

December 2, 2019

Dear ASA Families,

What is #GivingTuesday? What does it have to do with us at All Saints Academy? It is a global day dedicated to giving back, especially after the commercialism and consumerism of Black Friday and Cyber Monday. It is a time to think about giving rather than receiving.

#GivingTuesday happens the Tuesday following Thanksgiving and is an opportunity for communities, churches, families and individuals globally to come together and to simply celebrate generosity for 24 hours.

This year, Bishop Walkowiak is encouraging Catholics to participate by supporting parishes, schools and ministries right here in West Michigan. You are being asked to #GiveASAGR on #GivingTuesday.

Here are ways you can participate on Tuesday, December 3:

- Donate to our All Saints Academy teachers by following this link. <https://asagr.ejoinme.org/teachers> Your donations will have a profound impact right in the ASA classrooms. Teachers are in need of many items such as learning tools, hands on manipulatives, and enhancing technology!
- Post a status or photo on your social media accounts explaining why you support giving within our diocese and at All Saints Academy. Use the hashtags #GiveASAGR and #GivingTuesday.
- Share the newly released [video #WeAREOne](#) to highlight one of our school's root beliefs.
- Take and post a photo of yourself or your family members sharing what #GiveASAGR means to you. Use the hashtags #GiveASAGR and #GivingTuesday.

During this Thanksgiving season, it is appropriate for us, who have given so much, to be a part of and to support this worldwide effort. Join with us, other members of our parishes and Catholics around the country by celebrating generosity right here at home.

God Bless,

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Our Community Partner/Sponsor of the week is: DeVries Jewelers



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