



# The Week Ahead

St. Angela Merici Catholic School  
December 2 - 6, 2019



## Advent - Find Hope

*God fills us with a living hope. (1 Peter 1:3)*

As the days become darker, we begin the Advent season and light the first candle of our Advent wreath. Let us light the way in the darkness and make straight the path to God. We await the coming of our Saviour with hope



Monday, December 2, 2019

Lunch Lady

12:00 PM to 12:40 PM

**Choir Practice with Mr. Carvalho's Class** — Chapel with Mrs. Maxwell and Mr. Almeida

3:15 PM to 4:30 PM

**Staff Meeting**

6:30 PM to 8:00 PM

**CSCC Meeting** — We will meet in the library

Tuesday, December 3, 2019

9:45 AM to 10:45 AM

**Advent Mass with Fr. Mani** — Grades 3 to 8 in the school gym. Thank you Ms. Belland and Mr. Carvalho for organizing this mass,

11:30 AM to 12:30 PM

**Advent Liturgy of the Word** — Kindergarten to Grade 2 in the school gym. Thank you Mrs. Hasler and Mrs. Lima for organizing this prayer service.

Wednesday, December 4, 2019

Please note that this is the date of the proposed 1-day strike action by OSSTF (EAs, DECEs, Office & Clerical, Maintenance). If a strike is not averted, the school will be closed to student learning, including before and after school care. Let's pray that an agreement can be reached ahead of this date.

6:00 PM to 7:00 PM

**Holy Trinity Open House** — Grade 8 students and their parents at Holy Trinity.

Thursday, December 5, 2019

Popcorn Day

Friday, December 6, 2019

**A Day**

**Domino's Pizza / Milk & Juice**

**SPIRIT DAY: RED & GREEN DAY**

9:00 AM to 12:15 PM

**#BTRU Session 6 of 7** — Officer Elisabeth with grade 5 classes

Mrs. Beckett: 9:00AM to 9:45AM

Mr. DiVito: 9:50 AM to 10:35 AM

Mrs. Taucar: 11:30 AM to 12:15 PM

Mr. Carvalho's Grade 5 students will be divided into 3 groups



### Upcoming Dates

Dec. 9	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Lunch Lady</li> <li>- Canada Learning Code Week begins</li> <li>- Play at Holy Trinity - Gr. 7&amp;8</li> </ul>
Dec. 10	- Kinder Christmas Concert Dress Rehearsal (staff & students only)
Dec. 11	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Zucca's, Milk &amp; Juice</li> <li>- Kindergarten Christmas Concert for Parents (9:30 AM)</li> <li>- Primary Christmas Dress Rehearsal (1:30 PM) &amp; Concert for Parents (6:30 PM)</li> </ul>
Dec. 13	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- B Day</li> <li>- Pizza, Milk &amp; Juice</li> <li>- Bradford Intermediate Science Olympics @ MAI</li> <li>- Christmas Hat, Socks &amp; Sweater Day</li> <li>- Jesse Tree Items Due</li> </ul>
Dec. 15	<b>Deadline for First Holy Communion &amp; Confirmation Registrations @ Holy Martyrs</b>
Dec. 16	- Lunch Lady
Dec. 17	- Mr. Sub, Milk & Juice
Dec. 18	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Popcorn Day</li> <li>- Rosary Apostolate Session #3</li> </ul>
Dec. 19	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- SAM Spirit Day: Wear SAM Spirit Wear and/or grey &amp; burgundy</li> <li>- Recognition Assemblies: Effective Communicator</li> <li>- Extreme Pita, Milk &amp; Juice</li> <li>- #BTRU Final Session &amp; Celebration</li> </ul>

This year, the Social Justice team will be holding a **12 Days of Giving** to support our Local Helping Hand Foodbank. We have researched what items the foodbank is in need of and have compiled a list of their most needed items during the holidays.

The Social Justice Team will be collecting these items daily beginning on Monday, December 2nd and running until Tuesday, December 17th. We kindly ask that families bring in a single item for each day of SAM's 12 Days of Giving. Thank you for helping us make a difference!

## 12 DAYS OF GIVING

*"During the holidays, no child or parent, no family or individual should ever be hungry".*

We have been given a list of 12 items the Food Bank is in dire need of at this time to fulfill their Christmas requests and everyday demand. We challenge our students to the following beloved Christmas song with a twist!

- On the 1st day of Christmas SAM students brought in a can of **FRUITS OR VEGGIES**.
- On the 2nd day of Christmas SAM students brought in cans of **MEAT OR FISH**.
- On the 3rd day of Christmas SAM students brought in **JARS OF JAM & PEANUT BUTTER**.
- On the 4th day of Christmas SAM students brought in **CANNED SOUPS OR STEWS**.
- On the 5th day of Christmas SAM students brought in **CEREAL** of every kind.
- On the 6th day of Christmas SAM students brought in **BOXED DRY PASTA**.
- On the 7th day of Christmas SAM students brought in **PASTA SAUCE**, to go with yesterdays pasta!
- On the 8th day of Christmas SAM students brought in **GRANOLA BARS**.
- On the 9th day of Christmas SAM students brought in **PUDDING CUPS** of any variety.
- On the 10th day of Christmas SAM students brought in **CANNED SPAGHETTI**, like Alphabets, Ravioli, and Zoodles!
- On the 11th day of Christmas SAM students brought in **BABY SUPPLIES** (diapers, food, or wipes).
- On the 12th day of Christmas SAM students brought in **PERSONAL HYGIENE ITEMS** (shampoo, conditioner, deodorant, or toothpaste)!

**HELP US MAKE A DIFFERENCE!**

Dec. 20

- A Day
- Pizza, Milk & Juice
- Comfy Christmas Day (pjs, sweaters, leggings, socks)
- Last day of school before Christmas Break