Pink statements are attached if you have a credit or a prior owe. Extended care payments are due upon receipt.

NAZARETH SCHOOL LOGO FACE MASKS

All Nazareth School students received a free Nazareth School face mask. 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](#)

GROOMING REMINDER

From Parent-Student Handbook:

The school considers grooming to be a matter of parental responsibility and urges all parents to keep their children's hair well groomed. In exceptional cases, the Principal will inform parents as to the necessity of proper hairstyle. **Extreme fad haircuts are not acceptable at school.** This shall include, but not be limited to, shaved designs, and tinted, bleached, or dyed hair. Boys' hair must be cut above the ears and above the collar. Boys must be clean shaven.

Girls may wear only clear nail polish. No artificial nails may be worn. Nails should be kept short and neatly trimmed. No make-up may be worn at school.

UPCOMING IMPORTANT DATES

- 10/12 Columbus Day Holiday – No School
- 10/16 Turkey Trot T-shirt orders are due
- 10/22 1st Quarter Ends
- 10/23 No School for Students – Prof. Growth Day
- 10/30 Halloween Carnival – Drive thru
- 11/11 Veterans Day Holiday
- 11/12 & 11/13 1st Quarter Parent-Teacher Conferences



MONTH OF THE ROSARY

October is the month of the Holy Rosary. At morning assembly during the month of October, the school will pray a decade of the rosary.



SCHOOL PICTURE PROOFS

School Picture proofs and order instructions were sent home last week in the family envelope. Distance Learners – we have your child's picture proof for you to pick up – please call the office when you are here, and we will bring out it to you.

Ordering deadline is Monday, October 5.

SCHOOL MASS – OCTOBER 9

Nazareth School 7th Grade students will be leading the Mass on Friday, October 9 at 8:30am on the Mission San Diego Courtyard. The 7th grade will be joined by the 8th grade class as a cohort. No parents or siblings permitted at Mass for the short term.

HALLOWEEN TRUNK OR TREAT

Nazareth School will be having a Trunk or Treat Halloween Event this year on Friday, October 30 from 6-8:00pm! Please see the flyers attached to the Newsletter regarding Pumpkin Carving and Halloween Costume Contests. If you would like to volunteer for this event, please email Melissa Hubbard at melissa.hubbard84@yahoo.com.



PTG VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

We are looking for volunteers to make our 2020-21 Nazareth School events awesome! PTG is looking for parents who can help us to reimagine these events in the "virtual" world! Please take a moment to pick an event or two and volunteer! It is a great way to get service hours, support our school, and hang out with other Nazareth Parents! The survey link is below.

PTG Volunteers Needed: [PTG Volunteer Survey](#)

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

Office Help – Parents are needed to pack the Friday family envelopes each week. We also need 2 parents to "unpack" the family envelope on Mondays. If you are able to help, please email Mrs. Coito at office@nazarethschool.org.

NAZARETH SCHOOL SAYS "THANK YOU"

Thank you to:

♥ Hoffman & Associates for their tremendous donation to support Nazareth School's effort to create 5 new Covid-19 safe classrooms!

♥ Anonymous donor of hand sanitizer, Clorox wipes and cleaning supplies to Nazareth School. We appreciate the loving help to keep our campus Covid-19 free!



October Core Value: Hospitality
I was a stranger and you welcomed me.
Matt 25:37



October 1, 2020

Dear Wonderful Nazareth Families,

As a community, in October we are focusing on the Nazareth core value of hospitality.

“I was a stranger and you welcomed me.” Matthew 25:37.

I want to express my sincere thanks to everyone at Nazareth for the amazing hospitality that you have shared with me over the last few months. I was truly was a stranger to the Nazareth family, and now thanks to the overwhelming support and hospitality... I feel I am home!

Please get excited for our reimagined Halloween Truck or Treat on Friday, October 30th from 6-8pm. It is a drive-thru Halloween celebration, with every class decorating a car, and handing out treats to kids as they drive by. For the safety of all, no children or parents will be permitted out of their cars as they drive thru, it truly is a mobile Halloween event.

We will be permitting students to come to school, on Friday, October 30th, in their Halloween costumes. The costumes must be Catholic School appropriate, no fake gooey, scary blood, no blow-up costumes, no weapons, no costume masks allowed over your COVID-19 masks. Students costumes must be comfortable and allow the students to learn during class. We will be having a virtual Costume parade, so please complete the enclosed Parent Media Release Form in today's family envelope.

Thank you to all of the parents who have already returned your child's signed progress reports. Communication is vital as we progress through this year, if you have not signed the progress report please do, and return it to your child's teacher. We are asking all distance learning families to please come to Nazareth School to pick up their children's progress reports and Family Envelopes.

Thank you to all the parents and families who have already began purchasing scrip, before and after school at the stone tables, under the orange umbrellas. Please park your car, use the crosswalk, and purchase as much scrip as your budget will allow! If by chance, no one is at the tables, you may walk up to the office for assistance.

We appreciate all of 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. Please drive slowly as we have many cars entering and exiting the pick-up line. The entire staff is working hard to temperature check your children and get them to and from class safely.

I wanted to extend my great appreciation to the 8th Grade and Mrs. Valentu for their excellent participation in Thursday Rosary and Friday Mass. We live streamed the Mass via Zoom, and it was viewed by the entire Nazareth school today. Next week, we will have 7th grade participating in the Mass, and 8th grade will join them, as they are considered one cohort. We encourage the class specific distance learners to join us for Mass, but ask parent to remain in the car, as we are adhering to the Covid-19 state guidelines.

Please read the entire Nazareth News for all of the fun upcoming events!

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

God Bless,

Mrs. René Coons
Principal
Nazareth School



Nazareth School

Parent Release Form for Media Recording

I, the undersigned, do hereby grant or deny permission to the *Congregation of the Sisters of Nazareth* and *Nazareth School of San Diego* to use the image of my child(ren): _____

_____ as marked by my selection below.

☐ **Deny** permission to use my child's image at all.

☐ **Grant** permission to use my child's image in the following ways

Nazareth School Yearbook: Child's image with publication of full name.

Website/School monitored Social Media: Child's image either unidentified or with first name only

School Video, and Digital Media: Child's image either unidentified or with first name only. (ex: **School play, First Communion, 8th grade graduation**)

I understand that these images may be used by Nazareth School of San Diego and the Congregation of the Sisters of Nazareth for the purposes listed above.

I do understand that my child's last name will not be used in conjunction with any other video or digital images unless specifically defined and I have granted permission in writing.

Parent/guardian signature: _____ **Date:** _____



Turkey Trot 2020 T-Shirt Order Form



Each student will receive one free T-Shirt to wear on the day of the event.
If you wish to order additional shirts, please return your order form to the office
with a check no later than **FRIDAY, OCTOBER 16TH.**

Price of additional shirts: **\$10.00 or \$15 for Ladies scoop neck**
Please make check payable to: "Nazareth School," Memo: Turkey Trot

FREE STUDENT PARTICIPANT T-SHIRT

Please return this order form to the office with sizes for your student(s) no later than FRIDAY, OCTOBER 16TH.

(Circle size for each child's FREE shirt)

Student name: _____ Grade ____ Shirt Size: YS YM YL YXL AS AM AL AXL

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ADDITIONAL T-SHIRT ORDER \$10.00 EACH

Please turn in your order form & payment to the office no later than FRIDAY, OCT. 16TH.

Eldest Student Name: _____ Grade: _____

Youth	S	M	L	XL	Total Shirts	@ \$10.00 each
QTY						

Adult	S	M	L	XL	2XL	3XL	Total Shirts	@ 10.00 each
QTY								

*** NEW THIS YEAR. ***

Ladies Scoop Neck	S	M	L	XL	2XL	3XL	Total Shirts	@ 15.00 each
QTY								

TOTAL \$ ENCLOSED _____

Save the Date

The Halloween Carnival is having a....



When: Friday October 30th 2020

Where: Nazareth School 6-8 p.m.

**PLUS the 8th grade class will be doing a
drive thru HAUNTED HOUSE!!**

AND



**During the day students can wear
costumes to school!**

More details to come...

**If you are interested in volunteering please contact Melissa at
melissa.hubbard84@yahoo.com**








2nd Annual Halloween Costume Contest!

Nazareth students are allowed to wear costumes to school!

When: Friday, October 30th

Winners from the lower and upper grades will be chosen in the following categories:

-  Best Group Costume
-  Funniest Costume
-  Scariest Costume
-  Most Creative Costume
-  Best Couples Costume
-  Best Overall Costume

***Please note: a group picture of the winners will be posted on our social media accounts. If you do not want your student(s) in this picture, please send a note letting their teacher know.**

A few rules to remember:

- Catholic School appropriate
- No fake gooey blood
- No blow-up costumes
- No weapons
- You must wear your Covid facemask
- No costume masks allowed
- You must be able to sit in your costume and learn

LASTLY-the teachers & staff have the final say!



PUMPKIN CARVING Contest



Nazareth Families - Please send a picture of your carved pumpkin and include your family name to marketing@nazarethschool.org by Tuesday, October 27th. Pictures will be posted on our website and a winner will be announced on October 29th at our school assembly.

Carving designs must be original (not from a purchased template). Only one submission per family please.