



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, Reflecting on the last week I can't help but continue to be amazed at the level of activity here at Goetz! An Advent Kick-Off Assembly, an Advent Retreat, rehearsals for the Christmas show, and our annual food drive all the while sports, clubs, teaching, and learning continue to chug along! This week is no different with our feeder school visit, two evening performances and league play in various sports are all scheduled. We are full of energy and spirit at Goetz and it is especially needed at this time of the year! God Bless everyone and stay safe.

Ms. Allegratta

A Message from Our Chaplaincy Leader...

Hello Gators,

This week, we enter the 2nd week of Advent. The theme for this week is Peace in anticipation of the arrival of the Prince of Peace, Jesus Christ, as described in the gospel of Mark 1:1-2;

"Behold, I am sending my messenger ahead of you; he will prepare your way.

A voice of one crying out in the desert:

"Prepare the way of the Lord, make straight his paths."

During this season of Advent, may our FMG community continue in our communal preparation for the arrival of the Prince of Peace. May we be alert and awake and make clear our hearts and minds for the love of God and God made visible among us in the Christ Child on Christmas Day. Have a blessed week everyone.

Mr. Minardi

POP-UP SHOP
Outside the foyer
 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
 Learn more about us outside the foyer

VIRTUE OF THE MONTH:
HOPE

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 Frills, FreshCO, Foodbastes, 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



Looking for Extra Curriculars?
Join one of our many Diversity Clubs!!!

Goetz Black Voices
Hispanos Goetz
Arabic Student Club
S.A.G.E.
Asian Heritage Club *NEW*

TICKETS ON SALE NOW!

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

Kaleidoscope '23
 Art Dance Drama Media Music

CASH ONLINE \$6

THIS WEEK AT A GLANCE.

Monday Dec 11	Tuesday Dec 12	Wednesday Dec 13	Thursday Dec 14	Friday Dec 15
ADVENT CHRISTMAS BASKET DRIVE				
Homerooms are collecting gift cards, winter clothing and non-perishable food <u>items</u> Hoping to bring some comfort to those in our own community who are struggling this season				
Christmas Door Decorating All Week – hosted by Student Council				
SB Basketball Practice 6:45 am	JB Basketball Practice 6:45 am	SB Soccer Tryouts 7:00 am	JB Basketball Practice 7:00 am	SB Soccer Tryouts 7:00 am
Pop Up PIP Jewelry Sales Lunches in the foyer	Math Extra Help Rm 109 Ms. Regner 7:30 am	GRADE 8 VISITS TO GOETZ: Kaleidoscope Dress Rehearsal, pizza lunch, SB Basketball Game v. St. Martins 11:40 am	Goetz Black Voices 2:30 Rm 250	Best Buddies Christmas Cooking 3BC
Math Extra Help Rm 108 Ms. Greer 2:30 pm	ESL trip to AGM – Anele All Day	Math Extra Help Rm 111 Mr. Pastuszok 7:30 am	Hispanos Goetz 2:30 Rm 245	SB Basketball @ St. Marcellinus 1:30 pm
SG Volleyball Practice 2:30 pm	Pop Up PIP Jewelry Sales Lunches in the foyer	ESL Trip to AGM – Bird All Day	Math Help/Club 2:30 pm Mr. Sze & Ms. G Rm113/117	Book Club 2:30 pm Library
Kaleidoscope Dress Rehearsal 2:30 pm	SB Basketball v St. FX 1:30 pm	JB Basketball v St. Martins 1:00 pm	Model UN Club 2:30 pm Room 208	JB Basketball @ St. Marcellinus 3:00 pm
JG Volleyball Game @ Mentor College 3:30 pm	Math Extra Help Rm 110 Mr. Sze 2:30 pm	Wellness Club 2:30 pm Library	JG Volleyball Practice 2:30 pm	JG Volleyball @ John Cabot 3:30 pm
	ICT SHSM Club 2:30 pm Room 255	Math Extra Help Rm 115 Ms. Mathew 2:30 pm	Kaleidoscope Evening Performance 7:00 pm	 CULTURE OF Love
	Math Extra Help Rm 110 Mr. Sze 2:30 pm	DJ Club 2:30 pm Room 132		
	Kaleidoscope Dress Rehearsal 2:30 pm	Campus Ministry Club 2:30 pm Chapel		
	JB Basketball v St. Augustine 3:30 pm	JG/SG Volleyball Practice 2:30 pm		
		Kaleidoscope Evening Performance 7:00 pm		



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