

Catholic Schools Week, 2023

January 29th – February 3rd



National Catholic Schools Week (CSW) is an annual celebration of Catholic education in the United States. Now entering its 49th anniversary year, CSW has traditionally been held the last week in January. Schools typically observe the week with Masses, assemblies and other activities for students, families, parishioners and community members to celebrate.

This year's theme is *Catholic Schools: Faith. Excellence. Service.* Thank you to our Faculty, Parents, and 8th Graders for planning a fun week.

Activities Ongoing through the Week

- ✦ *Stop, Drop, and Read:* Teachers will pick a time each day to Stop, Drop, and Read. Times will be appropriate per student age. Be sure to bring lots of books, magazines, etc. to read throughout the week. Middle School students will get together and read with their angels/buddies, as well.
- ✦ *Check out our adorable "Why We Love MQP" posters displayed in the church.*
- ✦ *Kindness Bookmarks: one for the hallways and one to keep.*
- ✦ *Please bring a canned good in for Operation Food Search.*
- ✦ *Celebrate our Catholic Faith as God's Family!!!*

Sunday, January 29th:

- ✦ *Student – "Thank You" at each Mass.*
- ✦ *Students wear uniforms to Mass showing our pride and our gratitude for our Parishioners, who support Catholic education.*

Monday, January 30th:

- ✦ *4th – 8th Grade Spelling Bee, 2:05 pm.*
- ✦ *No Homework Night, Family Time.*
- ✦ *Attire: Country or Country Club; living in the Country or going to the Country Club, you decide.*

Tuesday, January 31st:

- ✦ *Board games. Drop those electronics and play your best at Monopoly, Battleship, Uno, etc. Be sure to bring in your favorite game to share with friends.*
- ✦ *Attire: Tacky Day; wear anything mismatched and tacky fun!!*

Wednesday, February 1st:

- ✦ *Faculty Appreciation Luncheon*
- ✦ *All School Mass – Special intentions for our Country.*
- ✦ *Attire: Wear your favorite Red, White, and Blue.*

Thursday, February 2nd:

- ✦ *All School Bingo.*
- ✦ *Attire: Dress as your favorite character from a book.*

Friday, February 3rd: (Celebrate Family)

- ✦ *FAMILY Lunch Day, 11:00 am – 12:30 pm.*
- ✦ *Classroom Movie: Final day for canned goods for Operation Food Search.*
- ✦ *Attire: MQP Spirit Wear!!! Go EAGLES!!!*