



# Mater Dei Academy Weekly

December 7<sup>th</sup>, 2023



## Upcoming Events and Reminders

There will be NO SCHOOL tomorrow, Friday, December 8<sup>th</sup> in order for families to observe the Solemnity of the Immaculate Conception of the Blessed Virgin Mary

The weather is getting colder. Please make sure your child(ren) come to school with appropriate coats, hats, gloves/mittens.

The next Taco Tuesday is December 12<sup>th</sup>.

50/50 Raffle tickets are on sale until December 15<sup>th</sup>.

The Silent Auction donations maybe dropped off anytime up to December 15<sup>th</sup>.

### Count down to Christmas Program: 9 days!

Dismissal at NOON on Dec. 15<sup>th</sup> -

#### Time change-

Students return at 6:30pm for Christmas Program.

All families, please bring a plate of cookies, veggie tray, fruit tray, or cheese and crackers to share for after the evening show. If you can also help with drinks ( bottled water) please let the office know.

Christmas Break begins Dec. 18<sup>th</sup> - Jan. 2<sup>nd</sup>.

Congratulations to Olesia and Brigid Hewitt for being November's Student of the Month and Runner-up.

Thank you for the donations for the Uganda Mobile Clinic, we raised \$117.

## Saint Ambrose



Ambrose was born about 340 in present-day Germany. He became Bishop of Milan and also baptized St. Augustine of Hippo. St. Ambrose fought the Arian heresy and is known for his preaching, theology, and generosity to the poor. He died in 397 and is a Doctor of the Church. His feast day is December 7<sup>th</sup>.



*Have a safe and blessed weekend.*

### Quotes for Today

*Saint Ambrose of Milan (337-397)*

*“A wise man, intending to speak, first carefully considers what he is to say, and to whom he is to say it, also where and at what time. There is, therefore, such a thing as due measure in keeping silence and also in speaking. There is also such a thing as due measure in what we do.”*

*“Prayer is the wing wherewith the soul flies to heaven, and meditation the eye wherewith we see God.”*

Check 10TV or 10tv.com for school closings due to bad weather. Mater Dei Academy will be listed under “School Closings/Delays” if we are closed. Mrs. Moss will also text and email families as well by 6:00 am.

MDA does not do delayed start, for us it's either open or closed.

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