

March 24, 2022



**Holy Spirit School**  
***Inspiring Minds/Igniting Hearts***  
**2021/2022**

**"In work there is dignity"**

**Would you like to be the first one  
out of the parking lot every day?**

Who wouldn't?!? And yet, what are we talking about here?

As a part of the PTO Talent Showcase experience, several "perks" and class baskets have been put together and will be available in a silent auction format in order to elevate the excitement of the night's experience.

One of the treasured school "perks" up for bid is the Number 1 slot in vanpool for the 2022/2023 academic year - regardless of how many students you are picking up! See the information below.

Tickets for the evening are currently for sale with an April 1st deadline.

Another April 1 deadline is placing an order for PTO Spirit Gear. If you missed out on the prior sale or have children who just do not stop growing, there is information below.

A reminder that Spring Uniforms begin on Monday, April 4th.

The 8th grade students are busy preparing and will present living Stations of the Cross on the morning of Holy Thursday at 9:00 am. All are welcome.

Holy Thursday, April 14th is an early dismissal day for everyone (no Extended Day) and Good Friday is a no school day. We will be off from school for the Easter break the week of April 18th.

The PTO is planning a terrific evening out for just our parents on Saturday, April 30th. See the information below on the "Spring Fling" - the deadline for purchasing tickets is April 25th.

We continue our Lenten service project benefiting Divine Mercy Care. Currently just under \$1,100.00 has been raised. Please consider making this project a part of your almsgiving this Lent.

Be sure to take a look at the 5K Spirit Run information and consider becoming a Sponsor. If you are ready to sign up to run/walk to support our Resource Department, the link is there and ready to go!

*Holy Spirit will be participating in the Diocesan-wide CYO Volleyball and Track & Field this spring season. The season is not possible without coaches! Please consider volunteering your time & talent this season. Register [HERE](#).*

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Today our 8th graders participated in the Diocesan 8th Grade Vocations Mass out at All Saints Church in Manassas. It was a great day with lots of thoughtful words about the plan that God has for each of us. The class was recognized for their performance in yesterday's Vocations Escape Room Challenge - tied for 1st place! - and ended the morning with lunch and a photo op with Bishop Burbidge.

Please continue to pray for the Class of 2022 as they are nearing the end of their academic journey at Holy Spirit. This class has so much talent and character and we look forward to seeing all that they accomplish, with God's grace, in the future.

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**IMPORTANT:** New Code of Conduct policy for all cleared volunteers

An email was sent last week by Mrs. Stich to all cleared volunteers with an attachment of the

new code of conduct for the diocese. Please make sure you read and hit submit. If you don't get confirmation of submission please print, sign, and scan to Mrs. Stich ([astich@holyspiritflames.org](mailto:astich@holyspiritflames.org)). If you have any questions please reach out to Mrs. Stich.

Diocesan Code of  
Conduct

*-Maureen Ashby*

**Principal**

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**5K Spirit Run  
benefiting the Holy Spirit School  
Resource Department  
Saturday, May 21, 2022**




READY TO SIGN  
UP?

SPONSOR INFORMATION

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**Have you ordered your yearbook yet?**

# Order deadline is April 15, 2022



**Lifetouch**

## Order your yearbook today!

¡Encarga hoy tu anuario!

\*Yearbook design varies by school. \*El diseño del anuario varía según la escuela.  
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## Order your yearbook today on **ybpay.com**

Encarga hoy tu anuario en

**Order Deadline:**

April 15, 2022

**Yearbook ID Code:**

11439522

**School Name:**

Holy Spirit School

**Yearbook** Anuario **\$20.00**

- Sturdy softcover with protective coating
- Durable saddle-stitched binding that keeps the yearbook intact through wear and tear
- All-color pages that vibrantly capture your memories throughout the school year

- Cubierta blanda resistente con revestimiento protector
- Encuadernación costura a caballo duradera, que mantiene el anuario intacto contra el desgaste natural
- Todas las páginas a color que captan de manera vibrante los recuerdos durante el año escolar

**Packages** Paquetes

**BEST VALUE!** ¡Mejor valor!

**PACKAGE A** PAQUETE A **\$30.00**

- Yearbook
- Personalized Yearbook Cover
- Zoom
- Autograph Insert
- Yearbook Stickys

- Anuario
- Cubierta personalizada
- Zoom
- Inserto de autógrafos
- Adhesivos del anuario

**PACKAGE B** PAQUETE B **\$28.50**

- Yearbook
- Personalized Yearbook Cover
- Zoom
- Autograph Insert

- Anuario
- Cubierta personalizada
- Zoom
- Inserto de autógrafos

**PACKAGE C** PAQUETE C **\$27.50**

- Yearbook
- Personalized Yearbook Cover
- Zoom
- Autograph Insert

- Anuario
- Cubierta personalizada
- Zoom

**PACKAGE D** PAQUETE D **\$21.50**

- Yearbook
- Zoom
- Autograph Insert

- Anuario
- Zoom

**Extras** Adicionales



**Personalized Yearbook Cover\*** **\$5.00**

Personalize the yearbook with your student's name on the cover.

Personaliza el anuario con el nombre de la estudiante en la cubierta.



**Zoom: Current Events Insert\*\*** **\$2.00**

An insert of today's most memorable news, sports, entertainment and more.

Zoom: Resumen de los eventos actuales, un inserto que incluye los deportes, el entretenimiento, las noticias y las memorables de este año y mucho más!



**Autograph Insert\*\*** **\$1.00**

A paper insert for students to collect signatures from friends and teachers.

Inserto de autógrafos: Un volante en papel para que los estudiantes recolecten firmas de amigos y docentes.



**Yearbook Stickys** **\$1.00**

Fun, removable stickers to personalize your yearbook pages.

Adhesivos del anuario: Adhesivos divertidos y removibles para personalizar las páginas de tu anuario.

Prices include sales tax where applicable. Los precios incluyen impuestos a las ventas cuando corresponde.

**LAST CHANCE TO ORDER A YEARBOOK!** A limited quantity will be available in the spring, first come, first served. Order online only at [ybpay.com](http://ybpay.com) with yearbook ID code 11439522. Thank you!

\*Yearbook design varies by school. \*El diseño del anuario varía según la escuela.

\*\*Inserts must be affixed in the yearbook after arrival. \*\*Los volantes deben ser adheridos al anuario después de su llegada.

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### Features:

**Volunteer Coordinator Contact:** If you see an event that you are interested in participating, please send inquiries to Mary Sonnen -[PTOvpmembership@holyspiritflames.org](mailto:PTOvpmembership@holyspiritflames.org) to connect with the appropriate Committee Chairperson.

**2022 Annual Talent Showcase & Dance Art Show:** Now accepting submissions. Please review the flyer below and submit your piece to Ms. Liss by April 4.

**Important upcoming dates to remember:**

- **Several Dates** – Connect1.io Training Session (see information below and sign up for training period at <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/8050b4badab2da1f94-connect1io>)
- **March 31** – Science Fair
- **March 31 – April 1** – Spring Spirit Gear Sale (see information below)
- **April 9** – Talent Show
- **April 24** – Out of the Bubble Bakery Fundraiser
- **April 30** – Spring Fling
- **May 1 – May 7** – Teachers Appreciation Week
- **May 14** – Field Day

**Mabels Labels:** [https://mabelslabels.com/en\\_US/fundraising/support/](https://mabelslabels.com/en_US/fundraising/support/)

**BoxTops:** Download App, scan your receipt; Referral code: **A7RD91XB**

***Talent Show Auditions*** The Talent Show will be on April 9, 2022, and the PTO is looking for singers, actors, jugglers, magicians, musicians, comedians, dancers, and clowns - to name a few. Please see attached sign-up form due on February 16th. If you have questions, or are

interested in helping with the show, please contact Joe Terpenning at [jterpenning@infinitetech.org](mailto:jterpenning@infinitetech.org).

**Connect1.io** This application is going to make our lives easier and bring our community closer together. Please review the dates/times available below for training and download the application for use. We are testing the application this year for Field Day Signup. To sign up please go to: <https://app.connect1.io/>

Click on: The "Sign Up (School Code)" button  
Then enter your email address, and the school code: L41VP6  
Then follow the prompts to set up your account.

This application can be accessed on your computer, as well as you Android and Apple devices. Each adult (Parents, Guardians, Grandparents, etc.) volunteer will need to sign up in Connect1.io. This application is also used to verify Virtus certification and automatically capture your volunteer hours. If you have any questions, please email: [PTOPresident@HolySpiritFlames.org](mailto:PTOPresident@HolySpiritFlames.org)

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**Did someone say "Holy Spirit Perks and Class Baskets"?**

**Check out the offerings available in connection with the PTO Talent Showcase**

# **Holy Spirit Talent Showcase & Dance**

## **April 9th**

### **Silent Auction Preview**

The Talent Show is Proud to offer a Silent Auction during the Show. All proceeds go to support Holy Spirit School!! Here are some of the items you could win:

#### **“Holy Spirit Perks”**

<b>Reserved First Spot for Carpool Line</b>	<b>“Be First Out”:</b> A guaranteed First Place spot in the carpool line each day for the 2022/23 school term. Arrive when you want, always leave first!
<b>Reserved First Spot for Vanpool</b>	<b>“Beat Everyone Out”</b> A guaranteed First Spot in the Vanpool Lot. No minimum number of kids required to be the first car out of school for the entire 2022/2023 term!
<b>Reserved Front Row Seating for the Christmas Show</b>	Be the envy of the school with front row seats for your family to the 2022 Christmas Show
<b>Reserved Front Row Pew for 2C First Holy Communion on May 7</b>	A guaranteed premier photo spot. Reserve the front pew for the 2022 First Holy Communion for your family. The view doesn't get any better!
<b>Reserved Front Row Pew for 2H First Holy Communion on May 14</b>	A guaranteed premier photo spot. Reserve the front pew for the 2022 First Holy Communion for your family. The view doesn't get any better!
<b>Reserved Front Row Pew for Confirmation</b>	A guaranteed premier photo spot. Reserve the front pew for the 2022 Confirmation for your family. The view doesn't get any better!

#### **“CLASS BASKETS”**

- ALL ABOUT LEGOS - SALUTE TO VIRGINIA - BEACH FUN

- FIREPIT EXPERIENCE ... AND MORE

BASKETS WILL BE AVAILABLE FOR VIEWING IN THE SCHOOL LOBBY THE WEEK OF APRIL 4<sup>TH</sup>. BIDDING ON “HOLY SPIRIT PERKS” WILL OPEN ON APRIL 8<sup>TH</sup> AND CLOSE DURING THE SHOW. YOU DO NOT NEED TO ATTEND THE SHOW TO BID ON THE “PERKS”.

ONLY SHOW ATTENDEES WILL BE ABLE TO BID ON THE BASKETS. BIDDING WILL START WHEN THE DOORS OPEN AND CLOSE DURING THE SHOW. MORE INFORMATION ON REGISTERING FOR THE AUCTION AND ITEMS FOR BID WILL FOLLOW. YOU MUST BE IN IT TO WIN IT!!

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**Talent Showcase!!!**

**See the links below in the Family Folder section for sign ups to volunteer**

# Holy Spirit School's Talent Showcase

## Dinner & Dance

Saturday, April 9<sup>th</sup> 5:30-9:30 PM (DOORS OPEN AT 5:00)

### RESERVATION FORM

TALENT \* DANCING \* DINING \* FUN

AWESOME ACTS, ART, RAFFLES AND MORE

Registration includes catered dinner and DJ, with dancing after the show.  
Pre-registration is required.

#### ADULT MENU

Seared Chicken w/ Gazpacho Salsa - Italian Sausage w/ Pepper - Orzo w/ Roasted Vegetables  
Italian Salad - Assorted Rolls & Butter - Cake - Beverages - Coffee

#### STUDENT MENU (& under 4)

Chicken Nuggets - Penne Pasta  
Broccoli - Cake - Beverages

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

# adult meals (\$18.00 ea) \_\_\_\_\_ (indicate quantity)

# student meals (\$8.00 ea) \_\_\_\_\_ (indicate quantity)

Under 4 (free) \_\_\_\_\_ (indicate quantity)

Total Amount Enclosed: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

return form and payment (check made out to Holy Spirit PTO) by April 1<sup>st</sup>

Make checks payable to **Holy Spirit School** Submit form and check via backpack mail:

Attn: Joe Terpenning  
Spring Talent Show Committee  
c/o Angelica Terpenning grade 6 Tucker

Questions: Email Joe Terpenning at ([jterpenning@infini-totech.org](mailto:jterpenning@infini-totech.org))

## Holy Spirit School's Annual Talent Showcase & Dance

Saturday, April 9<sup>th</sup>, 2022

### ART SHOW SIGNUP

The Lobby Art show is looking for works of sculpture, photography, writing, painting, drawing or other displayable media. If you have a talent for creating, the lobby show is looking for you!!

#### Requirements for Submission:

Flat work no larger than 22 X 24 including mat/frame, needs to have hanging hardware attached. Sculptures no bigger than 24 x 20 with a weight limit of 10 pounds, must stand on it own.

Please limit submissions to one work per person.

Please include a title, description, and your name and grade on a card with the work submitted.

Deadline for submission: March 29<sup>th</sup>. Please submit all works to Mrs. Liss by April 4<sup>th</sup>.

NAME \_\_\_\_\_

grade/teacher \_\_\_\_\_

Type of work: \_\_\_\_\_

## Holy Spirit School's Annual Talent Showcase



**When: April 9, 2022**



### **WE NEED VOLUNTEERS!!**

Volunteers are needed to help make this year's talent show awesome!! We are currently planning a live event and need a lot of help. All manner of jobs from small to large are needed, and all help is appreciated. Jobs and openings may change if the event format changes. Updates to the signup and notifications will be sent as they become available. Please

click the signup link below:

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C0B44A9A92EA31-holy9>



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## **PTO Spirit Gear Sale Now until April 1, 2022!**






## Flame Spirit Wear Store (Spring 2022)

You can now purchase your items online in 3 easy steps:






1. Scan the QR code or go online to <https://flamespiritwearstore2022.itemorder.com/>
2. Choose your items and add them to your cart
3. Securely checkout with your credit card

Online Store Deadline: Friday April 1st, 2022 (11:59pm EDT)

### Youth

 2 Colors	Design 1 - Youth 100% Cotton T-Shirt \$13.00		Design 3 (Embroidery) - Youth Dad's Cap \$20.00
	Design 3 (Embroidery) - Youth Dad's Cap \$20.00		

### Adult

 2 Colors	Design 1 - Adult 100% Cotton T-Shirt \$13.00		Design 3 (Embroidery) - Adult Polo \$28.00
	Design 3 (Embroidery) - Adult Polo \$28.00		Design 3 (Embroidery) - Adult Dad's Cap \$20.00
	Design 3 (Embroidery) - Adult Dad's Cap \$20.00		

### Accessories

Questions?  
Ari Torres  
(800) 614-6126  
[hello@boosterspiritwear.com](mailto:hello@boosterspiritwear.com)  
<https://www.boosterspiritwear.com/>

# Holy Spirit Adult Spring Fling

## 50's Sock Hop

### and Dinner

Mom & Dad, it's your turn to have some fun!

Dig out those poodle skirts, ankle socks and jeans to join the PTO for some old fashioned dancin'.



Date: Saturday, April 30

Location: Holy Spirit School gym

Time: 6 to 10

Ticket includes 1 hour dance lesson, dinner and dance

This is an adult only event, with beer and wine.

Cost: \$25 per person

Deadline for reservations - April 25

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Spring Fling - 1950's Sock Hop - Return via backpack mail NO LATER THAN APRIL 25.

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_

Number of tickets \_\_\_\_\_ x \$25 = Total enclosed \_\_\_\_\_

Make checks out to Holy Spirit PTO.

Return via backpack mail. Attention: Rita Callahan

For questions email Becci Roberts - [becciroberts@gmail.com](mailto:becciroberts@gmail.com)

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## Three Engagement Functions in One App

1. Volunteering
2. Community Directory and Talent Center
3. Prayer Board



### Volunteering



- ✓ Secure and Only Accessible by School Community
- ✓ Digital Volunteering Board with all Events in One Place
- ✓ Talent Linking to Volunteer Roles
- ✓ Track Virtus Training Status for Volunteers
- ✓ Define Volunteer Points – NO MORE HOURS TRACKING
- ✓ Gaming – Earn Points, Advance in Levels, Attain Status
- ✓ New Award Center to Recognize Volunteers

### Community Directory and Talent Center

- ✓ Community Contact Information at Your Fingertips
- ✓ Easily Filter by Grade, Teacher, Talent or More
- ✓ New Talent Center – See Talents / Skills of Parents
- ✓ Automatically Get Directions Through Google Maps
- ✓ Separate Faculty vs. Family Contact Pages



### Prayer Board



- ✓ Saint Avatars to Represent Your Family in the App
- ✓ Request Prayers from Your Community
- ✓ See Prayers of Community on "Prayer Board"
- ✓ Answer Prayers with a Single Click
- ✓ Gaming – Achieve Increasing Status to Sainthood by Answering More Prayers

Visit [www.connect1.io](http://www.connect1.io) or download the app by searching for "Connect1 Mobile" in your AppStore or PlayStore

## PTO Board 2021/2022

President - Tom Fields - [PTOPresident@holyspiritflames.org](mailto:PTOPresident@holyspiritflames.org)  
Vice President - Heather Howard - [PTOVVP@holyspiritflames.org](mailto:PTOVVP@holyspiritflames.org)  
Treasurer - Danielle Hetzler - [PTOTreasurer@holyspiritflames.org](mailto:PTOTreasurer@holyspiritflames.org)  
Secretary - Lee Conroy - [PTOSecretary@holyspiritflames.org](mailto:PTOSecretary@holyspiritflames.org)

Volunteer Coordinator - Mary Sonnen - [PTOVPMembership@holyspiritflames.org](mailto:PTOVPMembership@holyspiritflames.org)  
Fundraising Coordinator - Carolyn Rutherford - [PTOVPFundraising@holyspiritflames.org](mailto:PTOVPFundraising@holyspiritflames.org)  
Homeroom Parent Coordinator - Valerie Overstreet - [PTOHomeroomCoordinator@holyspiritflames.org](mailto:PTOHomeroomCoordinator@holyspiritflames.org)

Please remember that you must be fully compliant with the Child Protection policies of the Diocese in order to perform recess duty and to volunteer in activities where students are present.

## **COVID-19 Dashboard Information**

Centers for Disease Control and Prevention - COVID-19 Community Level: **Low**  
Last updated 3/17/2022

<https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/your-health/covid-by-county.html>

Holy Spirit School - Total new COVID positive cases while on campus during the infectious period (student and/or faculty/staff): **0**  
Time period: March 18 - March 24, 2022

### **Think about a Daily Health Observation before sending your child to school**

Symptoms of COVID-19 may appear 2-14 days after exposure to the virus. People with these symptoms may have COVID-19:

Fever (100.0F) or chills  
Cough  
Shortness of breath or difficulty breathing  
Fatigue  
Muscle or body aches  
Headache  
New loss of taste or smell  
Sore throat  
Congestion or runny nose  
Nausea or vomiting  
Diarrhea

If your child has experienced any of these symptoms in the last 24 hours, please keep your child home, contact your physician, and let us know ([attendance@holyspiritflames.org](mailto:attendance@holyspiritflames.org)).

If someone in your household has tested positive for or is exhibiting symptoms of COVID-19, keep your child home and let us know ([attendance@holyspiritflames.org](mailto:attendance@holyspiritflames.org)).

If someone in your household is currently being tested for COVID-19, please keep everyone home until the test results are received.

## **Parish Happenings!**

# All Saints Car Raffle 2022

Four 2022 Vehicles Plus  
21 Cash Prize Drawings totalling \$40K!

Only \$5/ticket!  
2022 HONDA ODYSSEY VAN  
2022 GMC CANYON TRUCK  
2022 BUICK ENCORE  
2022 HONDA CIVIC  
When you buy a ticket, the parish gets a cut

How does my purchase help?

This year's raffle will be used to furnish our new narthex (completed spring 2022!) & more.

For raffle ticket purchases and more info, visit,  
[www.holyspiritchurch.us/caraffle2022](http://www.holyspiritchurch.us/caraffle2022)



# Boy Scout Mulch Sale

Troop 50

## ORDER NOW!

Delivery Date, Saturday, March 26  
10+ bag orders delivered right to your curb!

[www.annandale50.mytroop.us](http://www.annandale50.mytroop.us)



## Eucharistic Adoration for Lent

Could you not watch one hour with Me?  
Mark 14:34



Monday  
7am-7pm

Wednesday  
7am-7pm

Fri - Sat  
7am-9am

God is not forcing us to be there, to spend an hour with Him. We choose to be there. Do we want to spend time with Jesus? Ask God for the grace to sit there with Him, in silence, peacefully.

Gaze upon the monstrance, containing Jesus — body, soul, blood, and divinity. Be filled with joy — not because you have fulfilled a requirement, but because God has stilled your heart. Leave the church filled with a peace, contentment, and joy unlike anything you have ever felt before.



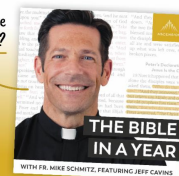
Choose your Hour, take an Hour as a family together or taking turns, share an Hour with a friend alternating weeks. Sign Up today to fulfill the prayer in your Lent!

Website: <https://holyspiritchurch.us/eucharisticadoration/>  
Use the Signup Genius for your day/hour of choice.  
or Email: [adoration@holyspiritchurch.us](mailto:adoration@holyspiritchurch.us)  
to request YOUR HOUR.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_  
Monday Hour: \_\_\_\_\_ Wednesday Hour: \_\_\_\_\_ Fri-Sat Hour: \_\_\_\_\_  
Substitute Availability: \_\_\_\_\_

Did you miss the  
"Holy Wave" in 2021?

JOIN FR. MIKE  
SCHMITZ'S  
The Bible in a  
Year podcast  
IN 2022!



"The Bible in a Year" podcast has been one of the top podcasts nationwide in 2021. Now our parish will start a "Bible in a Year" group together on January 1, 2022. What do you have to do to join us in listening to the entire Bible in one year?

- Subscribe to The Bible in a Year audio podcast in your favorite podcast app.
- Listen to or read the passages each day, starting on January 1st.
- Come to our kickoff meeting on Monday, December 20, from 7-8 p.m. in the large meeting room of the parish center. There will also be a mid-year meeting and an end-of-the-year party to celebrate our completion date in December.
- Email [bibleinayear@holyspiritchurch.us](mailto:bibleinayear@holyspiritchurch.us) to receive a monthly email about how the Bible passages being covered are related to our diocese's 2022 theme: the Eucharist.

Did you join The Bible in a Year in 2021?  
Email us and share your suggestions to help other parishioners participate this year.

"Ignorance of scripture is  
ignorance of Christ."  
—St. Jerome



What's next?  
Email us at [bibleinayear@holyspiritchurch.us](mailto:bibleinayear@holyspiritchurch.us)  
to get help or sign up at any time during the year.

High School  
Workcamp  
Contractors  
Needed  
June 20 - 23



## 40 Days for Life

Starts March 2nd

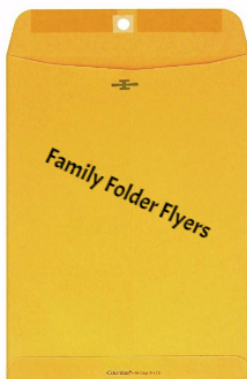


You can protect mothers and children by joining us worldwide to pray and fast for an end to abortion!





## Community Happenings!



### FAMILY FOLDER

The following flyers may be found in the folder labeled "March 24, 2022" on the website. For your convenience, some flyers are repeated.

Family  
Folder

#### School Flyers:

1. PTO Talent Showcase Volunteer flyer
2. PTO Talent Showcase Ticket Reservation flyer
3. PTO Talent Showcase Art Show flyer
4. PTO Silent Auction Items flyer
5. PTO Spirit Gear Sale flyer
6. PTO Connect One App flyer
7. Mabels Labels fundraiser flyer
8. PTO Adult Spring Fling flyer
9. Yearbook Order Form flyer

#### Parish Flyers:

1. Car Raffle - flyer
2. Eucharistic Adoration flyer
3. Mulch Sale - flyer
4. Bible in a Year flyer
5. Chicken Dinner - flyer
6. Document Shredding - flyer

