COMMUNITY

Congratulations to the winners of our Halloween Spirit raffles:

Ivan Gerges '24, Morakinyo Ajayi '23, Mrs. Hartnett, Ms. London, Mr. Manta, & Mr. Ware

Spirit Week will take place the week of November 16-20th.

Student Council Elections will take place on November 16th&17th.

Please visit our <u>Virtual Club Gallery</u> and find a club you may be interested in.

FAITH

Our school chaplain, Fr. Frank Schwarz, celebrates mass in the Chapel of the Holy Family (4th floor) every Wednesday at 2:45 for faculty, staff, and students.

A Thanksgiving Prayer Service will be celebrated on November 24th during an extended homeroom period. The theme will include giving thanks for our first responders who risked their lives on September 11th.

The Campus Ministry club is enthusiastic about the *Holy Cross Knight to Knight Mentoring Program*, which they intend to roll out in January. All freshmen will have the opportunity to be mentored by a Campus Minister upperclassman.

As always, all prayer requests should be submitted to Jack Rampulla, Director of Campus Ministry at Jrampulla@myhchs.org. All requests will be honored.

WISDOM

Report Cards have been sent to all families.

Our PTS Conferences, held on November 9th & 10th, were an overwhelming success.

Important Dates to note in the Second Semester: 12/9- Progress Reports mailed home

NHS acceptances

FYI: Holy Cross has also established chapters of the following:

- La Sociedad Honoraria Hispanica
- Rho Kappa National Social Studies Honor Society
- National English Honor Society

SERVICE

In honor of Veteran's Day, students will be able to compose letters to active and veteran military. The letters must be brought to the Center for Faith and Service by Tuesday, November 24th. These letters of thanks encouragement for the members of our military will be collected and sent out by *A Million Thanks*.

The annual food drive will be held on Tuesday, November 17th and Wednesday, November 18th. The food items collected will be distributed to *St. John's Bread and Life* which provides food items and meals to those in need, in our area.