

Important for the Weeks of February 20th and 27, 2023

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

Math Quiz Bowl 2023 Winners

Transitional Kindergarten

1st: Agatha Teodoro
2nd: Isabella Martinez
3rd: Zoe Moreno

Kindergarten:

1st: Kira Nguyen
2nd: Chloe Thammaruja
3rd: Madison Thammaruja

1st Grade

1st: Lexeen Garcia
2nd: Kylo Arias
3rd: Darrylle Silvano

2nd Grade

1st: Ramsey Hogan
2nd: Angelo Sarmiento
3rd: Gracie Jazmines

3rd Grade:

1st: Howl Hodges
2nd: Julian Abdoush
3rd: Declan Raimondo

4th Grade:

1st: Josiah Cruz
2nd: Trinity Villanueva
3rd: Devin Vergara

5th Grade:

1st: Daniel Reyes
2nd: Bethany Samuy
3rd: Joshua Tojino

6th Grade:

1st: Camille Gammad
2nd: Calix Salunga
3rd: Angela Leynes

7th Grade:

1st: Shanessa Dias
2nd: Noah Samuy
3rd: Cailey Villanueva

8th Grade:

1st: Zachary Panis & Eli Ongyiu

2nd: Dylan Jazmines & Megan Cruz

3rd: Kaeden Alconaba

Thank you, Mr. John Roxas, Mrs. Teresa Nelson, and Miss Alma Stone for heading this Math event last Thursday. We extend our gratitude as well to our Math teachers, parents, all the participants, and alternates for working hard and excelling in Math. All trophies for those who placed and medals for participants will be received in a future student awarding assembly. Congratulations.

Rest in Peace, Bishop David O'Connell.

Bishop David O'Connell, born in County Cork, Ireland and served as a priest and later a bishop in Los Angeles for 45 years, passed away unexpectedly on Saturday, 2/18/23. He is being remembered as a "peacemaker" and "truly a man of God." Los Angeles Archbishop Jose Gomez shared these and expanded how **Bishop David** had a heart for the poor and the immigrant. He had a passion for building a community where the sanctity and dignity of every human life was honored and protected. Over the years, O'Connell was a pastor at a number of parishes in Los Angeles and several nearby communities. He worked on efforts to curb violence in the city, and many of his congregants were minorities and immigrants (NPR News 2/19/23).

*Hear with favor our prayers, which we humbly offer O Lord,
for the salvation of the soul of **Bishop David O'Connell**,
your servant as a priest and bishop
that he who devoted a faithful ministry to your name,
may rejoice in the perpetual company of your Saints.
Through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son, who lives and
reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever, AMEN.
Eternal rest grant unto **Bishop David O'Connell and the other faithful departed**, O Lord.
And let Your perpetual light shine upon them.*

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Mon. 2/20 - President's Day. No School / Happy Birthday, Mrs. Leonora Bautista!

Tues. 2/21

8:00 a.m. - 8:50 a.m. - School Mass

3:30 p.m. - 5:00 p.m. - Faculty Meeting

6:30 p.m. - 8:00 p.m. - PTO Board Meeting

Wed. 2/22 - Lenten Season 2023 (Ash Wednesday 2/22/23 through Thursday, 4/6/2023)

10:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m. - Ash Wednesday Mass for GS and HS students

Note: There will be no after school activity today due to Ash Wednesday services. Thank you.

Thurs. 2/23 - Religious Congress Youth Day 2023

Fri. 2/24 - Spiritual Development Day for Faculty. No School.

Mon. 2/27 - Happy Birthday, Mr. Tom Makiling!

11:30 a.m. - 3:30 p.m. - Deanery 6 Principals' Meeting

Tues. 2/28

8:00 a.m. - 8:50 a.m. - School Mass

3:30 p.m. - 5:00 p.m. - Faculty Meeting

Wed. 3/1 - March Madness

Note:

1. Two March Madness tickets/winners' names will be drawn daily from the raffle drum.
2. Tuition fees, extended care, and other monthly fees are due via FACTS Tuition Management System.

Thurs. 3/2 - Celebrating Literacy / Pajama Day

9:00 a.m. - 10:15 a.m. - ALA, Academic League & Ambassadors' Recognition Day

Fri. 3/3 - Loaves and Fishes

8:50 a.m. - 9:20 a.m. - Stations of the Cross, Church

9:30 a.m. - 2:30 p.m. - ALA, Academic League & Ambassadors to Universal Studios

A prayer meditation to begin the week

Lord Jesus, your love brings freedom and pardon. Fill me with your Holy Spirit and set my heart ablaze with your love that nothing may make me lose my temper, ruffle my peace, take away my joy, nor make me bitter towards anyone.

Psalm 103:1-4,8,10,12-13

- 1 Bless the LORD, O my soul; and all that is within me, bless his holy name!
- 2 Bless the LORD, O my soul, and forget not all his benefits,
- 3 who forgives all your iniquity, who heals all your diseases,
- 4 who redeems your life from the pit, who crowns you with steadfast love and mercy
- 8 The LORD is merciful and gracious, slow to anger and abounding in steadfast love.
- 10 He does not deal with us according to our sins, nor requite us according to our iniquities.
- 12 as far as the east is from the west, so far does he remove our transgressions from us.
- 13 As a father pities his children, so the LORD pities those who fear him.

Sincere thanks,
Dr. Suelto

References:

Fr. Anthony's Message

School Calendar

Sisters of Charity of the Blessed Virgin Mary