



# Our Lady of Grace Catholic School



Week 15

*The mission of Our Lady of Grace Catholic School is to provide an academically superior education in a secure environment focused on Catholic identity for creating educated, spiritual leaders for the future.*

## A Message from the Principal:

Dear OLG Families,

We are entering Week 15 of school, and I want to thank you for the continued support, prayers, and encouragement you show each day. Our students are thriving in faith, academics, and service because of the strong partnership between home and school.

### Faith and Community

Thank you to all the families who joined us for Community Mass this past Sunday at St. Matthew's. Your presence, support, and participation made the celebration truly special for our students—especially those who served as altar servers, readers, musicians, and offertory assistants.

We kindly ask families to help sell Catholic Life Tickets, as this fundraiser directly supports our school and its programs. Your participation makes a meaningful difference. We also have several upcoming events in the weeks ahead, so please keep an eye out for announcements and flyers with more information.

### Academic Updates

Students continue to work diligently as we move closer to the end of Quarter 2. Please continue encouraging your child to read daily and complete their IXL practice. Our Reading Challenge and IXL Leaderboard remain active, and it is wonderful to see the motivation and progress across all grade levels. Consistent effort, both in and out of the classroom, helps students grow in confidence and skill.

Please remember that Thanksgiving Break is next week. We hope your families enjoy a restful, joy-filled time together.

With appreciation,  
Ms. Valdez, Principal

### Monday, November 17

3:45-5:00pm- Cheer practice

### Tuesday: November 18

4:30-6:00pm- Open House

5:30pm- Texas Education Freedom Account informational session

6:00pm- PTC General Meeting

6:45pm- Thanksgiving Luncheon setup

### Wednesday: November 19

10:45pm- Thanksgiving Luncheon

### Thursday: November 20

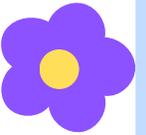
### Friday: November 21

8:30am- Mass @ Saint Andrews

12:30pm- Early Release

### November 24-28

Thanksgiving Break



# Counselor's Corner

with Ms. Mani

The holiday season always brings such excitement for our students, and this week's Thanksgiving luncheon is one of the moments they look forward to most. I'm grateful for the flexibility and support of our parents and teachers as we move into this busy time. Thank you for helping make these celebrations so special for our school community.

You can find me on campus:

Tuesdays-Wednesdays from 8:00 am-3:30 pm

Thursdays from 8:00 am - 12:30 pm.

# HAPPY THANKSGIVING



## Thanksgiving Luncheon

We invite parents, siblings, grandparents, and family friends to celebrate Thanksgiving on Wednesday, November 19<sup>th</sup> at 11 am at St. Andrew's Parish Hall.

Catered by Bill Miller: Serving Turkey, Dressing, Mashed Potatoes, Green Beans, Rolls, Tea and Dessert.



**A HOLY JOLLY Christmas**

Join us for festive crafts, treats, and family fun - Plus a surprise visit from Santa for pictures!

December 10, 2025  
5:30 pm - 7:30 pm  
St. Andrew's Parish Hall

Build a Gingerbread House      Write a letter to Santa  
Make an Advent Wreath      Ornament Decorating  
Enjoy Cookies and Cocoa

Take a Family Photo with Santa

Save The Date

**Fundraising EVENT**

CATHOLIC LIFE INSURANCE

### Catholic Life Incentives

- 2nd Bundle - Free Dress Day
- 3rd Bundle - Sweet Treat
- 4th Bundle - Lunch and a Movie with Ms. Valdez

SCHOOL FUNDRAISING

## Student of the Week! Emery Medina

We are proud to recognize Emery as this week's Student of the Week for beautifully demonstrating the virtues of Faith, Charity, and Justice. Emery truly strives to live like Jesus every day. She is consistently kind, loving, and respectful to everyone around her. She makes excellent choices, treats others with compassion, and inspires her classmates to do what is right. Emery is a shining example of kindness and faith in action.



## School Uniforms Q & A



As winter approaches, we wanted to answer a few questions regarding dress code.



- Students may wear a navy blue spirit sweatshirt while in class on any day of the week. This must have the OLG logo.
- Students may wear any color jackets to/from school, however, they may not be worn inside the classroom. Only navy sweaters, sweatshirts, or jackets may be worn while on campus.
- Students may wear beanies (hats) to school, but they must be removed when entering the building
- Only navy blue spirt shirts and sweatshirts may be worn on Thursdays for spirit day.

THANK  
YOU

Thank you for joining  
us for our  
community mass this  
Sunday at  
St. Matthews

