

12 de diciembre, 2023

St. Cecilia School

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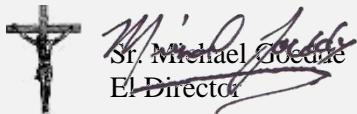
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Estimados padres / tutores:

¡Feliz día de San Nicolás y feliz Adviento! Tenemos unas semanas muy ocupadas por delante a medida que nos acercamos a nuestras vacaciones de Navidad, y esperamos que durante esta temporada tan ocupada, las familias puedan encontrar tiempo para reflexionar sobre nuestra celebración del nacimiento de nuestro Salvador en la mañana de Navidad. Recientemente, la señorita Cowgill colaboró con la señora Jackson, la señorita Shannon y la señorita Poux para completar un proyecto conjunto de carteles de arte y religión patrocinado a través de Caballeros de Colón que enfatiza "Conservar a Cristo" en Navidad. En este boletín se incluye una muestra del trabajo de los estudiantes y, lo más importante, su mensaje, uno que espero que los padres adopten en esta temporada de Adviento.

Este será nuestro último boletín antes de las vacaciones, así que tenga en cuenta toda la información importante para las próximas semanas.


Mr. Michael Gómez
El Director



Misas especiales

Los padres están invitados a asistir a dos misas especiales antes de nuestras vacaciones de Navidad. El primero es un Día Santo de Obligación y se celebra este viernes 8 de diciembre en la Fiesta de la Inmaculada Concepción. El segundo se realizará en la Solemnidad de Nuestra Señora de Guadalupe que se celebrará el próximo martes 12 de diciembre. Ambas misas serán a las 9 a. m. y se invita a los padres a unirse a nosotros. En la Fiesta de Nuestra Señora de Guadalupe, todos los niños de Santa Cecilia están invitados a participar en la procesión de apertura, momento en el que se entregarán flores a la Santísima Madre. Cualquier padre que desee que su hijo esté en la procesión de apertura, puede enviarlo a la escuela con flores.



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Eventos

Jueves 7 de Diciembre

No hay misa

Viernes Diciembre 8

Fiesta de la Inmaculada Concepción – Misa a las 9AM

Lunes, Diciembre 11

Servicio de Primera Reconciliación para Segundo grado.

Martes, Diciembre 12

Día de Nuestra Señora de Guadalupe – Misa escolar 9AM

Jueves, Diciembre 14

No hay Misa
Salida de 8vo grado para ver A Christmas Carol at Playhouse in the Park

Viernes, Diciembre 15

Los que tuvieron asistencia perfecta van sin uniforme
Rosario escolar (Toda la escuela) – 2:20PM en la iglesia.

Martes, Diciembre 19

PK/K Concierto de Música – 2:00-2:30 en el gimnasio
Último día de escuela antes de las vacaciones de Navidad

Miércoles, Enero 3

Regreso a clases

Vacaciones de Invierno

Diciembre 21 – Enero 2

No hay escuela para los estudiantes

Más noticias importantes

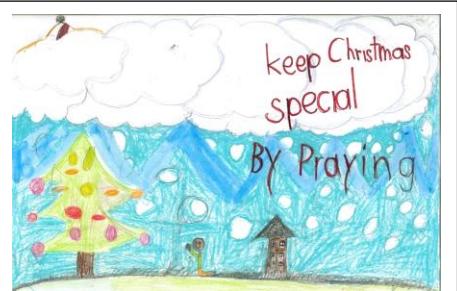
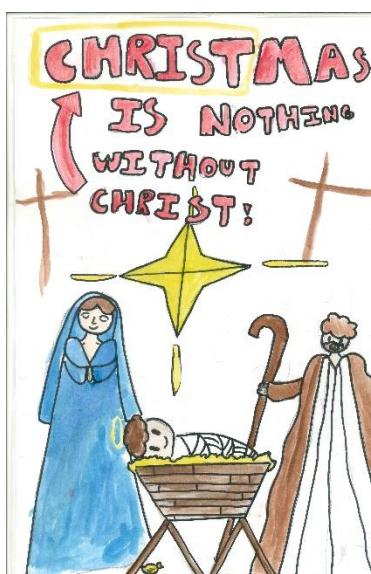
Rosario de Adviento para toda la escuela

Los padres están invitados a asistir a un rosario para toda la escuela el viernes 15 de diciembre a las 2:15 p.m. en la iglesia.

Nuestros alumnos de sexto grado dirigirán el rosario de este mes.

Recital navideño de PK y K 19 de diciembre, 2 p.m.

Nuestros grados 3, 4 y 5 realizaron un maravilloso concierto patriótico para el Día de los Veteranos. Estamos seguros de que nuestros estudiantes de PK y K tendrán un desempeño igualmente bueno el día 19. Los padres están invitados a asistir, y las puertas de la escuela primaria se abrirán a la 1:45 p.m. La presentación será en el gimnasio de nuestra escuela.



Premios de Noviembre (Character Awards)

Felicidades a los siguientes estudiantes que recibieron el Premio al Carácter St. Andrew Kim Taegon de noviembre por su "Persistencia". Fueron reconocidos después de la Misa del 30 de noviembre. Lucia G (PK), Leandro P (K), Christine P (1), Brian J (2), Ryland T (3), Hailee S (4), Christal T (5), Brynn M (6), Raegan C (7), y Brooklynn J (8)

Inscripciones el ciclo escolar 2024-2025

No es demasiado pronto para empezar a pensar en la inscripción para el próximo año escolar, especialmente si tiene o conoce a alguien que tenga un estudiante de PK o K. Con la expansión de la elección de escuelas en Ohio, la inscripción comenzará cuando regresemos de las vacaciones de Navidad en enero.

Temporada de baloncesto - Calendario

La temporada de baloncesto está en pleno apogeo. Se incluye un calendario para la temporada de baloncesto de este año. Espero ver algunos juegos y espero que tú también puedas hacerlo.

Fiestas de Navidad

Se compartirá un enlace de Sign-up Genius con todos los padres para que podamos planificar fiestas de Navidad para todos los grados. Esté atento a esto.

19 de Diciembre

Último día de colegio

Nuestro último día de clases antes del inicio de nuestras vacaciones de Navidad es el martes 19 de diciembre. En este día, los estudiantes pueden vestirse sin uniforme con la vestimenta apropiada del espíritu navideño.

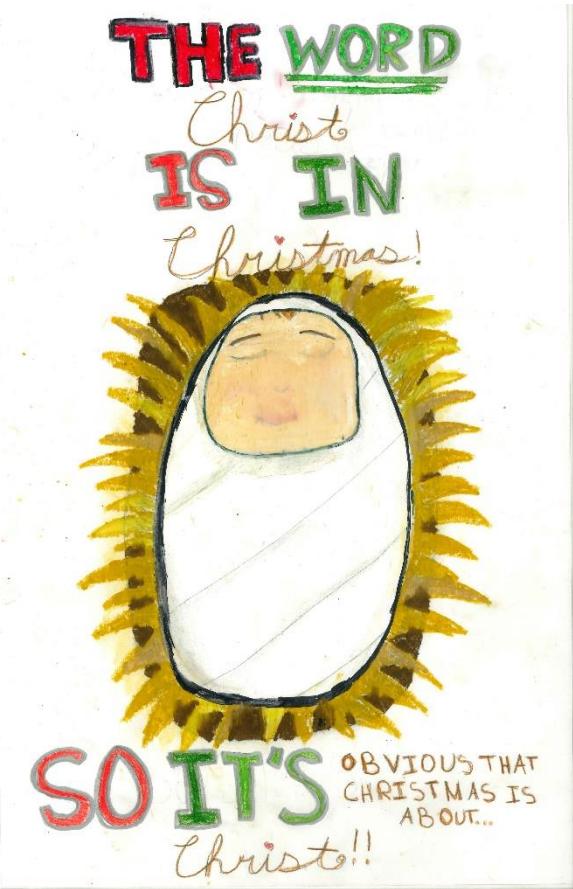
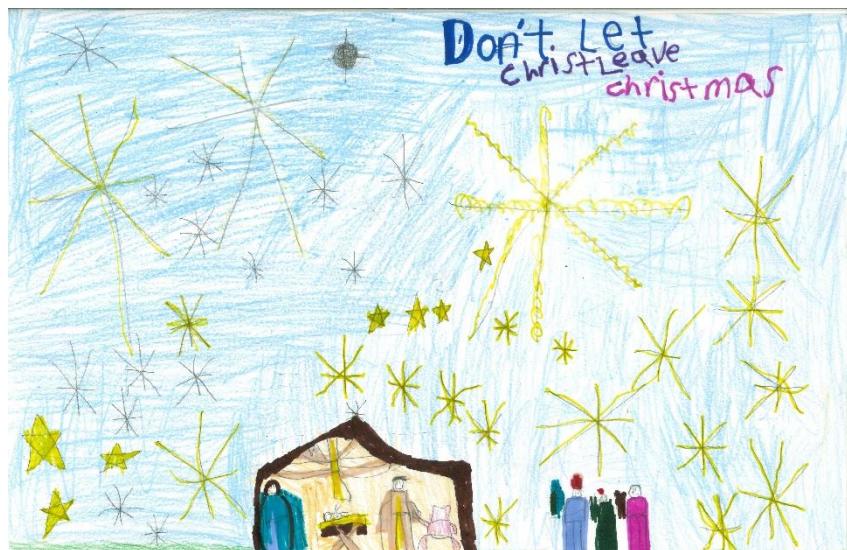
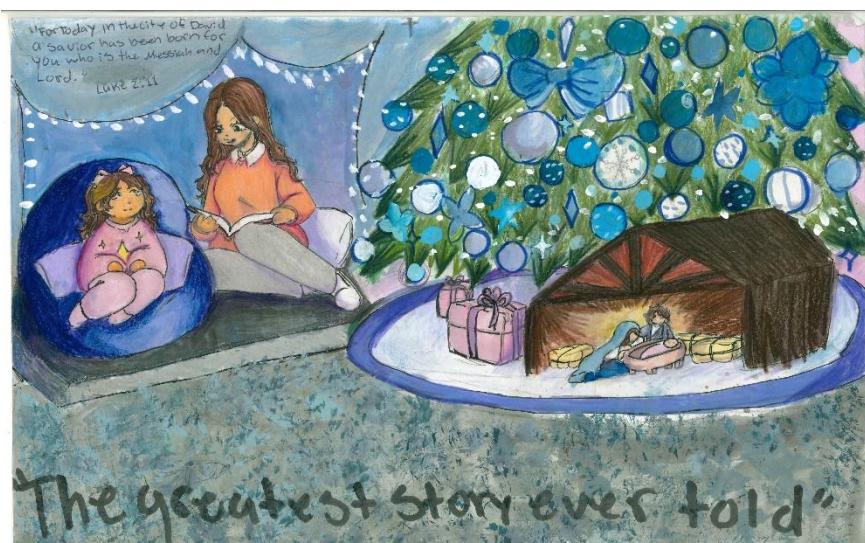
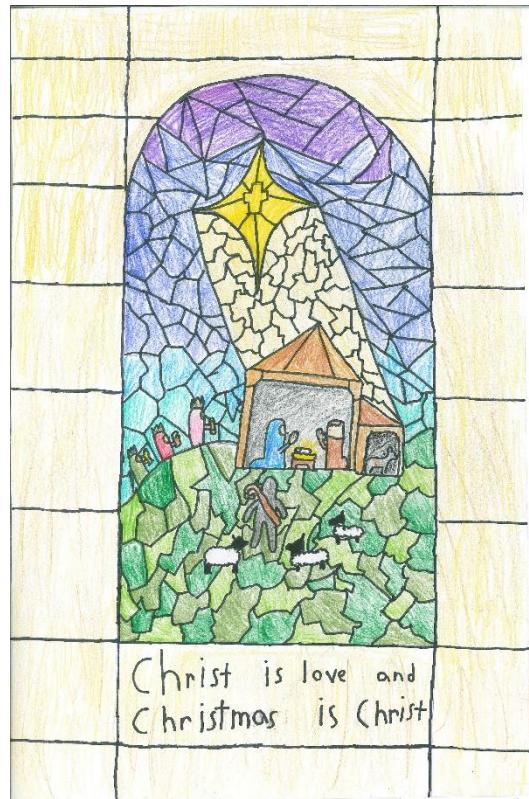
Un villancico de Navidad Excursión

(Obra de teatro Playhouse in the Park) Alumnos de octavo grado han completado el clásico de Charles Dickens *Un villancico* (versión completa) y realizarán una excursión nocturna para ver la adaptación de la obra en el escenario el jueves 14 de diciembre. Se recuerda a los padres de estudiantes de octavo grado que entreguen las hojas de permiso.

Taller de Papá Noel (Santa's Workshop)

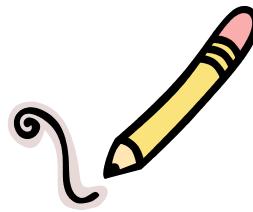
Gracias a todos nuestros padres voluntarios que ayudaron a que el Taller de Santa de este año fuera otro éxito. Quiero reconocer especialmente a Tricia Klco y Joanne Thomas, quienes encabezaron esta celebración favorita anual para los estudiantes.

Venta de bastón de caramel
Gracias a todos los que participaron en la venta de bastones de caramelo de este año. Vendimos más de 2000 bastones de caramelo y pudimos recaudar una buena cantidad de dinero para ayudar a las familias en Navidad.



In the Classroom

What's coming in the next weeks....



Preschool

- **Religion** – Students are learning about this month's saint (St. Andrew Kim Taegon) and the character trait of persistence. They will begin learning about St. Teresa of Calcutta in the month of December, as well as the character trait of empathy.
- **Language Arts** – Students are learning the letter "L", the sound it makes, as well as learning how to write/trace it in its written form. Students are also hearing read-alouds from a variety of children's books, and answering questions about the texts.
- **Math** – Students are wrapping up a unit on shapes, both 2-dimensional and 3-dimensional. They are also continuing to practice counting to 10, using a variety of strategies.
- **Science and Social Studies** will be integrated through our language arts program, CKLA, throughout the year. Students are continuing their unit on animals, various animal species, their habitats and needs, and what groups they belong to.
- **Art** – Students are going to practice shapes associated with Christmas.
- **Music** – Students will work on singing songs for a Christmas performance.
- **Gym** – Students are learning various ball handling skills: passing, throwing, and dribbling. We are continuing to learn how to follow directions.

Kindergarten

- **Religion** – Students will learn about Advent and Mother Teresa.
- **Language Arts** – Students will continue to learn new letter sounds and their corresponding spellings, as well as new tricky words.
- **Math** – Students will count and compare numbers up to 20.
- **Science & Social Studies** will be integrated through our language arts program, CKLA, throughout the year. Students will begin their unit of study on plants.
- **Art** – Students will produce a few Christmas related small projects focusing on color and shape and theme.
- **Music** - Students will work on singing songs for a Christmas performance.
- **Gym** – Students will continue a Four Square unit.

Grade 1

- **Religion** – Students will learn about Advent and Mother Teresa.
- **Language Arts** - Students will begin unit 3 of skills. Students will begin the *Fables* reader. Students will be participating in discussions and will be answering literal, inferential, and evaluative questions about what was read in the story. Students will be introduced to long and short double o vowels, and will be able to identify the sound when they hear a long/short double o word.
- **Knowledge** - Students will continue learning about Mesopotamia and Ancient Egypt, through several read alouds. Students will be comparing and contrasting the two civilizations based on their farming, cities, writing, leaders, and religions.
- **Writing** - Students will be introduced to narrative writing in our skills unit. Students will draft, edit, and write about a story from our skills reader. Students will also be focusing on informational writing through our knowledge unit. Students will be completing a civilizations chart to show their understanding of Mesopotamia and Ancient Egypt.
- **Math** – Students will begin Chapter 6, where they will be learning about ordinal numbers and positional words. Students will learn how to identify the correct ordinal number when given a statement, and will be learning how to use positional words in a math sentence.

- **Science & Social Studies** will be integrated through our language arts program, CKLA, throughout the year. Students will continue their unit on Early World Civilizations. Students will be learning about the similarities and differences between Mesopotamia and Ancient Egypt.
- **Art** – Students will be working on a Christmas themed art project.
- **Music** - Students will work on learning to read melodies and rhythms.
- **Gym** – Students will continue a Four Square unit.

Grade 2

- **Religion** – They will begin learning about the Liturgical Calendar in preparation for Advent. They are preparing for their First Reconciliation which is Monday, December 11th at 6:30 @St. Mary's. Parents of students who are receiving Reconciliation and First Communion have been given registration forms that are due back December 1st. A copy of their Baptismal Certificate is also needed.
- **Knowledge** - Students will finish our unit on Greek Myths with an assessment.
- **Skills** – Students will read and spell -ou, -ow, -oi and -oy spelling patterns. We will continue reading stories with fluency and comprehension from reader *Bedtime Stories* and begin Christmas readers theater in small groups to practice speaking and listening skills.
- **Writing** - Students will be planning, writing and editing their own Greek Myths. We will also write letters to Jesus to celebrate Christmas.
- **Math** - Students will finish Chapter 8: Mass with an assessment. We will move on to Chapter 9: Volume, where students will measure and compare volume in liters and add and subtract volume using bar models.
- **Science & Social Studies** will be integrated through our language arts program, CKLA, throughout the year. In science, students are learning about materials and properties of different objects. This is preparing students to choose ingredients that would be appropriate for glue.
- **Art** – Students are working on a Christmas themed project, focusing on shape and color.
- **Music** - Students will learn to read melodies and rhythms using Christmas music.
- **Gym & Health** - Students will continue a Four Square unit.

Grade 3

- **Religion** - They will begin learning about the Liturgical Calendar in preparation for Advent. They will begin learning about Mother Teresa. They are learning the Apostles' Creed.
- **CKLA** – Students will continue their unit on The Human Body: Systems and Senses
- **Writing** - Students will continue to work on their handwriting. Students will also be learning about explanatory writing and producing a Christmas theme explanatory writing piece.
- **Math** – Students will begin to learn about money, specifically how to add and subtract bills and coins.
- **Science & Social Studies** will be integrated through our language arts program, CKLA, throughout the year. Our unit focuses on Body Systems and how our bodies function and what we're made of.
- **Art** – Students will be working on a Christmas themed project focusing on perspective.
- **Music** - Students will learn to read melodies and rhythms using Christmas music.
- **Gym & Health** - Students will continue their unit on Basketball.

Grade 4

- **Religion** – They will begin learning about the Liturgical Calendar in preparation for Advent. They will begin learning about Mother Teresa. They have started working on a published book. Flyers will be sent home next week.
- **Language Arts** – Students will be wrapping up their unit on Medieval Europe and Persuasive Writing.
- **Math** – Students will continue learning to read and interpret bar charts, line graphs, and other visual representations of data.
- **Science** – Students will continue to study different sources of energy and build simple systems where solar energy is not the energy source.
- **Social Studies** – Students will wrap up their unit on Islamic Civilizations.
- **Art** – Students are working on a Winter themed project focusing on perspective, color, and color blending.
- **Music** - Students will learn to read melodies and rhythms using Christmas music.
- **Gym & Health** – Students will continue to learn and play pickleball.

Grade 5

- **Religion** – They will begin learning about the Liturgical Calendar in preparation for Advent. They will begin learning about Mother Teresa. They continue to learn about the Sacraments.
- **Language Arts** – Students will begin reading, *Don Quixote*.
- **Math** – Students will learn to multiply mixed numbers.
- **Science** – Students will finish a constellations project and conclude a unit on patterns of earth and sky.
- **Social Studies** – Students will begin learning about Unit 4: From Renaissance to England's Golden Age through readings, guided discussions, and activities.
- **Art** – Students will be working on a Christmas Nativity scene.
- **Music** - Students will learn to read melodies and rhythms using Christmas music.
- **Gym & Health** – Students will learn to play pickleball.

Grade 6

- **Religion** – Students will begin a new unit learning about the rosary and how to pray the rosary.
- **Language Arts** – Students will finish their unit on chocolate by writing an argumentative essay.
- **Math (Smith)** – Students will continue learning about unit rates.
- **Math (Poux)** – Students will work with ratios and finding unit rates in preparation to work with proportions.
- **Science** – Students will continue a unit on traits and reproduction.
- **Social Studies** – Students will continue to learn about The Enlightenment, The French Revolution, and Romanticism through readings, guided discussions, and activities.
- **Art** – Students are working on a cartoon character themed project.
- **Music** - Students will work on learning to sing songs for an upcoming Mass.
- **Gym & Health** – Students will be playing pickleball.

Grade 7

- **Religion** – Students will continue learning about the Sacraments with a focus on the Sacrament of Confirmation. They will also learn about December's Saint of the Month, Mother Teresa.
- **Language Arts** – Students will continue an Amplify unit on character and conflict. They will also continue a grammar unit on verbs.
- **Math (May)** – Students will wrap up their unit on algebraic equations and inequalities and begin to explore how to find the volume and surface area of three-dimensional figures.
- **Math (Lewis)** - Students are learning to solve and graph algebraic inequalities using number lines.
- **Science** – Students will continue a unit on rock transformations.
- **Social Studies** – Students will begin a new chapter studying the Revolutionary War.
- **Art** – Students are working on a Christmas themed project.
- **Music** - Students will learn about the musical genre of Musical Theater.
- **Gym & Health** – Students will begin a pickleball unit.

Grade 8

- **Religion** – Students will study the Age of Persecution. They will also learn about December's Saint of the Month, Mother Teresa.
- **English** – Students will continue to work with complements.
- **Reading** – Students will complete *A Christmas Carol* by Charles Dickens and any related writing assignments.
- **Math** – Students will wrap up a unit on functions and begin to explore how to use the Pythagorean Theorem to find missing side lengths of right triangles.
- **Science** – Students will continue a unit on Earth's history.
- **Social Studies** – Students will wrap up their unit on World War I and have a test next week. They will be tested over landforms of the Middle East and North & South America.
- **Art** – Students are working on a monochromatic project using coffee.
- **Music** - Students will learn about the musical genre of Musical Theater.
- **Gym & Health** – Students will begin a pickleball unit.

St. Cecilia Basketball Schedule

<u>Team</u>	<u>Date</u>	<u>Time</u>	<u>Opponent</u>	<u>Location</u>
NOVEMBER				
Girls 4-5	11/11/23	10am	SMOY	St. Cecilia
Girls 6-7	11/11/23	11am	SMOY	St. Cecilia
Girls 4-5	11/12/23	4pm	St. Susanna	St. Susanna
Girls 4-5	11/18/23	11am	Summit CD	St. Cecilia
Girls 6-7	11/18/23	12pm	All Saints	St. Cecilia
Girls 6-7	11/18/23	4pm	St. Michael	Queen City Sportsplex
DECEMBER				
Boys 3-4	12/2/23	11am	Summit CD	Summit Athletic Complex
Girls 4-5	12/2/23	11am	SASEAS	St. Elizabeth Ann Seton
Boys 5-6	12/2/23	1pm	St. Mary	United Cerebral Palsy
Girls 6-7	12/2/23	1pm	All Saints	All Saints
Boys 7-8	12/3/23	2pm	St. Columban	St. Xavier HS
Boys 5-6	12/3/23	3pm	St. Columban	Roger Bacon HS
Boys 5-6	12/9/23	8am	SASEAS	St. Cecilia
Girls 6-7	12/9/23	9am	St. Susana	St. Cecilia
Boys 3-4	12/9/23	10am	St. Vincent Ferrer	St. Cecilia
Girls 4-5	12/9/23	11am	Nativity	St. Cecilia
Boys 7-8	12/10/23	1pm	Mercy Montessori	Roger Bacon HS
Girls 4-5	12/10/23	3:30pm	St. Veronica	St. Veronica
Girls 6-7	12/10/23	8pm	Nativity	Nativity School
Boys 7-8	12/16/23	2pm	St. Ann	Fenmont Center
Boys 5-6	12/16/23	3pm	All Saints	St. Cecilia
Boys 3-4	12/16/23	3:30pm	Mercy Montessori	St. Ursula Villa
Girls 4-5	12/16/23	4pm	St. Michael	St. Cecilia
Girls 6-7	12/16/23	6pm	SMOY	SMOY Main Gym

JANUARY

Girls 4-5	1/6/24	10am	St. Gertrude	St. Cecilia
Boys 3-4	1/6/24	11am	St. Mary	St. Cecilia
Girls 6-7	1/6/24	12pm	St. Michael	St. Cecilia
Boys 5-6	1/6/24	5pm	Cincinnati Classical	Cincinnati Classical Academy
Girls 4-5	1/7/24	5pm	St. Mary	United Cerebral Palsy
Boys 7-8	1/7/24	5pm	St. Francis De Sales	Roger Bacon HS
Girls 6-7	1/13/24	10am	All Saints	St. Cecilia
Boys 3-4	1/13/24	11am	Cardinal Pacelli	St. Cecilia
Boys 5-6	1/13/24	12pm	St. Columban	St. Cecilia
Girls 4-5	1/13/24	12:30pm	St. Ursula Villa	St. Ursula Villa
Boys 7-8	1/13/24	8pm	Guardian Angels	Guardian Angels New Gym (PC)
Boys 7-8	1/14/24	2pm	IHM	Roger Bacon HS
Girls 6-7	1/14/24	4pm	St. Susanna	Roger Bacon HS
Boys 3-4	1/19/24	6pm	CHCA	St. Cecilia
Boys 5-6	1/19/24	7pm	St. Mary	St. Cecilia
Boys 7-8	1/20/24	2pm	SMOY	Roger Bacon HS
Boys 5-6	1/20/24	7pm	Cardinal Pacelli	Cardinal Pacelli
Boys 3-4	1/21/24	1pm	St. Michael	Queen City Sportsplex
Boys 7-8	1/21/24	2pm	St. Louis	McNicholas HS
Boys 5-6	1/26/24	6:30pm	SASEAS	St. Elizabeth Ann Seton
Boys 3-4	1/27/24	2pm	IHM	St. Thomas More
Boys 3-4	1/28/24	5pm	All Saints	All Saints
Boys 7-8	1/28/24	5pm	Cardinal Pacelli	St. Xavier HS

FEBRUARY

Boys 3-4	2/3/24	10am	Guardian Angels	St. Cecilia
Boys 7-8	2/3/24	10am	St. Bernadette	St. Bernadette
Boys 5-6	2/3/24	11am	Mother Teresa	St. Cecilia

*Game times subject to change

**Tournament schedule TBD