

SAINT JOSEPH'S CATHOLIC SCHOOL

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Catholic Schools
United in Faith and Community

Catholic Schools Week:

Welcome to Catholic Schools Week 2024. Please refer to the sheet which was sent home last week for our list of activities. If you need a new sheet or have any questions, feel free to call the office.

Kick-Off Mass:

On Sunday, January 28th, we will begin Catholic Schools Week with a Kick-off Mass at 8:30 a.m. We always begin Catholic Schools Week with a Mass to celebrate our faith and to thank God for the wonderful opportunities and blessings we receive from our Catholic Education.

We invite you and your family to join us for Mass. As stated in the newsletter last week, the Knights of Columbus will be serving a delicious pancake and sausage breakfast in the school gym. Please join us following Mass for breakfast and to support our school.

Fish Fry Work List:

In the Friday Folder is the work list for the St. Joseph Fish Fries. Please check your folder to see when you are scheduled to help with this activity.

Totally Lent:

Each year our students in grades 1st through 8th complete a Lenten activity book called Totally Lent. Some of the activities in this book are completed at school, while some activities may need to be worked on at home. This booklet will be a great way for you and your family to share some Lenten activities together.

Please send in \$5.00 by Monday, February 19th to cover the cost of the booklet.

2024 Pizza Sale:

I hope you have been enjoying the pizzas that you purchased from our fundraiser. St. Joseph School and parish is known throughout our diocese for volunteers who work together to support our school, and this was no different. Even with a snowstorm approaching, we had almost fifty volunteers helping to make pizzas and get them out the same evening. All I can say is WOW! 1,300 pizzas were made in one evening and we had a profit of \$10,147.38 for this fundraiser. Great job and thanks everyone! A special thank you to our PEC and to Travis & Stephanie Tranel for organizing the supplies and production of the pizzas.

The profit from this fundraiser will help the 7th and 8th students pay for their class trip and the rest will help with our school activities.

Annual Fund Donations:

Donations are still being accepted for the 2023-2024 St. Joseph Annual Fund Drive. The donations that are received go right back to the school, so your donation is helping our students. Over the years, the St. Joseph Annual Fund has purchased many academic materials for our students as well as made numerous capital improvements to our school building.

If you donate before February 28th, your donation will be matched by an anonymous donor. Please consider donating. Any donation will be greatly appreciated.

Mark Your Calendar:

1/28-2/2-Catholic Schools Week
1/28-Kick-Off Mass and KC Breakfast
1/31-Family Mass; Lunch; and activity
2/2-Early Release (1:30 Dismissal)
2/9-PEC Valentine Dinner
2/10 & 2/11-League Basketball Tournament

Have a good weekend!

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