



**St. Paul's School**  
**San Francisco, California**

**Weekly Newsletter**  
**October 31, 2007**

**Calendar:**

- Thursday,  
November 1    **10:30 a.m. Mass--  
Dress Uniform**
- Friday,  
November 2    Associate Superintendent  
Bret Allen's school visit
- Monday,  
November 5    Grade 1 and 2 Field Trip-  
Herbst Theater  
2:00 p.m. Dismissal-Start  
of Parent/Teacher  
Conferences  
Book Fair – 2:00 p.m. –  
6:00 p.m.
- Tuesday – Friday  
Nov. 6 – 9    12:35 p.m. Dismissal  
Parent/Teacher  
Conferences  
Book Fair – 12:35 p.m. –  
6:00 p.m.
- Monday,  
November 12    School Holiday  
Veterans Day Observance

**Principal's Message:**

Dear Parents/Guardians:

Sunday's Gospel tells the story of the Pharisee and the Tax Collector. The Pharisee boasted of his goodness, while the Tax Collector acknowledged his sinfulness before God. This Thursday we celebrate All Saints Day. Some great saints like St. Augustine and St. Paul struggled with their own sinfulness and with God's help they overcame their difficulties.

Please try to join us for tomorrow's liturgy at 10:30 a.m. The Sixth and Second grades have prepared this Mass and you will be able to hear about many more saints at this time.

Sincerely,

Arleen Guaraglia  
Principal

*On hallowe'en the thing  
You must do  
Is pretend that nothing  
Can frighten you.  
An' if somethin' scares you  
And you want to run  
Jus' set on like  
It's hallowe'en fun.*

*From an early 19<sup>th</sup> century  
halloween postcard*

**“Lighting the Way” recipients for the past week:**

Celina Baldizon	Grade 8
Angela Dailey	Grade 6
Gregory Guinasso	Grade 3
Percy Musni	Grade 3
Danielle Guinasso	Grade 2

**St. Paul's Annual Dinner Dance and Auction:**

**There is still time to purchase your tickets. The deadline to purchase tickets has been extended to Friday, November 2.** Enjoy *A Night with the Stars!* St. Paul's Parish annual dinner dance and auction takes place on November 3, 2007, beginning at 6:00 p.m. with cocktails and silent auction, and continuing with dinner, live auction and dancing. This is a great way to meet new school parents and/or guardians and to get a chance to know fellow parishioners. The money raised will benefit St. Paul's Preservation Fund, to help repay the debt from the retrofit of church and the rebuilding of our school. *If you have not yet purchased your tickets and would like to attend, please contact Anne O'Shea (415-641-9409) or Katy O'Shea at the Rectory (415-648-7538).* Encourage fellow parents to get a table together!

**St. Paul's Annual Dinner Dance and Auction Needs Your Help!!**

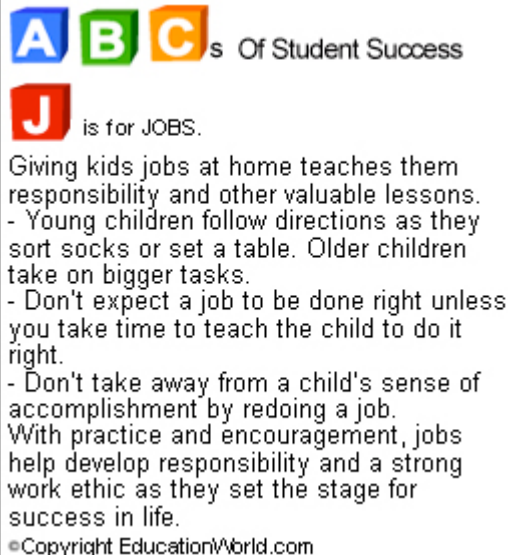
If you will not be attending the auction dinner this year, this is your chance to earn extra service hours! The committee is in need of volunteers, for several hours the night of the event, to help with the silent auction (check out auction items and clean up after auction). Anyone interested in volunteering for this event is welcome to call Katy O'Shea at the St. Paul's Rectory (415-648-7538) by Friday, November 2.

**Extended Care Billing:**

All Extended Care bills for September were due today. If you have not yet submitted payment, please do so immediately. Thank you.

**First Quarter Awards:**

Academic awards for the First Quarter will be presented after our Mass on Wednesday, November 21<sup>st</sup>.



**A B C**s Of Student Success

**J** is for JOBS.

Giving kids jobs at home teaches them responsibility and other valuable lessons.

- Young children follow directions as they sort socks or set a table. Older children take on bigger tasks.
- Don't expect a job to be done right unless you take time to teach the child to do it right.
- Don't take away from a child's sense of accomplishment by redoing a job.

With practice and encouragement, jobs help develop responsibility and a strong work ethic as they set the stage for success in life.

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