



Parent Newsletter

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Important Dates

Jan. 28 – Feb. 2
Catholic Schools
Week

Feb. 1st
Grandparents/VIP
Luncheon

Feb. 1st
Petal Meeting
7:00pm

Feb. 5th
5th Grade
Pasta Dinner
Fundraiser
Parent meeting
6:00pm

Feb. 7th
Minimum day
12:00pm dismissal

Feb. 7th
School Mass
9:15am

Feb. 8th
First Holy
Communion
reflection
5:15pm

Feb. 13th
Classroom
St. Valentine's
parties

Feb. 14th
Ash Wednesday

Feb. 14th
School & Parish
Mass
9:15am

CATHOLIC SCHOOLS WEEK MASS & OPEN HOUSE:

We would like to thank all the volunteers who helped with our Catholic Schools Week Parish Mass and Open House this past Sunday. It was a great start to Catholic Schools Week. The students who participated in the various parts of Mass all did a fantastic job! Seeing how many students attended in their Mass uniform to represent our school was heartwarming. It was a wonderful event both for existing and potential St. Anne's families. Thank you again to all who helped with this event, and a heartfelt thank you to Mrs. AnnMarie Caldwell and the Marketing Committee for organizing this event.

CRAB DINNER UPDATE:

We would like to extend a HUGE thank you to all the room parents, volunteers, donors, school and parish staff and attendees for supporting our crab feed. Thanks to your hard work and efforts, we were able to surpass our fundraising goal for this event! I would like to thank Cari Diaz for chairing the event and Mr. & Mrs. Shinn for assisting her in the execution of the event.

SCIENCE OLYMPIAD STUDY MEETING:

Our next Science Olympiad STUDY Meeting will be Friday, February 2nd in Room 7, 3:05-4:15pm.

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION REFLECTION:

February 8th, 2024, 5:15pm – 6:30pm in St. Anne's Hall. This reflection is for the child preparing to receive First Holy Communion and his/her parents. A time to take a deeper reflection on the Sacrament of the Eucharist and create your child's Banner.

SECOND SUNDAY MASS VOLUNTEERS:

Please consider participating in the 2nd Sunday 8:30 or 10:30am Masses by being a greeter or gift bearer. Please use the [link](#) to sign up for this wonderful opportunity in March, April and May.

MINIMUM DAY, FEBRUARY 7TH:

Next Wednesday, Feb. 7th will be a minimum day, dismissal will be at 12:00pm for all grades. Please make note of the change for this month only.

GRANDPARENTS/VIP LUNCHEON:

The Grandparents/VIP luncheon is tomorrow. Seating times are as follows.

A-J 11:15- 12:00pm

K-Z 12:15- 1:00pm

Please inform your children's guests that doors will not open until the seating's start time, and classrooms will not be open for visits this year.

YEARBOOK FOTOS:

St. Anne's community with photos to share with the yearbook may use the Community Upload portal by using this address link.

<https://community.lifetouch.com/invite?code=SACSYB-24> If asked, the invite code "SACSYB-24" should be entered.

PASTA DINNER FUNDRAISER:

5th Grade Science Camp Fundraiser / Pasta Dinner. Attention all 5th Grade Families, we will have a mandatory meeting February 5th, at 6:00pm in room 5. We will discuss the details of our Pasta Dinner and our goal to raise money for our kids to attend Science Camp in 6th grade. The Pasta Dinner date is scheduled for March 12th.

KINDERGARTEN ENROLLMENT PACKETS:

If you have a child who will be 5 years by September 1st, please turn in an enrollment form. If you know of a family who might be interested in our school, please ask them to call the office.

VOLLEYBALL SIGNUPS:

Girls Volleyball signups **deadline is Feb. 3rd**

<https://www.stanneslodi.org/cyoregistration>

If you are interested in coaching the 7/8 volleyball team this year, please contact Dan Munoz, 209.992.7830.

POSTURE CHANGES AT MASS:

Bishop Cotta has issued a decree for some changes of our Posture in the Mass. Please click on the link for the letter and resources on this change which will go into effect on Ash Wednesday, February 14, 2024. <https://www.stocktondiocese.org/posture-at-mass>

Feb. 14th
Early dismissal
2:00pm

Feb. 16th
End of
Trimester 2

Feb. 16th
Stations of the
Cross
2:15pm

ART AND LUNCH VOLUNTEERS NEEDED:

Art volunteers and Lunch volunteers are needed. Sign-up through sign-up genius, **no emails please.** www.signupgenius.com/tabs/53171DD04A4C8E8C71-202324

PRAYER REQUEST:

The Daughters of Isabella invite you to pray this month for our Youth, especially for all fifth-grade students. "Lord, we place our children in Your hands now and forever. Please be beside them every day gently guiding and leading them always. Help them to have hope for the future. Smooth their paths, protecting and blessing the places they pass. Heal their wounds, forgive their mistakes. Give all adults in their lives the wisdom, guidance, and grace they need to teach them to know and love You. Amen."

MASS ATTENDANCE CARDS:

Please remember to turn in your Mass attendance cards when attending weekend Masses at St. Anne's Church.

RAFFLE BASKETS NOT PICKED UP:

Crab dinner raffle baskets not picked up.

Basket #18- Impact Sports, the winning number is 0078878

Basket #13- UOP Ticket Pack, the winning number is 0078756. Please check your tickets.

FEBRUARY 13TH SPIRIT DAY:

Tuesday, February 13th, students may wear red or pink tops **with uniform bottoms** in honor of St. Valentine's Day. May we remember to continue to show Christ's love to the world as St. Valentine did.

SEEDS TUITION ASSISTANCE:

Families registered in one of our Catholic schools are eligible to apply for a SEEDS Scholarship.

- A family is to complete the application process by March 5th, for the following school year.
 - There is a \$40 per family application fee, which is paid by the family.
 - An application is considered complete and eligible for consideration when all the required documentation has been filed and verified by March 5th. Please note it can take several weeks to verify information, so it is important to start well in advance of March 5th.
 - Applications which are incomplete on March 16th will not be eligible for a scholarship.
 - Recipients of a SEEDS scholarship will be notified by the school administrator in early June. To apply for SEEDS, [please click here](#).
- If you currently have a FACTS account, please use your login information.

TOKAY HIGH SCHOOL:

Tokay High School's 8th Grade Parents Night will be February 22nd from 6:30-8:00pm in the Big Gym. This will be an informational night for non-feeder schools. The registration night will be held later. Please feel free to call 209 331-7990 ext. 340014, if you have any questions or need additional information.

LODI HIGH SCHOOL:

Lodi High School's 8th grade parent night will be held in the Meehleis Gym on March 7th at 6pm. Scheduling for incoming 8th graders will begin on 2/28 through 3/10. For more information or enrollment questions for students who will be attending Lodi High on an IDA next year please email kibrooks@lodiUSD.net.

LENTEN MORNING OF REFLECTION:

Daughters of Isabella, St. Anne's Circle #1332 invite you to their annual LENTEN MORNING OF REFLECTION, TABLE OF PLENTY: THE LAST SUPPER. Saturday, February 17th. Morning Mass at 8:00am in the church followed by a light breakfast and reflections in St. Anne's Hall. Please see attached flyer for more information.

Catholic Schools Week



Week of 1/28/24

- 1/29 Monday (Celebrating Vocations)
Make appreciation cards for our priests/parish staff (created in religion class)
- 1/30 Tuesday (Celebrating our Students)
Free Dress for all & NO HOMEWORK
- 1/31 Wednesday (Celebrating our Parish Community)
Invite parishioners to join our Wednesday School mass
- 2/1 Thursday (Celebrating Family and our Nation)
Grandparents/VIP Luncheon
Uniform bottoms with Red, White & Blue Top and accessories
- 2/2 Friday (Celebrating our Staff and Teachers)
Dress up as your favorite teacher/faculty member!