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Angelo Catholic School Newsletter January 18, 2012

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Highlights

January 21 - Pro-Life Mass in the Cathedral with Bishop at 11 a.m. Everyone should attend!
Anniversary of Roe vs. Wade which made the killing of an unborn child legal – January 22
January 23 – 29 – National School Choice Week
January 23 – ACS School Board Meeting
January 27 – 100th Day of School for ACS! National School Choice Open House at ACS!
January 29 – Feast of Santa Angela
January 29 - February 4 – National Catholic Schools Week
January 29 – Eagle Choristers to perform at the 10 a.m. Mass at Sacred Heart Cathedral
Second through Sixth Grade students should arrive at 9:45 a.m.
February 2 – Science Fair (2nd – 6th Grade MUST have project!)
Kinder & First Grade on Elementary Campus
February 3 – Early Dismissal – 12:30pm, PC; 12:45pm, EC ****After school care available****

Student/Virtue of the Week

The “Student Virtue of the Week” for January 9-16 was *Resourceful*. *Resourceful implies the ability to deal skillfully and promptly with new situations, difficulties, etc.* Elementary Campus students who best exemplify the Virtue of the Week were recognized on Monday. Each received a certificate noting the honor. The students who best exemplified resourceful were: Second – Gabe James; Third – Gracie Diaz; Fourth/Fifth – Michael Samaniego; Sixth – Samantha Ruiz. The “Student Virtue of the Week” for January 16-23 is *Integrity*. *Integrity implies adherence to moral and ethical principles; soundness of moral character; honest.*

ACS Jean Day Privilege – Tomorrow January 19

If a parent/guardian attended the Home & School Meeting (and signed in) Monday, January 16, then the student is eligible to wear blue jeans with an ACS T-shirt/regular uniform shirt tomorrow, January 19. Look for an email with an eligibility list today. If you have questions, please call the office.

Pro-Life Mass – January 21

On January 21, at Noon, the Pro-Life Mass in the Cathedral will be celebrated by Bishop Pfeifer. Consider attending this very special Mass. After Mass, Bishop Pfeifer will lead the Rosary across from Planned Parenthood.

The 100th Day of School/National School Choice Event – January 27

January 27 will be the 100th Day of School for ACS students! Classes will have many activities to celebrate the 100th Day of School. Also, on that day, ACS will join with other schools across the nation encouraging School Choice for parents. More info will be available next week.

National Catholic Schools Week – January 29 thru February 4

National Catholic School Week is January 29– February 4. There are many special activities planned to celebrate this week. The theme is Catholic Schools: Faith/Academics/Service!

Science Fair – February 2nd

Kindergarten and First Grade students will attend class on the Elementary Campus on February 2nd to observe and learn more about the Science Fair. Students in Kindergarten and First Grade will need to be dropped off and picked up at the Elementary Campus. After School Care for Kindergarten and First Grade will be on the Elementary Campus on this day. Remember to park in the back and enter the school from the back entry when picking up children from After School Care. Generally, no one is in the office to hear the buzzer and unlock the door. Only the After School Care workers can let people in the building.

Early Release – February 3

Please remember that Friday, February 3 is the first Friday of the month. The Primary Campus will dismiss at 12:30 p.m. The Elementary Campus will dismiss at 12:45 p.m. The Elementary Campus will pray the Divine Mercy Chaplet in the Chapel at 12:10 p.m. Please join us. After school care is available this day.

Yearbook Orders/Payments Due Friday, February 10

Yearbook orders/payments are due February 10. In order to take advantage of the pre-order price, payment must be in by Friday, February 10. After February 10, yearbooks will cost \$23 each.

Progress Reports – February 8

Progress reports will be distributed to the students Wednesday, February 8. Any student/family who has outstanding fees will not receive a progress report.

Spelling Bee – February 16

Students on the Elementary Campus will participate in a Spelling Bee Thursday, February 16, in the Elementary Gym at 9:30 a.m. Students in second and third grades may choose to participate; all students in fourth, fifth and sixth grades are strongly urged to participate. Jessica Hasty, an ACS alum and former ACS Spelling Bee contestant, will hold practice sessions on Tuesdays and Thursdays from 3:30pm-4:00pm in the gym. Students not picked up by 4pm will be in After School Care and charged for After School Care for the day. For more information call 655-3325.

Remember:

- **Attend Mass on Sundays with your family. Attending Mass on Sunday is an obligation, not an option!**
- Collect box tops, Campbell soup labels, ink cartridges and old cell phones.
- Recycle aluminum cans (boxes available on both campuses).
- Attend Campus-Wide Mass on Tuesdays at Holy Angels at 8:30 a.m.
- Attend Campus-Wide Mass on Fridays at Sacred Heart at 8:30 a.m.

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- **February 20** – Presidents' Day – **Student Holiday/Teacher Professional Learning Community Day**



Please Pray for:

Faithful Departed

ACS Past, Present, and Future Students and Families

Frank Garcia, grandfather (Natalie Lopez, 1st Grade)

Gordon Picon, brother (Danica, 3K)

Father Charles Greenwell, Holy Angels Pastor

ACS Past, Present, and Future Faculty and Staff

Tori DeLuna, former ACS student and daughter of Mrs. DeLuna, PC Secretary

Joe Jacobo, ACS Spanish Teacher

Leslie Milford, mother (Samuel, 1st Grade)

Leslie Thomas, son of Mrs. Thomas, principal

Mr. Zuniga, husband of Mrs. Zuniga, 4K teacher

ACS Growth: Retention and Recruitment

All Military and families

All Priests

Seminary Students from the Diocese of San Angelo

More men and women to answer the call to the Priesthood and Religious Life

Strength and support for the Christian presence in the Holy Lands

Peace in the Middle East

For an end to abortion and a growing respect for all human life, from Conception to Natural Death