5<sup>th</sup> May, 2023

Dear Parents/Guardians,

## Re: Feast of Mary, Help of Christians cum SL95 Thanksgiving Mass

The Feast of Mary, Help of Christians is a special day for the Salesians. This feast is a devotion advocated by Saint John Bosco, who chose her as the main patroness of the Salesian Family. Mary is seen as mother of the Church throughout the centuries and Christians would seek her protection in dangers and in needs. Don Bosco used to say, "Have faith in the Blessed Sacrament and Mary Help of Christians and you will see what miracles are." As a Salesian Catholic School, the celebration of Feast Day is an important tradition to share life and communion in the Salesian Style.

This year marks the 95<sup>th</sup> anniversary of St. Louis School. Upon the blessings and prayers received, our school family join together to celebrate this great occasion.

The activities on the day are as follows:

- 1. The Feast of Mary, Help of Christians, will be celebrated on Tuesday, 23<sup>rd</sup> May 2023 at St. Anthony's Church, 69A Pok Fu Lam Road.
- 2. All students should arrive at school in full summer uniform before 1:50 p.m. and class teacher will take the roll-call in the classroom at 2:00 p.m.
- 3. At 3:00 p.m., the Holy Mass of Mary, Help of Christians, will be celebrated. The Most Reverend Stephen Chow Sau Yan, S.J., Bishop of Hong Kong, has kindly consented to be the Principal Celebrant of the mass.
- 4. After the mass, students will proceed to the Grand Stand for the celebration ceremony of 95<sup>th</sup> anniversary of St. Louis School.
- 5. Students may leave the school at 5:15 p.m.
- 6. If Red or Black Rainstorm Signal or Tropical Cyclone Warning Signal No. 8 or above are issued by the Hong Kong Observatory, or the Education Bureau has made special announcement on closure of schools, the event will be cancelled.
- 7. Your co-operation in complying with the above instructions is earnestly requested so that all may enjoy the occasion.

Wishing you all a happy Feast Day! May the Love and Peace of the Risen Lord be with you!

Alleluia!

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