

Peacemaker of the Month

Every day we begin by praying together over the school intercom the following Prayer for Peace attributed to Saint Francis of Assisi.

*Lord, make me an instrument of your peace.
Where there is hatred... let me sow love.
Where there is injury... pardon.
Where there is doubt... faith.
Where there is despair... hope.
Where there is darkness... light.
Where there is sadness... joy.
O Divine Master, grant that I may not
So much seek to be consoled as to console.
To be understood... as to understand.
To be loved... as to love.
For it is in giving that we receive
It is in pardoning that we are pardoned
It is in dying that we are born to eternal life.*

This year we are using the Prayer for Peace as the basis for our efforts at peacemaking. Each month we highlight a virtue that we can learn about from this beautiful prayer and strive to live it in our daily lives. Perhaps you and your family can join us.

October - COURAGE

November – CHARITY

December - FORGIVENESS

January - FAITH

February - HOPE

March – PATIENCE

April – JOY

May - LOVE