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5<sup>th</sup> Week of School: Important for the Weeks of September 20<sup>th</sup> and 27<sup>th</sup>, 2021

Dear HFGS Families, Faculty, Staff, Students, and Friends,

Let's celebrate Fr. Marlon's good news! The Office of the Vicar for Clergy in the Archdiocese of Los Angeles has announced that after a prayerful process of consultation and discernment, it is with great joy that the office announces that the following priests have been incardinated into the Archdiocese of Los Angeles:



**Reverend Marlon Mateo (Formerly of the Carmelite Fathers)**

Currently serving as Associate Pastor of Holy Family Catholic Church in Glendale.

**Reverend Ambrose Udoji (Formerly of the Diocese of Nnewi, Nigeria)**

Currently serving as Associate Pastor of St. Linus Catholic Church in Norwalk.

**Reverend Roberto Rueda (Formerly of the Legionaries of Christ)**

Currently serving as Associate Pastor of St. Joseph Catholic Church in La Puente.

Please note that the **4<sup>th</sup> weekly COVID-19 testing** continues and tomorrow, Monday, will be the distribution of kits, nasal swab testing from home, and returning the specimen tubes on **Tuesday, 9/21/21**. Please make sure that you RETEST on the website, NOT register. We all have registered so it means that when we each click RETEST, we will only have to enter our email address and the specific WEEKLY TESTING BARCODE (which changes every week). Then, check your email to receive a CONFIRMATION BARCODE to use. This becomes the proof that you have submitted and awaits for your weekly test result. During the week of 9/14/21 collected specimens, all had NEGATIVE results with two (2) rejected. There were a few without any results yet the claim was that they submitted the tubes with their child's swabs. To repeat, if no email confirmation was received from your end, that means they have not received your RETEST info (email address and weekly barcode). You should log in and encode every after swab test. Proper swabbing and encoding of barcode are required for rejects.

We highly recommend each family's taking advantage of this weekly testing for your peace of mind and everybody's safety.

**Important for the Weeks of September and 20<sup>th</sup> and 27<sup>th</sup>, 2021**

**Mon. 9/20/21**

6:30 p.m. – PCF 2021 Core Committee Meeting

**Note:** Distribution of weekly COVID-19 testing kits, swab test at home in the evening, keeping a record of the container barcode, entering email address and barcode in lab-fast.com RETEST column, anticipating a return of a CONFIRMATION EMAIL. This email has your Confirmation Code so you can check your child's test result on your own later in the week. Due to the volume of specimens being analyzed, results have become available at a later time on a Friday of each week.

**Tues. 9/21**

7:55 a.m. - 1st through 8th Grade students are seated inside the church following social distancing protocols.

8:00 a.m. - Tuesday School Mass

9:00 a.m. – Collection of sealed biohazard bags containing specimen tubes from each class.

3:30 p.m. - Faculty Meeting

6:30 p.m. – PTO Board Meeting

**Wed. 9/22**

9:00 a.m. – Fire Drill

**Fri. 9/24** - Professional Development Day for Faculty. No School

**Note:** Since this day is a non-federal holiday, the school is offering Child Care from 8:00 a.m. until 5:00 p.m. We sent the form last week through the family envelopes and if you need another copy, please call up the office before Wednesday of this week. Our morning drop off will be in the office lobby to

assemble Child Care students in 3<sup>rd</sup> Grade classroom and the afternoon pick-up will be from TK room / Lomita Gate.

**Mon. 9/27**

6:30 p.m. – PCF 2021 Core Committee Meeting

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**Tues. 9/28**

7:55 a.m. - 1st through 8th Grade students are seated inside the church following social distancing protocols.

8:00 a.m. - Tuesday School Mass

9:00 a.m. – Collection of sealed biohazard bags containing specimen tubes from each class.

3:30 p.m. - Faculty Meeting

6:30 p.m. – 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Parent Night, 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Classroom

**Note:** This is a required meeting for all 8<sup>th</sup> grade parents. Our pastor, school principal, and Middle School faculty will be in attendance.

**Wed. 9/29**

8:00 a.m. – 8:45 a.m. – Student-of-the-Month Assembly, GS Yard

**Fri. 10/1 – Loaves and Fishes**

**Note:**

1. Loaves and Fishes (1st Friday of the Month)-Bring canned goods for Loaves and Fishes to enjoy a non-uniform day.
2. Tuition Fees, Extended Care, and Other Monthly Fees are due via FACTS Tuition Management System

**An Academic Sharing by Our Faculty**

**TK & Kindergarten – by Mrs. Teresa Nelson**

Transitional Kindergartners can identify the letters in their name. Students find each letter of their name and with help, place them on the white magnetic board.



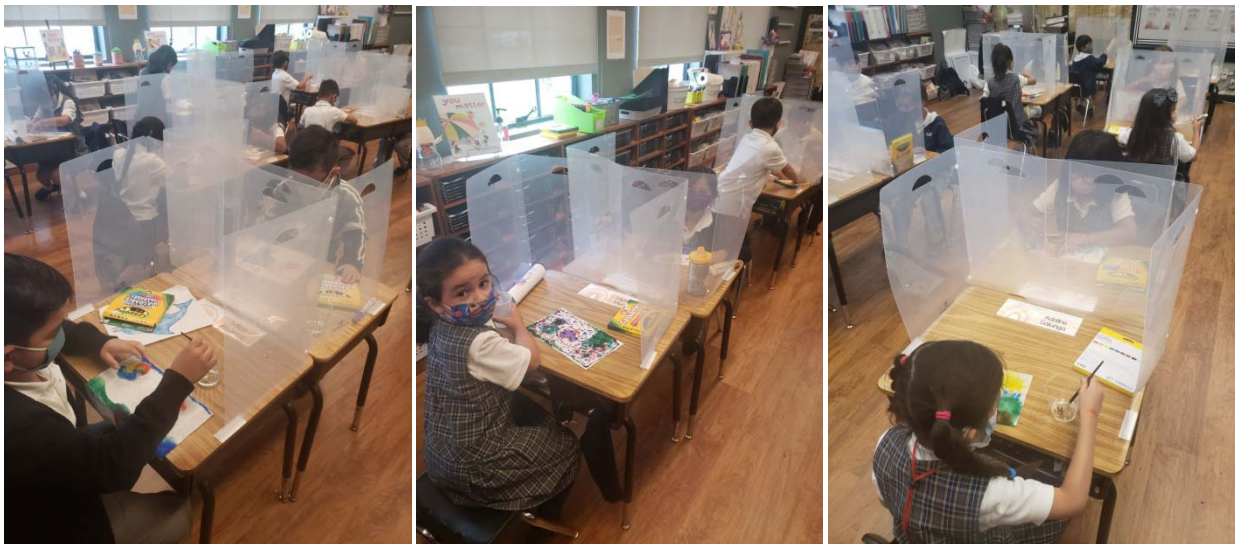


**Kindergarten** can sort items by like attributes. Students choose how they will sort the objects (size, shape, or color). Students describe how they sorted the items to their table partner.



### **1st Graders Learn How to Predict and Describe – by Ms. Justine Bote**

Our 1st graders first drew their own creations on paper towels using washable markers! Using some water on a small paintbrush, our 1st graders predicted what would happen when they “painted” over their drawings. Many of our 1st graders predicted that the colors would get darker or would blend together. Our 1st graders then described what they saw as they were painting!



### **2nd Graders Learn About Cultural Intelligence – by Miss Alexa Isaac**

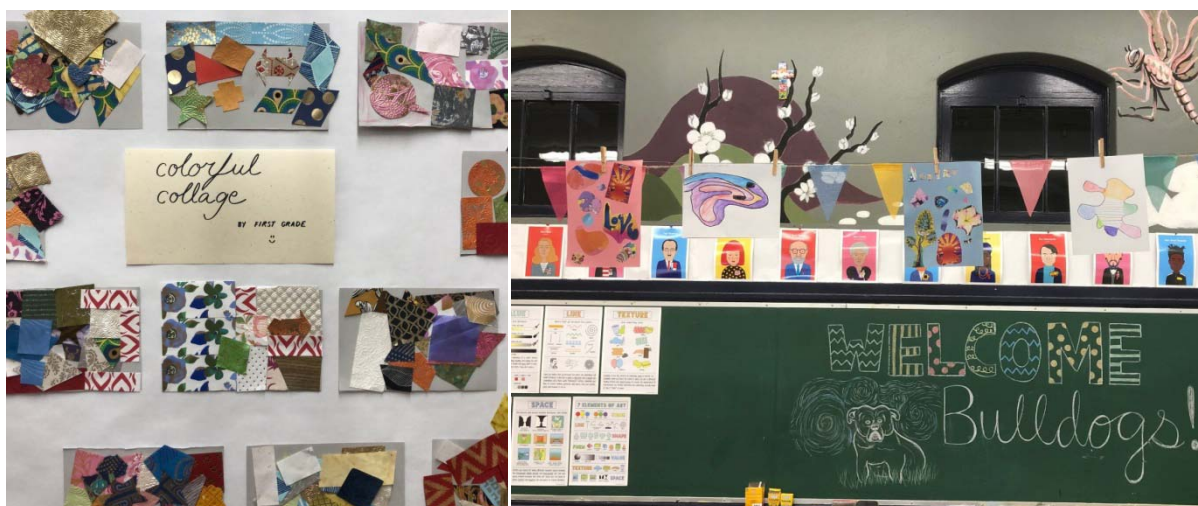
Our 2nd graders began a social studies unit on Cultural Intelligence; the ability to relate and work with people across different cultures. An interactive PowerPoint lesson was presented to the class and each student was given the opportunity to share what they love about their own culture. Then, each student was given a pack of “Colors of the World” crayons so they could find the shade that best represents

them for all their self portraits. They used these for their “Unpacking My Culture” scrapbook and are able to express themselves with a prompt on each page.



### Art News – by Miss Danielle del Rosario

First and Fifth grade learned about the art of collage and expressed themselves through creating their own. Using textured papers and magazine clippings, it was an activity to explore the element of space, and as a way for me to get to know them a little better. The two neurographic art pieces seen hanging were created by the 6th grade.



**For our prayerful meditation to begin the week**

**Psalm 126:1-6**

- 1 When the LORD restored the fortunes of Zion, we were like those who dream.
- 2 Then our mouth was filled with laughter, and our tongue with shouts of joy; then they said among the nations, "The LORD has done great things for them."
- 3 The LORD has done great things for us; we are glad.
- 4 Restore our fortunes, O LORD, like the watercourses in the Negeb!
- 5 May those who sow in tears reap with shouts of joy!
- 6 He that goes forth weeping, bearing the seed for sowing, shall come home with shouts of joy, bringing his sheaves with him.

Lord Jesus, you guide me by the light of your saving truth. Fill my heart and mind with your light and truth and free me from the blindness of sin and deception that I may see your ways clearly and understand your will for my life. May I radiate your light and truth in word and deed to those around me.

With gratitude and sending you God's peace and blessings,  
Dr. Suelto

**References:**

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