



St Rose of Lima
Catholic School

CATHOLIC SCHOOL'S WEEK!

PRINCIPAL CORNER

JANUARY 8, 2025

HP

WHAT IS CATHOLIC SCHOOL'S WEEK?

DATES TO REMEMBER!

Mass 8:30 STAFF	1/9/25
Food Drive begins	1/13/25
Mass 8:30 1st grd	1/16/25
No Sch	1/20/25
Comm Service 2nd grd	1/23/25
Blessing of Food Drive Donations	1/27/25
SoM Mass 8:30 5/6th grd	1/30/25
Half Day Early Release	1/31/25

Message From Principal

Each year, Catholic schools around the nation dedicate a week to celebrate the gift of our Catholic schools. During this week, we have spirit week with dress up themes and a faith filled theme. This year's theme is "United in Faith and Community" and will be held January 26-January 31. Each day is dedicated to a celebration. During the week, students will experience activities and works of mercy that help us celebrate how we are united in

our love of Jesus. Here is the schedule!

Sunday: Celebrate Your Parish! 10:00AM ALL school Mass in the gym. **Dress-Wear your best uniforms with ties and cardigans**

Monday: Celebrate Your Community! 2nd/3rd grade food drive wraps up today with Father blessing the food and having it delivered to our local food bank. **Dress-Sports/Tiger spirit**

Tuesday: Celebrate the Nation! Classes will be discussing our pledge of allegiance and what it means. **Dress-City Kid vs Country**

Kid or Red, White, & Blue

Wednesday: Celebrate the Students! Talent Show Day! 12:15 in the gym. **Dress-Rhyme Without Reason**

Thursday: Celebrate Vocations! Fr. Kelly will be giving a talk on vocations at Mass.

Dress- Sunday Best/Mass

Friday: Celebrating Faculty, Staff, and Volunteers! We depart at 8:30 for our movie day at the Lee Theater! Treats in the staff room.

Dress-Pajama Day

Food Bank Drive

2nd & 3rd grade will be running a food drive this month. The food drive will begin January 13th. Please watch for more details on how your family can participate.

BLESSED ARE THE PEACEMAKERS, FOR THEY WILL BE CALLED CHILDREN OF GOD. MT 5:9

This month's beatitude is, Blessed are the peacemakers, for they will be called children of God. Students are learning about how to be a peacemaker in their daily lives. They are learning to find small moments to bring peace to others as Jesus

did. Being a peacemaker can be incredibly difficult and takes great strength of character. We will be talking about how to put others first before our own anger, selfish wants, or even if we have been wronged we can bring about peace.

Qtr 2: Food Drive

Feed the Hungry
2nd/3rd grade

Qtr 3: Clean Church/Cemetery

Bury the Dead
5th/6th grade

Qtr 4: Clothing/Diaper Drive

Clothe the Naked
Kinder/1st grade

TALENT SHOW DETAILS!

Mrs. Couture will begin sign ups for the talent show soon! The talent show is January 29th at 12:15. All are welcome to come and watch. Tables will be out for classrooms and chairs will be available in the back

for families. All entries must be shown and approved by Mrs. Couture. Any music and lyrics must also be approved. Mrs. Couture will let students know when sign ups are ready!



Rhyme without a reason?
Think rhyming partners who don't match.
Golf Pro and "Let It Go"
Hannah Montana and a Banana
Spaghetti and Yeti
Bee keeper and chimney sweeper



Early Release/Half Day

January 31st is an early release day. Students are release at 12:00. Staff will be in a writing training for the afternoon. There will be no Ephrata Bus available this day.