



# ST. AUGUSTINE CATHOLIC SCHOOL PARENT BULLETIN

January 28, 2022

**St. Augustine Catholic School nurtures children in their God-centered faith journey, while promoting academic excellence, individual growth, and life-long service inspired by the Gospel.**

**St. Augustine does not discriminate on the basis of gender, race, ethnicity, religious affiliation, English proficiency or disability.**

## PRINCIPAL'S NOTE

We are very excited for the upcoming 2022 Catholic Schools Week (CSW) beginning with 10:30am Mass on Sunday, January 30<sup>th</sup>. Mass will be followed by coffee and doughnuts with an Open House in the school. The CSW 2022 theme is "Catholic Schools: Faith. Excellence. Service." We are planning several events next week to reflect our commitment to this year's theme. We have some exciting activities planned for Catholic School Week! Please refer to the schedule enclosed.

The St. Augustine Parents Club is sponsoring the "Wall of Intentions" again this year during Catholic Schools Week and will be positioned in the breezeway during all Masses through February 13. We are thrilled to announce that the "Wall of Intentions" will be the launch for a community project titled, "Letters to God". We are very excited for the opportunity to collaborate as a school with our parishioners and community. The "Letters to God" project will encourage all people throughout our community to communicate their prayers and intentions, to then be prayed over by our Parish. This project will culminate into an origami style folded art installation. In addition, there will be a permanent place on the grounds for reflection and future prayer requests for anyone who needs them. Thank you for your generosity with the Wall of Intentions! We look forward to sharing more about the "Letters to God" project with you in the near future.

## BAND PAYMENT

If your child is participating in band and you chose the two-payment option, payment was due on January 28th. Please be sure to send payment asap.

## CATHOLIC SCHOOLS WEEK SERVICE PROJECT

On Monday, January 31st, we will Celebrate our Community as part of Catholic Schools Week. In doing so, we will collect items to donate to the Henry County "Help Me Grow" program. **Donations will be accepted in our school office January 24 - February 4, 2022.** Suggested donations are: laundry detergent, dish soap, diapers of all sizes, baby food, baby formula, rash cream, baby bottles, nursing pads, breast milk bags, toilet paper, and paper towels. We thank you for your generosity in this worthwhile project.

## SECOND QUARTER GRADE CARDS

Your child's grade card is enclosed. Please review it, sign, and return next week.

## CLASSROOM SPELLING BEE WINNERS

Congratulations to the following classroom finalist who will advance to the school Spelling Bee on Thursday, February 10th:

3rd grade: Juan Gonzalez, Rosa Pullen

4th grade: Collin Carl, Ashlyne Minnick

5th grade: Brady McKenzie, Jude Davis

6th grade: Danny McDougall, Otis Crawford

7th grade: Alistair Cordes, Eli Herman

## OPTIONAL PARENT/TEACHER CONFERENCES

On Wednesday, February 9th, we are offering an optional conference for parents and teachers to meet. This is intended for those of you who have any concerns about your child; **this is not mandatory.** If you would like to request a conference, please complete and return the enclosed form. If your child's teacher requests a conference, a note is attached to that form.

## **MATH-A-THON**

This activity will take place as part of Catholic Schools Week on February 2nd. All funds raised benefit St. Jude Children's Research Hospital. Students brought home information and donation forms this week. Permission slips are due by Monday, January 31st and donations are due to the school office by Friday, February 4th..

## **PRESCHOOL SURVEY**

Enclosed is a survey for our 4 year old preschool parents regarding your intentions for next year. We are making plans for our Kindergarten Clinic and would like to give our present students priority.

## **PAPER SHORTAGE**

We have found that our supply of copy paper is almost diminished. If you are able to donate a ream or two, we would greatly appreciate it.

## **VALENTINE'S DAY SHIRTS**

Students may wear Valentine's Day shirts from January 31st - February 14th on days that we do not attend Mass.



*Sunday, January 30– Saturday, February 5, 2022*

## **ENTRÉES FOR THE WEEK OF**

**January 31, 2022**

\*\*\*This may be viewed on FastDirect under "Cafeteria"\*\*\*

MONDAY - Enchilada

TUESDAY - Pancakes/Sausage Wraps

WEDNESDAY - Pizza

THURSDAY - Baked Potato w/toppings

FRIDAY - Spaghetti

## **CALENDAR OF EVENTS**

\*\*\*This may be viewed on FastDirect, "Planner", under Mrs. Majewski's calendar\*\*\*

1/28/22	Grade cards go home
1/30-2/4/22	<b>CATHOLIC SCHOOLS WEEK</b>
1/31/22	Full Band Rehearsal
2/1/22	Dress Down Day
2/2/22	5:00 pm Parents Club meeting
2/4/22	NO BAND
	8:45 am School Mass
	Grades 3&4 sing at NHS bball game
2/9/22	3:30 pm Optional Conferences
2/10/22	8:45 am School Spelling Bee
2/11/22	8:45 am School Mass
	6:30-8:30 pm Family Bowling Night
	@ River City Bowl-A-Way