



# DECEMBER 19, 2024 NEWSLETTER



## Thank you!

We would like to thank Mr. & Mrs. Downing for their amazing work in the library. The whole Downing Family has been working to get the library ready for use! In addition, we are so grateful to Mrs. Downing for taking on the leadership role for the Academic Decathlon!

We would like to wish you all a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year! The office will be closed from December 23, 2024, through January 3, 2025. First day back to school will be Monday, January 6, 2025!

## DISCIPLES OF CHRIST FOR THE MONTH OF DECEMBER

### \* Generosity\*



- Preschool: Rosalynn M.
- Kindergarten: Azalea K.
- First: Gerard M.
- Second: Luna R.
- Third: Claire S.
- Fourth: Luke A.
- Fifth: Scarlett B.
- Sixth: Amelia H.
- Seven: Amelia M.
- Eighth: Riley C.



## Grandparents Day!

### January 31, 2025



More information to follow in January.

**FEEL-GOOD FOOD FOR A CAUSE.**



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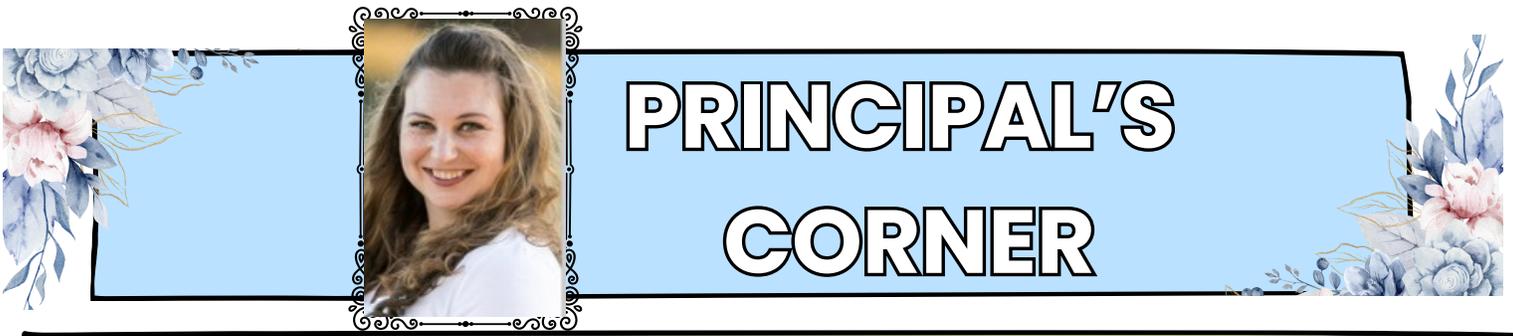
2962 Jamacha Rd.  
El Cajon, CA 92019



Parents if you are looking for a lost item, please see the lost & found area. All items not

claimed by **December 20th**, will be donated to used uniform. **Please mark all your belongings!**





# PRINCIPAL'S CORNER

## Big News: TK is Opening Next Year!

We are officially opening a TK for the 2025-2026 school year! Attached to the email you will find a flyer with all of the information. There are only 12 spots available and registration opens officially on Jan. 6th.

### State of the School Address

Mark your calendars. This will be a mandatory meeting in order to receive your child's progress report on Jan. 16th @ 6pm in the Parish Hall

This critical meeting will be our opportunity to be transparent with our current financial status and give pivotal insight into our future plans for the schools advancement. We need everyone in attendance.

### Christmas Break

While on break, if there is anything you need to discuss relating to your child's education, please make sure to direct all correspondence to [alococo@holytrinityhawks.com](mailto:alococo@holytrinityhawks.com). I have instructed my faculty and staff to not respond to any emails over the break, but I will be checking my email regularly and I am happy to help. Have a blessed and Merry Christmas!

### Financial Aid

Everyone deserves a Catholic Education! Our financial aid window for the 2025-2026 school year will officially open via FACTS on Jan. 6th until February 28th. Please be sure to have your W-2's and your most recent tax return to submit via FACTS. In order to be considered for Financial Aid you must submit your info during this window. Financial Aid award letters will be given by April 28th.

### Shout Out

A special thank you to my faculty and staff for an amazing surprise Baby Shower! I am so blessed with such a wonderful community of support. Babies are such a blessing from God and I so grateful to be a mom X3.

### Maternity Leave



Jan 29th-March 2nd

Return on March 3rd



**It's a Boy**

Congratulations to Shantel Bazzi (HT Alumni Class of 2010) on the birth of her baby boy. Lourdes B in 3rd grade is a happy Aunt.

**Gianni Ghazal**  
8 lbs - 20"

Congratulations to our Honor Roll Recipient for 8th Grade

**Robert D.**

**Today's Attachments**

TK Flyer (DC)  
Choir Flyer (DC)  
Shater Learning Center (DC)

DC= Digital Copy      HC = Hard Copy

# SPORTS NEWS

**SOCCKER PRACTICE IS UP AND RUNNING. AS SOON AS WE HAVE THE DATES AVAILABLE A SIGNUP GENIUS WILL BE AVAILABLE FOR VOLUNTEER HOURS IN THE SNACK SHACK. THANK YOU TO ALL THE AMAZING COACHES!**



Events at a Glance	January
01/06/25	Return to School
01/08/25	Habit Fundraiser 4:00 pm-9:00 pm
01/16/25	State of the School Address 6:00 pm
01/16/25	Second Trimester Progress Reports
01/17/25	No School Teacher In-Service
01/20/25	No School-Martin Luther King Jr
01/26/25	10:00 am Parish Mass to begin Catholic Schools Week
01/26/25	Holy Trinity School Open House 11:00 am
01/27/25	Disciples of Christ Recognition 8:00 am
01/26-02/01/25	Catholic Schools Week
01/27-31/25	6th Grade AstroCamp
01/31/25	Grandparents Day Mass 9:00 am

**You are doing GREAT!**

We are so thankful for our amazing 2024-25 Room Parents!

Kindergarten: Mrs. Downing  
 First: Ms. Nelson  
 Second: Mrs. Levada  
 Third: Mrs. Khouri

Fourth: Mrs. Jamil  
 Fifth: Mrs. Ballo  
 Sixth: Mrs. Ballo  
 Seventh: Mrs. Mabalot  
 Eighth: Mrs. Gonzalez

*Truly Grateful for you.*

## This week's B O B recipients !

Preschool: Davina S.  
 Preschool: Colton H.  
 Kindergarten: Parker D.  
 First: Gerard M.  
 Second: Jack H.  
 Third: Lourdes B.  
 Fourth: Savannah J.  
 Fifth: Amelia T.  
 Sixth: Mollie C.  
 Seventh: Taleen M.  
 Eighth: Larsa H.

Be our Best



**Thank you for your support of The Holy Trinity Angel Tree Project and our Toy Drive for Rady's Children's Hospital.**

We are grateful to the Mansour Family for their generosity in providing huge boxes of toys for The Kylie Rowland Foundation. Thank you, Ms. Nelson for your work with this amazing project.



## Student Council News



- Otter Pops will be sold every Friday for .50¢ at the lunch tables.
- Keep sending in your recyclables!



Pio S. December 20  
 Cristiano K. December 28  
 Mollie C. January 2  
 Amelia H. January 3  
 Liam P. January 4

## We are available to assist you!

**Questions?** Visit the School Website: [www.holytrinityschoolcajon.com](http://www.holytrinityschoolcajon.com)

**SCHOOL** (619) 444-7529 M-T-Th-F Hours: 7:30am-3:30pm  
 Wednesdays 7:30am-1:30pm

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### Frequently used numbers:

Uniform Store: (619) 466-5437

FACTS Helpline: (866) 441-4637

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