



Parent Newsletter

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Important Dates

Jan. 26th
CSW Mass
10:30am

Jan. 26th
Open House
11:30am – 2:00pm

Jan. 26 – 31st
Catholic Schools
Week

Jan. 29th
School Mass
9:15am

Jan. 29th
Early day
2:00pm dismissal

Jan. 29th
Student Council
Leadership Mass
Presentation
Church
9:30 – 12:30pm

Jan. 29th
6th Grade Field trip
to Symphony
10:15am

Jan. 30th
Grandparents/VIP
Luncheon

Feb. 5th
School Mass
9:15am

Feb. 5th
Early day
2:00pm dismissal

CATHOLIC SCHOOLS WEEK MASS & OPEN HOUSE:

All families are invited to our Catholic Schools Week Parish Mass on Sunday, January 26th at 10:30am. Students will be participating in various parts of the Mass. All students attending the Mass are encouraged to wear Mass uniform to represent our school. There will be a public/parish open house at the school following the Mass. Coffee and donuts will be served in front of the school. Classrooms will be open from 11:30 – 2:00 pm. If you know of a family who is interested in our school, please ask them to attend.

GRANDPARENTS/VIP LUNCHEON:

The Grandparents/VIP Luncheon will be held Thursday, January 30th.

Lunch seating times based on student's last name:

K-Z 11:15am – 12:00pm

A-J 12:15pm – 1:00pm

Please note: This is a full instruction day. Students will be expected to return to class after lunch.

LUNCHEON VOLUNTEERS NEEDED:

Volunteers are needed to make the Grandparents/VIP Luncheon a success. Help is needed with set-up, serving, and clean-up. SOS hours can be earned by volunteering. Please click on the link to see the times & to sign up. If you plan to stay for all shifts, please sign up for both. Click here to Volunteer: [2024-25 All school families: 2025 VIP Luncheon Volunteers](#)

All volunteers must be up to date with Safe Environment requirements.

FEBRUARY LUNCH ORDER:

The ordering deadline for February hot lunch is Sunday, January 26th, at 11:59PM. If you do not order prior to the deadline there is no way to place an order afterwards. This deadline also applies to orders for only milk and water.

2:00 PM WEDNESDAY DISMISSAL:

Next Wednesday, January 29th will be an early day with 2:00pm dismissal for grades 1st – 8th.

GIRLS CYO VOLLEYBALL REGISTRATION:

Girls Volleyball signups are open! Please go to www.stanneslodi.org/cyoregistration to register. Volleyball is available for students in grades 3-8. If you are interested in becoming a coach or helping, please call Dan Muñoz 209.992.7830.

SPIRIT WEAR STORE NOW OPEN:

The St. Anne's School Spirit Wear Store is now open for orders for 1 week only!

DEADLINE TO ORDER IS January 23rd!

Online Orders Only: www.StAnnesSchoolSpirit.com

STAFF TRAINING, NO CAMPUS CARE:

On February 5, 2025, we will be holding an all-staff safety training, it is critical that our Campus Care staff be available to attend, therefore, Campus Care will not be available that afternoon. Please mark your calendars and make other childcare arrangements for this date.

STEAM ASSEMBLY VOLUNTEERS NEEDED:

On February 11th, help us turn our gymnasium into a state-of-the-art hands-on children's museum focused on STEAM education (science, technology, engineering, art, and math) with activities suitable for all ages! We need parent volunteers to help with set up, clean up, and to be present at some of the stations to focus the students and to positively enhance the experience with small group instruction. This is a volunteer opportunity you will not want to miss! Click on link to sign-up.

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/5080A4FAEAD28A6FC1-54252153-steam>

DAUGHTERS OF ISABELLA SCHOLARSHIP:

The Daughter's of Isabella will be funding two \$500 scholarships to St. Anne's 8th graders or 8th grade parishioners attending St. Mary's High School or any other accredited Catholic High School in the Fall of 2025. Please contact Megan Holguin at (209)327-4554 or via email at meganholguin1011@gmail.com

THANK YOU:

We would like to thank the 4th grade parents for the breakfast food they brought in for the staff last Thursday. Your thoughtfulness is greatly appreciated.

Feb. 5th
No Campus Care

Feb. 5th
Staff training

MASS ATTENDANCE CARDS 2024-2025:

Please remember to turn in your Mass attendance cards when attending weekend Masses at St. Anne's Church. **Only 1 card will be accepted per weekend per family.**

APOLOGETICS COURSE:

Our year-long Catholic Apologetics course offers an ideal opportunity. Every Monday night, 6:30 pm - 8:00 pm in Dominican Hall. SOS Hours: Earn 1 hour of SOS credit for every 2 nights attended. Come join us to grow in faith and fellowship, hope to see you there!

VIRTUE OF THE MONTH:

January's virtue is Justice. Justice enables one to give to each, beginning with God, what is due him.

ATTENTION PARENTS, UNIFORM UPDATE:

Dennis Uniform Company has declared bankruptcy and has closed all its stores, therefore, is no longer able to provide for our school's uniform needs. We are currently finalizing details with School Uniforms by Tommy Hilfiger to be our new uniform provider. If you have outstanding orders with Dennis Uniform Company, we do not anticipate that those will be filled. If you were waiting for a sweater, please have your child wear a solid navy-blue crew neck sweatshirt instead. Thank you for your understanding and we look forward to sharing additional uniform information once the details are finalized.

JANUARY PRAYER:

The Daughters of Isabella invite you to pray with us this month for our Youth, especially for all fourth-grade students. "Thank You, Jesus, that You have lived here as one of us. You know what it is like to be a child and to feel everything a child feels. May we be conduits of love to our children as they grow. Help us to walk gently among them- to embrace and respect them. We pray that You will guide us in this endeavor today and every day. Amen" Adapted from Wes Stafford - Compassion website

SEEDS TUITIONS ASSISTANCE:

All families registered in one of our Catholic elementary schools are eligible to apply for a SEEDS Scholarship. If a family is interested in applying, the application timeline is as follows.

*Applications are accepted through Feb. 28th for the following school year.

* There is a per family application fee, which is paid by the family.

* A family is to complete the application process by Feb. 28th.

* An application is considered complete and eligible for consideration when all the required documentation has been filed and verified by Feb. 28th.

* Please note it can take several weeks to verify information, so it is important to start well in advance of Feb. 28th.

* Applications which are incomplete on March 5th will not be eligible for a scholarship.

* Recipients of a SEEDS scholarship will be notified by the school administrator no later than early June.

To apply for SEEDS, please click <https://online.factsmgt.com/aid>. If you currently have a FACTS account, please use your login.

YEARBOOK PHOTOS:

Share photos with the Yearbook via the Community Upload portal by using this address link:

<https://community.lifetouch.com/invite?code=SACS YB-25> . The invite code is "SACSYB-25".

CATHOLIC SCHOOLS WEEK ACTIVITIES:

Student Council has put together a list of activities for Catholic Schools Week. Please see attached.

Catholic Schools Week



Week of 1/26/25

- 1/27 Monday (Celebrating Vocations)
Make appreciation cards for our priests/parish staff (created in religion class)
- 1/28 Tuesday (Celebrating our Students)
Free Dress for all & NO HOMEWORK
- 1/29 Wednesday (Celebrating our Parish Community)
Invite parishioners to join our Wednesday School mass
- 1/30 Thursday (Celebrating Family and our Nation)
Grandparents/VIP Luncheon
Uniform bottoms with Red, White & Blue Top and accessories
- 1/31 Friday (Celebrating our Staff and Teachers)
Dress up as your favorite teacher/faculty member!