

聖類斯中學

通告第 063b 號 (21 – 22)

各位家長/監護人:

明愛慈善抽獎券 2021

「忍受試探的人是有福的,因為他既經得起考驗,必能得到主向愛他的人,所預許的生命之冠。」(雅各伯書 1:12)

新冠肺炎疫情是一場對全球的試煉。在這場抗疫的持久戰中,香港面對前所未有的衝擊。 變幻莫測的疫情讓我們明白到自我的渺小,同時亦感受到人間有情,普世有愛。教宗方濟各 在今年的四旬期文告中提到:「愛是賦予我們生命意義的恩賜,並使我們將那些處於窮困的 人視為自己的家人、朋友和弟兄姐妹。如果以愛去分享,即使是一點點,也不會枯竭,反而 會成為生命和喜樂的源泉。」只要大家繼續攜手同心,定可在黑暗中成為彼此的光,在試煉 中活出生命的意義,在患難中找到喜樂的源泉!

香港明愛作為天主教香港教區轄下的社會服務機構,它不單提供多元化的服務,更重要的是助人自助,活出豐盛而有尊嚴的人生。香港明愛籌款運動是一個很好的機會,讓大家彰顯主愛的恩慈,讓大家表達對弱小不幸、貧困病苦、無靠無助一群的關顧。今年籌得的善款除了一方面使明愛可以維持優質的恆常服務(包括教育、醫療及社會工作)外,另一方面亦可協助應付這場「抗疫持久戰」,與弱勢社群共渡時艱。

因應疫情,原定於 2021 年 11 月舉行的「明愛慈善賣物會」亦告取消。故希望各位家長慷慨解囊,鼎力支持認購獎券,珍惜從分享中所得到的喜樂。明愛籌款抽獎券每張售價 20 元,請着貴子弟於 11 月 2 日(星期二)或以前把款項交回班主任收集。如以支票付款,抬頭為「香港明愛」。慈善抽獎券會於收集善款後派發。如有查詢,歡迎致電 2546 0117 與蘇祉維老 師聯絡。

相信憑著愛和智慧,總能驅散陰霾,走出疫情困境,一起走在光明的路途上。

「天主能豐厚地賜與你們各種恩惠,使你們在一切事上常十分充足,能多多行各種善事, 正如經上記載說: 『他博施濟貧,他的仁義永世常存。』」(格林多後書 9:8-9)

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校長 易浩權博士

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| | 本人已知悉通告第 063b 號有關「 | 明愛慈善抽獎券 2021 | :」事宜, | |
| □ 本人會認購或代售明愛籌款抽獎券張,並會把獎券的金額交給班主任。 □ 本人未能認購或協助代銷明愛籌款抽獎券。 | | | | 泛給班主任。 |
| | | 家長/監護人第 | 簽名: | |
| | | 家長/監護人如 | 生名: | |
| | | 學生聯絡電 | 話 : | |

日 期: _____



18th October, 2021

Dear Parents/Guardians,

Caritas Raffle Tickets 2021

"Blessed is the one who perseveres under trial because, having stood the test, that person will receive the crown of life that the Lord has promised to those who love him." (James 1:12)

The series of trials brought on by the COVID-19 pandemic is a tough test for the whole world. In this protracted fight against the pandemic, Hong Kong faces unprecedented challenges. The unpredictable evolution of the virus has made us feel insignificant, but at the same time has shown us the power of love. In his message for Lent 2021, Pope Francis said, "Love is a gift that gives meaning to our lives. It enables us to view those in need as members of our own family, as friends, brothers or sisters. A small amount, if given with love, never ends, but becomes a source of life and happiness." No matter what adversities are facing us, together we can be one another's light in the darkness, live out the meaning of life and know joy in the midst of trials!

Caritas - Hong Kong, as a social welfare agency of the Hong Kong Diocese, provides manifold services to our society. More importantly, it aims to help people to help themselves and live an enriched life with dignity. Caritas Fund Raising Campaign offers a wonderful opportunity to show the mercy of God through our action and to express our care for the vulnerable and the disadvantaged, the poor and the weak, as well as the least and the helpless.

Donations raised this year will not only enable Caritas-Hong Kong to maintain its high quality services (including education, medical and social work services), but will also help it to handle the protracted fight against the pandemic and help the disadvantaged tide over these difficult times.

Due to the pandemic, the Caritas Bazaar 2021 will be cancelled. Please act now and give generously. Treasure the joy of giving and bring hope, zeal and warmth to the world. Each charity raffle ticket is priced at \$20. Please give the money to the Class Teacher(s) on or before 2nd November 2021 (Tuesday). You may hand in cash or a crossed cheque payable to "Caritas - Hong Kong". All Raffle tickets will be distributed afterwards.

With a loving heart and by working hand-in-hand, every little bit of help in terms of time, money and goodwill can make a big difference.

"And God is able to bless you abundantly, so that in all things at all times, having all that you need, you will abound in every good work. As it is written: 'They have freely scattered their gifts to the poor; their righteousness endures forever'." (2 Corinthians 9:8-9)

Emmanuel!

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| Reply slip Re: Caritas Raffle Tickets 2021 | Circular No.063b (21-22) | | | | |
| I have read and noted the content of the circular No. 063b (21-22), and | | | | | |
| ☐ I would like to buy tickets and will return the money to Class Teacher. ☐ I would not buy the Raffle tickets. | | | | | |
| Signature of Parent/Guardian | : | | | | |
| Name of Parent/Guardian | : | | | | |
| Emergency Contact Number | : | | | | |

Date