

#### **GSCS** Mission

With Christ as the ever-present teacher, Good Shepherd Catholic School is committed to provide academic excellence, Catholic values, and a faithfilled community to its students.

#### **Calendar Of Events**

- October 4th Feast of St. Francis
- October 7th Parish Blessing of the Pets 10 AM
- October 8th Family Mass 10:45
- October 9th Columbus Day
- October 9th BMC visit GSCS 5th - 8th
- October 10th HSA Meeting
- October 18th Fall Picture Make Ups
- October 20th No School K3 - 8 – Teacher In-service
- October 20th -Knights of Columbus Family Movie Night 7 pm
- October 23rd 27th – Red Ribbon Week
- October 24th 8th Grade visit BMC
- October 27th Booghetti Truck or Treat
- October 30th November 3rd - Book Fair

#### GOOD SHEPHERD CATHOLIC SCHOOL Principal's Newscast October 2023

#### Dear GSCS Families,

Happy Fall! It is hard to believe we are already in October. Our students are having a great time learning, from Johnny Appleseed to creating cell cities, to researching Blessed Mothers from around the world and completing Hispanic Heritage Month projects across many grade levels. Fall conferences are beginning and we look forward to welcoming our parents on campus for these conferences. As a reminder as stated in our Parent Handbook, "One time a year parents are expected to attend an academic conference with the homeroom teacher regarding progress and/or concerns."

Thank you to all of our mothers and sons who came out to our Mother/Son event. A great time was had by all! We will have our first HSA parent meeting this Tuesday, October 10th and we encourage all parents to attend. We will have a guest speaker, Amanda Livermore the Founding President and CEO of Cristo Rey School Orlando. This is a great opportunity to learn more about Cristo Rey as well as upcoming school events, and how to get involved.

This weekend is our Family Mass at 10:45am. We hope to see many of our families there. As a reminder, students who wear their school uniform (not PE) and then check in at the Family Center after Mass will be able to dress in spirit wear on Monday (Rams shirt with PE shorts and sneakers).

The month of October, which is dedicated to our Blessed Mother, is a perfect time to ask her intervention on our personal journey of life and for the safety and security of our school community. Students will be learning about the Rosary and say the Rosary in class throughout the month. We encourage all families to share the Rosary Prayers - http://www.how-to-pray-the-rosary-everyday.com/rosary-prayers.html . May Our Blessed Mother watch over us in a special way during this month of the Rosary and always.

Booghetti and Trunk or Treat will take place Friday, October 27th. All orders for tickets must be sent in by Friday, October 20th. This year we will be sending the wristbands home with the oldest child on Thursday, October 26th. Wristbands must be worn to the event to get in. If you do not have a wristband you will not be allowed to enter the Family Center. Please adhere to these rules to help make our night safe and successful. We look forward to seeing many of our families at this fun event!

The Scholastic Book Fair is back! During the week of October 30th, students will have the opportunity to shop the Book Fair. We will also have a Parent Night on Thursday, November 2nd from 3:30-5:30pm for parents to shop with their children as well. This is an opportunity for our school to acquire more books for our Media Center! On Tuesday, October 31st, we will be celebrating literacy with our book character day for all ages! We are excited to share our love of reading across all grade levels. Please see your weekly newsletters from your child's teacher for more information.

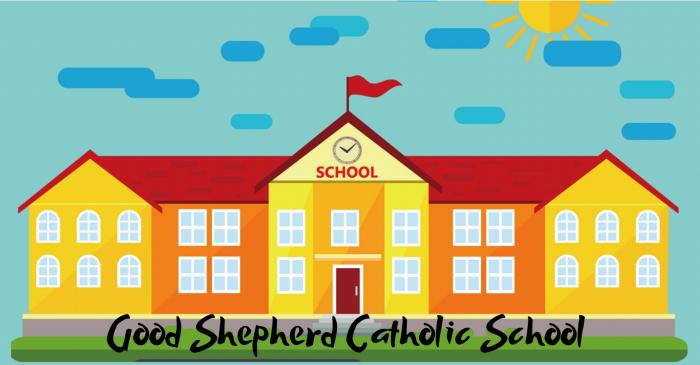
Good Shepherd's administration, faculty, staff and students are committed to our Good Shepherd Mission and R.A.M.S Belief: R– Ready To Learn, A– Accountable for our Actions, M– Mindful of Others, S– Servants of Christ With Christ as the ever-present

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"Let us not grow tired of doing good, for in due time we shall reap our harvest, if we do not give up." Galations 6:9

Blessings, Melissa Rangel, Principal





# Home & School GENERAL MEETING October 10th 6:00pm

# Media Center

Guest Speaker: **AMANDA LIVERMORE** Founding President/ CEO Cristo Rey High School

#### **\*OFFICE PICKUP RAFFLE\***

Attend in person and be entered to win Office pickup through November. Skip carline! Winner will be selected at the end of the meeting.



Includes: Dancing, games, music, and spaghetti dinner Trunk or Treat and dinner supplied by our wonderful Good Shepherd Parish and Youth Ministry

## **GS FAMILY CENTER** 6:00PM-8:00PM

**COST: ADULTS \$10- CHILDREN (0-12) \$8 NO REFUNDS- NO TICKETS WILL BE SOLD AT THE DOOR** NO DROP OFFS- STUDENTS MUST BE ACCOMPANIED BY AN ADULT



**TRUNK OR TREAT WILL BEGIN AT 7:30PM** Families will be called to line up by color coded bracelets provided to the families

Please complete and turn in THIS FORM AND FACTS FORM attached to the School Office by October 20th

Bracelets will be sent home Thursday, Oct 26th with the oldest sibling. Bracelets must be worn for admission. NO BRACELET=NO ENTRY

Name :

#of Adults attending: \_\_\_\_\_\_ # of children attending: \_\_\_\_\_

Total Amount:

Ages of children attending:



## DRESS DOWN DAYS! SPIRIT DAYS! GAME DAYS!

Help support our Athletic Program by purchasing one of our Magnets or Spirit Shirts!



### Spirit Shirt Order Form

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Date of Payment: FACTS Authorization Signature:											
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# **GSCS** Rams Athletics Sponsorship Banners



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WHAT'S INCLUDED:

\$500

#### 4' x 6' Banner to display along carline fence for the 2023-2024 school year, 2 Spirit Shirts, Rams Tote Bag, Fan Pom Poms, Rams Car Magnet, \$50 Retail/Restaurant Gift Card, Sponsor Logo/Link on GSCS website

\$350 WHATS INCLUDED:

2.5' x 4' Banner to display along carline fence for the 2023-2024 school year, 2 Spirit Shirts, Fan Pom Poms, Rams Car Magnet, \$20 Restaurant Gift Card, Sponsor Logo/Link on GSCS website

GOLD LEVEL

## \$250 WHAT'S INCLUDED:

## SILVER LEVEL

2.5' x 4' Banner to display along carline fence for the 2023-2024 school year, 1 Spirit Shirt, Fan Pom Poms, \$15 Restaurant Gift Card, Sponsor Logo/Link on GSCS website

\$150 WHAT'S INCLUDED:

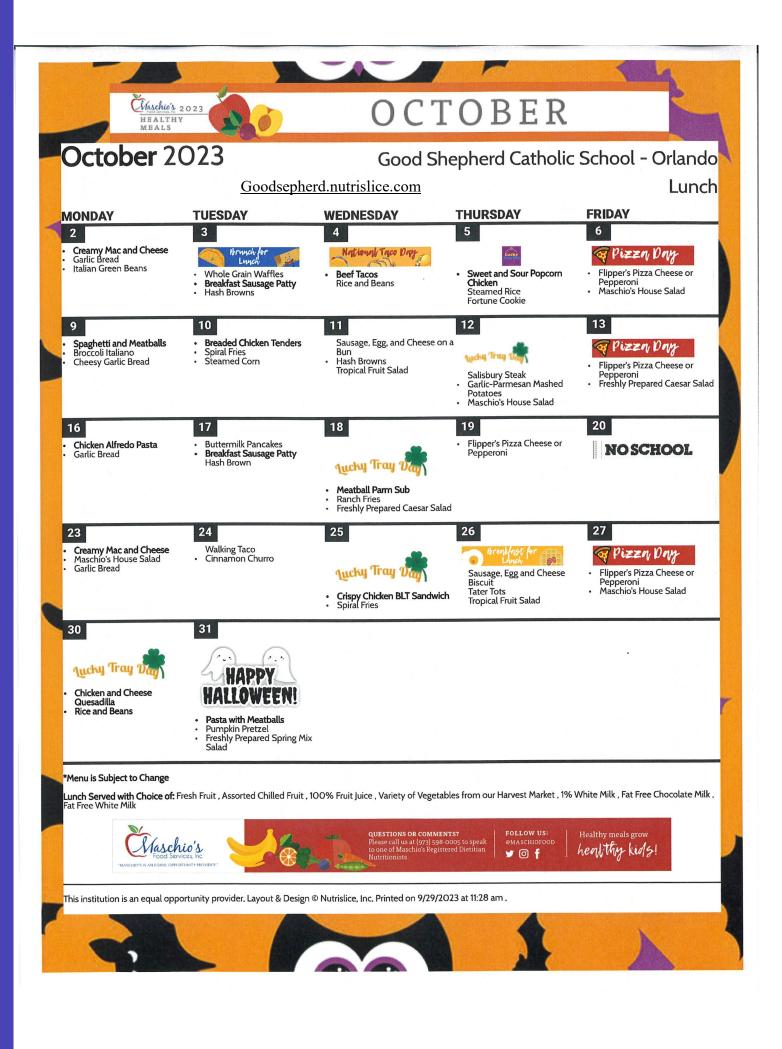
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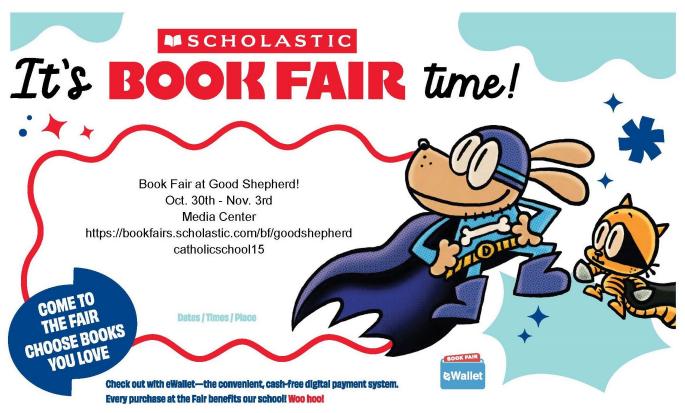
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Thank You So Much For Your Contribution and support to GSCS Athletics!





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Transforming the world one family at a time

Family Formation Prep Nights October 4, 11 & 18 6:15pm In the Family Center

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### SESSION 3 OCTOBER 25, 2023 6:15PM

FIRST RECONCILIATION BOOKLET



FAMILY formation

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## Sunday - 3:00pm - 4:45pm October 1, 8 & 29





**Life Teen Youth Ministry** <u>meetings</u> start with the 5:00 p.m. **Life Teen Mass** 

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Youth /Family Catholic Christian Movie Night

### "His Only Son"

WHEN: Friday, October 20th/2023

**TIME:** 7:00 pm

**WHERE:** Knights of Columbus Hall located at 5727 Cornelia Ave. Orlando, Fl,

**Movie Summary:** Only Son recounts one of the most controversial moments in the Old Testament-when Abraham was commanded by God to sacrifice his son Isaac on the mountain of Moriah. While traveling with Isaac and two servants, Abraham is flooded with vivid memories from the years he and Sarah spent longing for the son they were promised-the son he must now lay upon the altar.

**TREAT**: Free cake/beverages will be served after the movie.

FOR FURTHER INFO CONTACT: SK-Tony Pagan Jr.-Knight's Community/Life Director @ 407-325-0027/ apaganjryouthdirector@gmail.com (Please text or e-mail that you will be attending and how many will be attending from your family.