Important for the Weeks of March 13th and 20th, 2023

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

An awesome performance, Holy Family Children's Concert Chorus and Mr. Tom Makiling!

Mr. Tom Makiling, Concert Chorus Director, shared that HFGS Concert Chorus had a great time singing with 350 other children during this Saturday's **Pueri Cantores Festival at St. Michael's Abbey in Silverado**, California. Many thanks to our **children's choir**, **Mr. Makiling**, **Fr. Anthony Garcia**, and to the **extremely supportive parents**, particularly our chaperones.

The members of our **Concert Chorus Choir:** Emma Baradas, Daniel Bueno, Kamila Cervantes, Ellie Fernandez, Zechariah Flores, Camille Gammad, Isabella Lopez, Joaquin Lopez, Gabriel Malaguit, Denmark Miraballes, Jordan Navarro, Gabrielle Pangilinan, Zachary Panis, Andrea Polo, Bethany Samuy, Noah Samuy, Emma Tan, and Annalise Villa.

Our **parent chaperones**: Mr. Nars Samuy, Mrs. Anna Samuy, Mrs. Ingrid Bueno , Mrs. Grace Villa, and Mrs. Fatima Polo

Congratulations, Cheer Teams, Coaches, and Families!

On Saturday, March 11th, our Holy Family Grade School Bulldog Cheer Teams competed in the CYO Cheer Competition at Saint Joseph High School in Lakewood. Our Bulldog cheerleaders and families represented our school with spirit and Bulldog pride!

A special thank you to our cheer coaches Miss Isaac, Miss Valle, Mrs. Nelson, and standing in for Coach Riley, Miss Stone.

Congratulations to Holy Family Grade School for winning the following awards:

Varsity - FIRST PLACE Show Cheer Intermediate Level A "B" Team- SECOND PLACE Show Cheer Novice Level B Mighty Mites- FIRST PLACE Show Cheer Novice Level C Puppies- SECOND PLACE Show Cheer Mini's Mascots- THIRD PLACE Show Cheer Mini's MOST SPIRITED SCHOOL Trophy- HFGS Cutest Team- HFGS MASCOTS.

Individual Toe Touch Winners and Participants

Grace Jazmines - FIRST PLACE Level "C" Rachel Singzon- FIRST PLACE Level "B" Donnabelle Silvano- THIRD PLACE Level "B" Madelynn Isidron - FIRST PLACE Level "A" Lean Eira Tomines - SECOND PLACE Level "A" Mikayla Elder - FINALIST Level "C" Valerie Makhoul - FINALIST Level "C" Olivia Baetiong - Medal Winner "Level Minis" Camila Acosta - Medal Winner "Level Minis"

Toe Touch Participants (Ribbon Winners) - Elizabeth Leff, Michelle Murino, and Mia Haley Ruiz

Tumbling Winners and Participants - Elizabeth Leff, Valerie Makhoul, Mia Haley Ruiz, Michelle Murillo, and Mikayla Elder

HFGS Builders Club and The Kiwanis Incredible Duck Splash 2023

The Kiwanis Incredible Duck Splash ("KIDS") is produced by Glendale Kiwanis Foundation, a charitable organization for the benefit of numerous non-profit organizations, primarily for the benefit of projects and programs serving children and youth. HFGS Kiwanis Builders Club that is under the guidance of Deacon Ron Baker and direct supervision of Miss Alexa Isaac has established a goal of adopting ducks.

While the members of Kiwanis Builders Club are working toward achieving their goal and in strengthening their leadership skills, the members will communicate all important details to their families and their schoolmates in the next days and during a student general assembly.

https://www.duckrace.com/glendale https://www.duckrace.com/glendale/teams

Coffee and Donuts Today, Sunday by PTO Board

At the Church patio serving our parishioners after each Mass this morning were PTO Board President Mr. Tony Makhoul, Mr. Jerome Aguilar, Mrs. Fabiola Martinez, Mrs. Daisy Pangilinan, and Mrs. Leonora Bautista. Thank you for your generous time and service!

Inviting Dads for our Dads and Donuts at HFGS tomorrow, Monday, 3/13/2023

Dads, their child(ren), and fellow dads will have the opportunity to be together while enjoying some fresh donuts in the Grade School auditorium from 7:45 a.m. through 8:30 a.m. Please use the main school door for entrance, proceed to the auditorium, and enjoy this fellowship.

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Mon. 3/13 - Dads & Donuts / Parish Mission Night

7:45 a.m. - 8:30 a.m. - Dads and Donuts Day, GSA 9:00 a.m. - 1:30 p.m. - 2nd Grade Retreat hosted by Miss Alma Stone 6:45 p.m. - 8:15 p.m. - Free Child Care available for Parish Mission Night attendees <u>Note:</u> The entrance to avail of Child Care in the GS Auditorium will be through our school lobby. 7:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m. - Parish Mission Night #1 with Fr. Bartholomew Hutcherson, OP, HFCC

Tues. 3/14 - St. Patrick's Day Dance / Parish Mission Night

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

9:15 a.m. - 3:00 p.m. - Vision to Learn Shea Foundation Grant: Vision Screening from TK/Kindergarten - 8th Grade students - Mobile Van Day #3 Eye Exam

12:45 p.m. - 2:00 p.m. - St. Patrick's Day Dance, GSA

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

6:45 p.m. - 8:15 p.m. - Free Child Care available for Parish Mission Night attendees

Note: The entrance to avail of Child Care in the GS Auditorium will be through our school lobby.

7:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m. - Parish Mission Night #2 with Fr. Bartholomew Hutcherson, OP, HFCC

Wed. 3/15

8:30 a.m. - 1:00 p.m. - SPRING Pictures by Bronson Photography, GSA
8:30 a.m. - 3:00 p.m. - Vision to Learn Shea Foundation Grant: Vision Screening from TK/Kindergarten - 8th Grade students - Mobile Van Day #4 Eye Exam
6:45 p.m. - 8:15 p.m. - Free Child Care available for Parish Mission Night attendees

Note: The entrance to avail of Child Care in the GS Auditorium will be through our school lobby.

7:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m. - Parish Mission Night #2 with Fr. Bartholomew Hutcherson, OP, HFCC

Thurs. 3/16

8:30 a.m. - 3:00 p.m. - 8th Grade Field Trip: Physics day at Knott's Berry Farm with Dr. Krikor Kiladjian and parent chaperones

9:15 a.m. - 3:00 p.m. - 2nd Grade Field Trip: California Science Center with Miss Alexa Isaac and parent chaperones

Fri. 3/17 - Happy St. Patrick's Day. 8:45 a.m. - 9:15 a.m. - Stations of the Cross led by Fr. Michael Mesa, HFCC.

Sat. 3/18 - SHARP Shamrock Regional Competition at Sierra Vista High School, Baldwin Park, CA

Mon. 3/20 8:30 a.m. - 11:30 a.m. - 3rd through 8th Grade LENT Confessions, HFCC Note: Talent Show auditions will begin

Tues. 3/21 8:00 a.m. - 8:50 a.m. - School Mass 3:30 p.m. - 5:00 p.m. - Faculty Meeting

Wed. 3/22

8:15 a.m. - 10:15 a.m. - Fire Safety Program for TK / Kindergarten through 5th Grade **8:30 a.m. - 12:00 noon** - Regional Elementary School & High School Principals' Meeting, Bishop Alemany High School

Thurs. 3/23 - Cheer Fundraiser with Panda Express

8:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m. - 4th and 5th Grade Field Trip to San Gabriel Mission Playhouse to watch a performance of The Music Man

11:30 a.m. - 3:00 p.m. - 7th and 8th Grade Field Trip to The Los Angeles Superior Courthouse in Pasadena

Fri. 3/24

9:00 a.m. - 9:30 a.m. - Stations of the Cross, GSA

A prayer meditation to begin the week

Lord Jesus, my soul thirsts for you. Fill me with your Holy Spirit that I may always find joy in your presence and take delight in doing your will.

Psalm 95:1-2,6-9

1 O come, let us sing to the LORD; let us make a joyful noise to the rock of our salvation!

2 Let us come into his presence with thanksgiving; let us make a joyful noise to him with songs of praise!

6 O come, let us worship and bow down, let us kneel before the LORD, our Maker!

7 For he is our God, and we are the people of his pasture, and the sheep of his hand. O that today you would hearken to his voice!

8 Harden not your hearts, as at Meribah, as on the day at Massah in the wilderness,

9 when your fathers tested me, and put me to the proof, though they had seen my work.

Thank you and have a blessed Lent. Dr. Suelto

<u>References:</u>

<u>Fr. Anthony's Message</u> <u>School Calendar</u> <u>Sisters of Charity of the Blessed Virgin Mary</u>