### **STA At-a-Glance**

#### Week 10: November 1st - November 8th, 2022

For more details about our upcoming events, please click on our School Calendar here



#### **Congratulations to STA's Swim Team**

Fifteen STA swimmers made a splash as they competed at Zones on Friday, October 28th. Nine swimmers will be moving onto Provincials at Watermania in Richmond on November 18th-19th. Great job swimmers for representing STA like true Saints in and out of the water.



#### **STA X-Country at the Zone Championships**

The STA X-Country team competed in the Sea to Sky Zone Championships held at Jericho Beach Park in Vancouver last Wednesday. Over 50 schools were represented at this meet. The Senior Boys Team placed 8<sup>th</sup>, the Senior Girls placed 6th, the Junior boys placed 8th and the Junior girls placed 15<sup>th</sup>. Three STA teams, (the Senior Boys, the Senior Girls and the Junior Boys) qualified for the Provincial Championships to be held in Victoria on Saturday, November 5<sup>th</sup>. This is the first time in STA history that three teams have advanced to the Provincials.

## STA Monthly Parent Association Meeting Thursday, November 3rd

The monthly <u>PA</u> meeting will be held at STA at 9:15am in the Alumni Room. Please rsvp to <u>Paola</u> if you will be able to attend. The STA PA welcomes new and returning parents.

#### STA School Bucks - Thursday, November 3rd

Please consider using the Schoolbucks program to take advantage of this convenient one-stop shopping program when buying gift cards for family,

friends, or co-workers for the holidays. Please check out the Christmas promos that are now available:

We only have THREE order dates to get orders submitted before Christmas:

- Order Thursday, Nov 3rd/ Pickup Thursday, Nov 10th
- Order Thursday, Nov 17th/ Pickup Thursday, Nov 24th
- Order Thursday, Dec 1st/ Pickup Thursday, Dec 8th

Further details on the STA SchoolBucks program can be found on the website HERE



GIFT CARD

### Christ the Redeemer Youth Ministry: Anchor!

All STA students are invited to Christ the Redeemer Youth Ministry's monthly event called Anchor! Come enjoy dinner, praise & worship, testimonies, cozy fall activities, indoor sports and more!

When: Sunday, November 6th, 2022 6-8:30pm

Where: Christ the Redeemer, 599 West Keith Road, West Vancouver

Please RSVP by Friday, November 4, 2022 to ensure enough food is prepared.



<u>The Door Is Open</u> is a Catholic Charities outreach service that provides meals and services to residents and transients in Vancouver's downtown eastside. Students must pre-register with

Miss Hughes in the Campus Ministry office. The school bus will depart from STA at 8:30am and return at approximately 2pm.



# Remembrance Day & Professional Day No School November 11th & 14th

There will be no school on Friday, November 11th to commemorate Remembrance Day, followed by a Professional Day on Monday, November 14th. School will resume on a Day 1 schedule on Tuesday.



### Legion Youth Remembrance Contest deadline November 15th

Are you an artist, wordsmith or a filmmaker? Create something about Remembrance and what it means to you and your country, and you could win local and national prizes, including cash and travel! For more information, please go to <a href="Legion.ca"><u>Legion.ca</u></a>



### **DRAWN EVERY 15-20 MINUTES**

HOME BAKED CHRISTMAS TREATS PICTURES WITH SANTA TALENTED ARTISANS & LOCAL BUSINESSES HOT BRUNCH & REFRESHMENTS

SCHOOL CHOIR 12:15 SCHOLASTIC BOOK FAIR





# It's time for STA's Annual Poinsettia Sale deadline November 21st

It's that time of year...STA's annual poinsettia and plant sale is back! Order online through the link below or in our bio. The selection of arrangements includes: outdoor greenery, hanging boughs, holiday wreaths and more. Please feel free to share the link with friends and family. Get ready for Christmas now...these beautiful plants are great presents and for decorating your

home. https://aquinas.growingsmilesfundraising.com/home



#### FAMILY: A link to the Past. A bridge to the Future

Please join us on **Wednesday, November 23** at 7:00 pm in the auxiliary gym as we hear from Father Giovanni. Families will learn about the importance of moral values and family values. Christmas is fast approaching, and it is the best time to share our hopes and dreams as a family. It is also the perfect opportunity to appreciate the goodness in everyone, as well as the blessing that they are in our lives.

Parents and students are encouraged to attend. Students will receive one volunteer hour by participating. You can attend in-person or watch live-stream on our <u>YouTube channel</u>.