



Mater Dei Academy Weekly

March 18th, 2022

Upcoming Events and Reminders

- There will be no mass next week due to Terra Nova testing.
- ★ Terra Nova testing Tuesday, March 22nd through Thursday, March 24th:
 - K-3rd grade only come to school on certain days for testing. Please refer to your students schedules for their testing days.
 - 4-8th grade will attend school all three testing days.
 - 9th grade will be testing Tuesday, March 22nd and Wednesday, March 23rd. 9th graders may work from home on Thursday, March 24th.
- There will be dress down for the students on testing days. Please wear comfortable clothes that will not be distracting during testing.
- Testing starts promptly at 8:30 am.
- Please have the students eat a good breakfast on their testing days.
- Saturday, March 19th 9 am - 2 pm we will be preparing for the Open House. We will be doing cleaning and small jobs at the school. If you are able to volunteer or have questions please contact Linda Reis.
- Gym day will be switched the week of March 28th. Students will wear gym uniforms on Tuesday, March 29th not on Friday, April 1st.
- Please return re-enrollment forms to school by April 8th.
- We are in need of bottled water for the students. Donations of bottled water can be brought to the school at anytime.

**Thank you for all that you do
for our students and school!!!**

St. Cyril of Jerusalem

Cyril was born around 315 and raised in Jerusalem. He was a deacon and a priest. During this time his bishop St. Maximus, put him in charge of the instruction of catechumens. There



are still records today of Cyril's lectures his congregation wrote down. When Maximus died, Cyril became bishop of Jerusalem. During a famine, Cyril sold church goods to raise money for

the poor. He was accused of stealing for himself by bishop Acacia, who held authority of all the bishops of Palestine, and was banished three times. He was finally cleared after eleven years and returned to Palestine. Cyril is known as one of the Early Church Fathers, a Doctor Of the Catholic Church and for his defense of the Catholic Faith. He died around 387 and his feast day is March 18th.



Have a safe and blessed weekend.

Heavenly Father, through St. Cyril you led your Church to a deeper understanding of the mysteries of salvation. Let his prayers help us to know your Son better and to have eternal life in all its fullness. Amen

St. Cyril Pray for Us!

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