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

We hope that you had an exciting Sunday Super Bowl evening and celebration. Congratulations, Los Angeles RAMS!

2nd Graders' Sacrament of Reconciliation
Yesterday was another significant event in the lives of our 2nd grade students and the children from our Religious Education. They did their Holy Sacrament of Reconciliation! It was a beautiful Confession and asking for God's forgiveness through the help of our priests. Thank you dear 2nd grade parents, Fr. Jim, Fr. Mike, Fr. Marlon, Fr. Peter, Mrs. Rogers, Mrs. Nelson, Miss Stone, Miss Herrera, Mr. Makiling, Dr. Fernandez, and our student readers. We send a special message of gratitude to Miss Alexa Isaac, our 2nd grade HR teacher and First Holy Communion Coordinator. She has coordinated all the wonderful preparations to make yesterday's Penance possible. Congratulations!

Update from our Wednesday (2/9/22) COVID-19 testing = Zero positive(s)!
This is our second week to have received all normal and completed COVID-19 testing results from MyShepherdTesting Company. Great health, HFGS! Thank you and please continue to follow the best practices for hygiene and safety.

Groundbreaking Ceremony of our New Parish Center
Everyone is welcome to attend and celebrate with us from **9:00 a.m. to 10:00 a.m. on Friday, February 25th** at the Church parking lot. There will be dignitaries from the City of Glendale, generous donors, representatives from the Archdiocese of Los Angeles, our parent and consultative school boards, students from the Grade School and High School, our ministry leaders, faculty, staff, and more guests to witness this formal groundbreaking ceremony at the anticipated construction site of our Parish Center. A major phase of our BOF, Building Our Future plans will begin soon. **Save the date!**

Transforming Our Science Lab into a MakerSpace Room and the Upgrade of our Grade School Kitchen
These two renovations will be happening very soon and we anticipate to experience some inconvenience. We will need to make some sacrifices as the existing Science Lab will first be the focus of construction. The Science area will be next and taped for safety. Another flight of stairs will be directed for use by our Middle School faculty and students when the work begins. More details for setting new guidelines and directions will follow before our GS kitchen renovation starts. Thank you!

Winter Raffle Tickets 2022
This event traditionally comes with great dancing, a dinner, celebration, and real fun time. However, due to COVID-19 restrictions, only raffle tickets are being promoted. So, there's still time to buy a ticket or a booklet to support our Church. Please visit the office to get your tickets as you may be the lucky winner!

Important for the Weeks of February 14th and 21st, 2022
Mon. 2/14 - Happy Valentine's! / Professional Development Day for Faculty (No School)
Tues. 2/15 - Submission of all Short Fiction and Illustration Contest entries to HR Teachers.
8:00 a.m. - 8:40 a.m. - School Mass
3:30 p.m. - Faculty Meeting
Wed. 2/16 - City of Glendale's Junior Fire Program, GSA
9:00 a.m. - 9:30 a.m. TK through 2nd Grade
9:30 a.m. - 10:00 a.m. - 3rd through 5th Grade
Thurs. 2/17 - Jeans for Jesus
Fri. 2/18 9:00 a.m. - 10:00 a.m. - Math Quiz Bowl, GSA
Sun. 2/20 - Happy Birthday, Mrs. Leonora Bautista!

Mon. 2/21 - President's Day. No School.
Tues. 2/22
8:00 a.m. - School Mass
3:30 p.m. - Faculty Meeting
Wed. 2/23 - Happy Birthday, Mr. Krikor Kiladjian!
8:00 a.m. - 8:45 a.m. - Student-of-the-Month Assembly
Fri. 2/25 - 9:00 a.m. - 10:00 a.m. - Groundbreaking Ceremony of our New Parish Center, Church Parking Lot

A Prayerful Meditation To Begin The Week
Lord Jesus, may I always recognize your saving presence in my life and never forget your promises when I encounter trials and difficulties. Give me a faith that never wavers, a hope that never fades, and a love that never grows cold.

Psalm 119:67-68, 71-72, 75-76

67 Before I was afflicted I went astray; but now I keep your word.
68 You are good and do good; teach me your statutes.
71 It is good for me that I was afflicted, that I might learn your statutes.
72 The law of your mouth is better to me than thousands of gold and silver pieces.
75 I know, O LORD, that your judgments are right, and that in faithfulness you have afflicted me.
76 Let your steadfast love be ready to comfort me according to your promise to your servant.

Thank you and advanced Happy Valentine's Day,
Dr. Suelto