



Our Lady of Guadalupe School

In the MSJ Dominican Tradition



Dear OLG Families,

Today we had a “Prayer In” in support of the ‘walk out’ by high school and college students throughout the nation. We held a moment of 17 seconds of silence for Peace and each class was involved in a prayer service, which culminated in each student and staff member committing to a daily peaceful act. In the Gospel of St. Matthew, the disciples ask Jesus why they could not cure someone.

“Jesus replied, ‘Because you have so little trust,’ he told them. ‘I assure you, if you had faith the size of a mustard seed, you would be able to say to this mountain, ‘Move from here to there,’ and it would move. Nothing would be impossible for you. This kind of cure cannot happen but by prayer and fasting.”
(Mt. 17:18-21)

The power we have in these days when so much seems beyond our control is **prayer**. This, the children do well and are a great model for us adults. Let us remember that we have been gifted with faith, even if it is as small as a mustard seed!

In God’s Peace,

S. Janice Therese, O.P.

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Financial Assistance Applications

Now Being Accepted

Applications for financial assistance for the 2018-2019 school year are now available. Please pick up a brochure outside the main office for information on eligibility and how to apply or contact Cynthia in the bookkeeping office for more information by Thursday, March 15.

**Deadline to apply for Financial Aid is
this Friday, March 16th**

CALENDAR AT-A-GLANCE

THUR	Mar 15	St. Patrick's Day Free Dress (at least 50% green clothing) Permission forms for Willy Wonka are due today!
FRI	Mar 16	No School – Elementary Staff Day
TUE	Mar 20	7pm Finance Board Meeting
WED	Mar 21	2pm Dismissal
THUR	Mar 22	No dancersDivine practice today No Chess Club today
FRI	Mar 23	No ChoiceLunch today Lunch provided to students in the play cast and stage crew Spring Musical – 10:00am and 11:30am at Ohlone – Smith Theater
SAT	Mar 24	Spring Musical – 2:30pm and 7:30pm at Ohlone – Smith Theater
SUN	Mar 25	Palm Sunday
TUE	Mar 27	Christian Value Awards at morning assembly
WED	Mar 28	2pm Dismissal
THUR	Mar 29	Holy Thursday – Please no backpacks needed at school today. Noon Dismissal for PreK – 8th Grades – No PM Extended Care Easter Holiday begins
MON	Apr 9	School Resumes

Prayer Requests

- *Please keep Larissa Holmes in your prayers. Larissa (mother to Leila, gr. 2) has been recovering from surgery following a brain aneurysm and had another surgery today.*
- *Let us ask our Father in heaven to bless us with the wisdom and strength to be peacemakers.*
- *Let us pray for this country's lawmakers who have worked so diligently to change gun laws. May they receive the support needed to be successful in their efforts to make our country safer.*

Enrollment for 2018-2019 for Current OLG Students

OLG Parents - Please do not submit an application for your child for the 2018-2019 school year. Applications are only used for new students who will be attending OLG for the first time.

For current students, there will be an enrollment/registration period to enroll your child/ren for the 2018-2019 school year. The enrollment period will be from **May 1 – May 15** and more information will be sent out in advance.

Drama Production Volunteer Sign Up Sheet

Parent volunteers are needed to help supervise children during rehearsals and shows at OLG and Ohlone, and to help assemble and distribute lunches on Friday March 23, 2018 at school.

Below are the days and times that parent volunteers are needed to help supervise children while at rehearsals or the actual performances. Please check any days/times you would like to volunteer. These hours can be counted toward your family's Service Hour requirement.

PLEASE PRINT and RETURN the form below by Thursday, March 15

(extra forms are available at the school office). Assignments will be sent to you on Monday, March 19. If you have any questions please contact Ms. Colon or Mrs. Bellison.

Parent Volunteer's Name _____

Oldest Child's Name _____ Grade _____

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| ___ Tuesday, March 20 | 3 – 5pm (at OLG Parish Center) |
| ___ Wednesday, March 21 | 4 – 5pm (at Ohlone) |
| ___ Wednesday, March 21 | 5 – 7pm (at Ohlone) |
| ___ Thursday, March 22 | 4 – 7pm (at Ohlone) |
| ___ Friday, March 23 | 8am – 1pm (at Ohlone) |
| ___ Friday, March 23 | 9 – 11am (at OLG making lunches) |
| ___ Saturday, March 24 | 1:30pm – end of performance (at Ohlone) |
| ___ Saturday, March 24 | 6:30pm – end of performance (at Ohlone) |



Willy Wonka Play Rehearsal Schedule

Kinder, 1st Grade, 2nd Grade

Tuesday, March 20 --- 3 – 5pm at OLG (Parish Center)
Wednesday, March 21 --- 4 - 5pm at Ohlone College
Thursday, March 22 --- 4 – 7pm at Ohlone College

3rd and 4th Grades

Tuesday, March 20 --- 3 – 5pm at OLG (Parish Center)
Wednesday, March 21 --- 5- 6:30pm at Ohlone College
Thursday, March 22 --- 4 – 7pm at Ohlone College

5th – 8th Grades

Monday, March 19 --- 3 - 5pm at OLG (Parish Center)
Tuesday, March 20 --- 3 – 5pm at OLG (Parish Center)
Wednesday, March 21 --- 4 – 7pm at Ohlone College
Thursday, March 22 ---- 4 – 7pm at Ohlone College



Families are responsible for transporting their own child(ren) or arranging transportation for them to and from the practices noted above.

Additional details and Permission Forms will be sent home on Monday, March 12th.

Costume Requirements for Willy Wonka Musical

Kinder, 1st and 2nd Graders:

Wear black pants and black shoes (the rest of the costume will be provided)

3rd and 4th Grade Oompa Loompas:

If your child is in the 3rd or 4th grade and is an Oompa Loompa in the Willy Wonka musical, then please make note of the following costume requirements:

Wear white shorts (knee-length) and white tennis shoes.

Shirts, socks, hair and suspenders will be provided.

Instructions for All Students for Friday, March 23

Permission Forms were sent home with each child on Monday, March 12th.

- Students in the play will receive a 2-sided permission form, 1 side for performing Friday and the other side for performing Saturday.
- Students not performing will receive a 1-sided permission form for attending the play on Friday.
- For students performing or part of the stage crew, this covers the cost of the bus on Friday and lunch.
- For students attending the play this covers the cost of the performance ticket and the bus.
- **All permission forms with \$12.00 are DUE Thursday, March 15.**
- ALL STUDENTS (CAST AND AUDIENCE) MUST RETURN TO SCHOOL BY BUS ON FRIDAY. IF PARENTS WISH TO TAKE THEIR CHILD HOME EARLY THAT DAY, HE/SHE MUST BE SIGNED OUT AFTER RETURNING TO SCHOOL.

Instructions for Students Performing in the Willy Wonka Play for Friday, March 23 and Saturday, March 24

INSTRUCTIONS FOR CAST FOR FRIDAY, March 23

- Cast and Stage Crew are to be dropped off at Ohlone College Theater on Friday, March 23rd between 8:00 and 8:15 am.
- They must check in with Mrs. Bellison in the main lobby.
- The person dropping off must park and escort the child(ren) to the lobby of the theater. No person should enter the theater from one of the backstage doors.
- You will be required purchase a parking ticket at Ohlone's parking lot.
- Snacks will be provided at the theater for the cast and crew.
- Students must return to school on the bus after the performances.
- Lunch will be provided at school for cast and stage crew when students return.
- Each child must be signed out at school should parents wish to take them home early.

INSTRUCTIONS FOR CAST FOR SATURDAY, March 24

- Cast and Crew are to be dropped off at Ohlone College Theater at 1:30 PM for the afternoon performance.
- Each student MUST check in at the main lobby area.

Students MUST be picked up after the first performance at approximately 3:45 PM. For the evening performance, students should be dropped off at Ohlone College Theater at 6:30 PM. Students MUST check in at the main lobby area once again. There will be pizza for cast, crew and their parents after the evening performance.



NOTE: Seating is limited. Please plan to order your tickets as soon as possible. Tickets will only be sold at the door if any seats are still open.

A Musical Performed by:
The Students of
Our Lady of Guadalupe School
At the Smith Center Theater, Ohlone College
43600 Mission Blvd, Fremont CA 94539

Ticket Order Form

Please complete the order form and return with payment to the school office. Checks may be made payable to OLG School. Credit cards are accepted if presented in person at the Bookkeeper's office.

Family Name _____

Oldest/Only Child _____ Grade _____

4 performances:

Friday, March 23, 10:00am - # General Admission Tix _____ x \$8.00 = \$ _____ Total

Friday, March 23, 11:30am - # General Admission Tix _____ x \$8.00 = \$ _____ Total

Saturday, March 24, 2:30pm - # General Admission Tix _____ x \$8.00 = \$ _____ Total

Saturday, March 24, 7:30pm - # General Admission Tix _____ x \$10.00 = \$ _____ Total

Note: Children 3 and under are admitted for free and must share a seat with an adult. All other guests need a ticket to attend the show.

Please place your ticket orders early and no later than March 20th

OLG students who are not performing must wear their **FULL UNIFORM** on Friday, March 24. Those not in the play will be attending the 11:30am performance on Friday, March 24.

Service Hour Opportunities

Please note that there are new tasks added to this list each week:



- Volunteers are needed to help watch students during play practice, help backstage during performances of the play, and prepare lunches on Friday, 3/23 for students in the play and stage crew. Please see the sign-up form on page 3 of this bulletin.
- A lunch service volunteer is needed for Wednesdays. The commitment is from 12:10pm – 12:50pm each Wednesday. Even if you can only commit to two Wednesdays per month, please contact Mrs. Murray at 510-657-1674 or kmurray@csdo.org.
- Ongoing opportunities are available to help keep our benches clean and grounds free of weeds. If you are only available to help on weekends, this may be a good option for you. For more details please call the school office.
- If you like to work in the garden, we can use your help in our back yard and vegetable garden. Please contact AnnMarie Silveira for more information at: annmarie.silveira@outlook.com.
- Service hours can be earned by making donations to the school. Up to 11 hours of the 35 total hours required can be earned this way. 1 Service Hour is given for every \$10 spent. Keep your receipt to submit to the Service Hour coordinator.

(Reminder: Parent Service Hours for this school year must be completed by April 13, 2018)

God who has opened the door of faith

"From Attalia they sailed back to Antioch, where they had been committed to the grace of God for the work they had now completed. On arriving there, they gathered the church together and reported all that God had done through them and how he had opened a door of faith to the Gentiles. And they stayed there a long time with the disciples."

—Acts 14:26-28

Leader: God who has opened the door of faith...

✦ *...help me walk through.*

Leader: As the gift of faith is of greater worth than gold...

✦ *...help me be ever-grateful for the inheritance our ancestors in the faith have left me.*

Leader: As faith without works is dead...

✦ *...help my works be just and charitable, and so allow my faith to live.*

Leader: As faith is the substance of things hoped for...

✦ *...help my hope to blossom more fully.*

Leader: As faith as small as a mustard seed can move mountains...

✦ *...help me to put aside the chaff in my life to find the seeds from which my faith can spring.*

Leader: And if indeed I do find a faith that can move mountains, but have not love, I am nothing.

✦ *...and so I beg you to couple my faith with an undying love.*

Help this gift of faith be a source of growth for my spirit, for the Church's spirit, for the spirit of humanity.

Leader: God who has opened the door of faith...

✦ *...help me walk through.*

Scriptural References

"...of greater worth than gold..." (1 Peter 1:7)

"...faith without works..." (James 2:17)

"...substance of things hoped for..." (Hebrews 11:1)

"...small as a mustard seed..." (Matthew 17:20)

"...have not love, I am nothing..." (1 Corinthians 13:2)



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