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Dear Parents,

October marks a wonderful month that is dedicated to Mary and the Guardian Angels. Morning Assembly for k-8 will use this month to focus on the Rosary, the devotions/ prayers to Mary, and the importance of angels in our lives.

Thank you for your attendance at our Back to School Night in September. It is always a little difficult to fit these days into busy calendars, so I appreciate your time and support. Back to School Night gives us an opportunity to present our programs for the year and also a great opportunity for our classroom teachers to discuss their religious and educational programs, activities, expectations and security protocol for the year. Thank you for your cooperation with our new security protocol.

Regular Uniforms take effect on Monday, October 3 which is also Picture Day for all classes! Please refer to the section in the online Parent-Student Handbook regarding the uniform dress and personal appearance code. Please note the specifics regarding hairstyles, shoes, sweaters and jewelry!

On, October 28 we will hold a Halloween Walkathon Fundraiser. A separate letter will follow outlining the plan for this event.

Please see below [October Calendar Updates](#) and Important [Save the Dates](#) information.

As always, thank you for your continued support of Good Shepherd School.

Sincerely,

Geraldine Lavery

Principal

October Calendar Updates

- 10/3 Picture Day Formal Uniform required
- 10/4 Religious Instruction begins for UPK students (parental consent required)
- 10/7 School Closed Teacher Conference Day
- 10/10 School Closed Columbus Day
- 10/11 Clubs Begin
- 10/17 TACHS Registration Eighth Grade only
- **10/28 12 Noon Dismissal (Pre k3/4 k-8) UPK Full Day Halloween Walk-a-thon (this half day dismissal is a change to the original calendar)**

Important Save the Dates

- **12/15 Christmas Show PreK, UPK, K-2 3:30pm**
- **12/16 Christmas Show Grades 3-8 7:00pm**