



Father Michael Goetz Secondary School

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'Take a Risk... Get Involved... Be Committed'

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Greetings to the Goetz Community,
As we begin the season of Advent, we are reminded that while the days are short and the nights are long, the light of Christmas is coming! Keep the Faith and let's continue to display the generosity and spirit that our community is known for as we begin our Christmas Basket drive. We will begin our week with the Annual Advent Kick-Off assembly and liturgy and ask for your generous donations as we come together to support the neediest members of our community in this extraordinary time of the year. God Bless!

Ms. Allegritto

A Message from Our Chaplaincy Leader...

Hello Gators,

This week, we begin the season of Advent. The theme for the first week of Advent Hope. We are eagerly and with great anticipation hoping and waiting in joyful expectation for the coming of Christ in our lives. We wait for Christmas, but it is more than this. It is more than simply waiting for Christmas Day, exchanging gifts, and making visits with family and friends. We hope with great faith and trust that newness and change is waiting to happen in our lives. Are we able to name it? Can we describe it? Is there room for God, Jesus Christ, to make a breakthrough into your life and relationships?

During this season of Advent, may our FMG community continue in our communal journey of hope and joy through dialogue and understanding, patience, and acceptance, of all staff and students, so that we can move forward in both wisdom and humility in our pursuit of a shared spirituality and humanity.

Have a blessed week everyone.



Mr. Minardi



Monday, December 4

TICKETS ON SALE NOW!

Wednesday, Dec. 13th
Thursday, Dec. 14th
7 pm

Kaleidoscope '23
Art Dance Drama Media Music

CASH ONLINE \$6

**VIRTUE OF THE MONTH:
HOPE**

POP-UP SHOP

December 11th and 12th the Planning for Independence class will be having their next Pop-up sale to sell their one-of-a-kind necklaces, key chains and Christmas ornaments.

Necklaces \$5
Key chains \$3
Ornaments \$3

CASH ONLY

Learn more about us outside the box!



Christmas Dress Down!
Monday Dec 4th

Bring \$2 to your period 1 teacher to wear Civvies on December 4th!
Collection Thursday November 30th - Monday December 4th
All proceeds go to the Homeless Community!

Please be sure to bring in

Clothing:
Winter boots, Winter Coats,
Gloves, Scarfs, Hats

Non-Perishable Food Items:
Sauce, Pasta, Peanut Butter,
Crackers, Tuna, Mac & Cheese,
beans, r

Gift Cards:
Walmart, No Trills, FreshCO,
Foodbasics, Winners, Marshal

CHRISTMAS BASKET DRIVE
FROM DECEMBER 4TH-15TH

Help a family in need with your generous donations! Bring the following items to your homeroom class:

- Non-Perishable / Canned Food Items
- Grocery Store Gift Cards
- New Winter Clothing

THIS WEEK AT A GLANCE..

Monday Dec 4	Tuesday Dec 5	Wednesday Dec 6	Thursday Dec 7	Friday Dec 8
ADVENT CHRISTMAS BASKET DRIVE				
Homerooms are collecting gift cards, winter clothing and non-perishable food items				
Hoping to bring some comfort to those in our own community who are struggling this season				
SB Basketball Practice 6:45 am	JB Basketball Practice 7:00 am	National Day of Remembrance and Action on Violence Against Women	JB Basketball Practice 7:00 am	SB Basketball Practice 6:45 am
Period 2 Advent Kickoff Assemblies	Math Extra Help Rm 109 Ms. Regner 7:30 am	SB Basketball Practice 6:45 am	Grade 12 Law Trip Mr. Aldunate all day	Silvercreek Trip Ms. Chudolinski all day
Math Extra Help Rm 108 Ms. Greer 2:30 pm	Math Extra Help Rm 110 Mr. Sze 2:30 pm	Math Extra Help Rm 111 Mr. Pastuszok 7:30 am	SB Basketball Tourney St. Martin's all day	SB Basketball Tourney St. Martin's all day
<p>CULTURE OF Love</p>	Yoga Club 2:30 pm Rm 240	Wellness Club 2:30 pm Library	Goetz Black Voices 2:30 Rm 250	Book Club 2:30 pm Library
	Dance Club 2:30 pm Room 237	Math Extra Help Rm 115 Ms. Mathew 2:30 pm	Hispanos Goetz 2:30 Rm 245	
	ICT SHSM Club 2:30 pm Room 255	DJ Club 2:30 pm Room 132	Math Help/Club 2:30 pm Mr. Sze & Ms. G Rm 113/117	
	JG Volleyball Game @ STM 3:30 pm	Campus Ministry Club 2:30 pm Chapel	Model UN Club 2:30 pm Room 208	
		SG/JG Volleyball Practices 2:30 pm	SG Volleyball @ Iona 3:00 pm	JG Volleyball v St. Paul 3:30 pm



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