

THE WEEKLY CONNECTION

FAITH



FAMILY



SCHOOL

SEPTEMBER 7-11, 2026

ST. JAMES CATHOLIC SCHOOL

EVERY DAY IS A NEW CHANCE TO GROW!

FROM THE PRINCIPAL:

- **GRANDPARENTS' DAY:** We are excited to celebrate our grandparents on Friday, September 11. We invite all grandparents to attend our All School Mass at 8:30 a.m. Students in grades PK4 through 6th Grade will attend Mass. Grandparents may visit their grandchildren in their classrooms at the following times:
 - PK2 - 7:45-8:15 a.m.
 - PK3 - 9:30-10:00 a.m.
 - PK4 - 6th Grade - 9:30-10:30 a.m.Tickets for grandparents to visit the classrooms will be sent home in Wednesday folders with the youngest child in the family. Grandparents should show their tickets at the door before entering the school building. Grandparents who do not have tickets will need to check in at the front office and get a visitor's sticker. Grandparents have the option of taking their grandchildren to the book fair in the library during their visit.
- **SCHOLASTIC BOOK FAIR:** The Scholastic Book Fair is underway in the library. The students are able to shop at the fair during their scheduled times through Friday, September 11.
- **ADOPT A GRANDPARENT:** Adopt a Grandparent items are due by Wednesday, September 9. [HERE](#) is the link to the Amazon Wish List. Items may be dropped off in the bins in the hallway outside of the cafeteria. Thank you for your generosity in supporting the residents of our local nursing home.
- **INTERNATIONAL DOT DAY:** We will celebrate International Dot Day on Tuesday, September 15. Students may wear dot accessories with their school uniforms.
- **ADORATION:** We will have Eucharistic Adoration on Monday, September 14, at 10:00 a.m. in the church. Students in Grades 2-6 will attend. Parents are welcome to attend.

FAITH FORMATION:

- **Sept. 7: St. Cloud** – *Trust in God and use your life to serve others with humility and faith.*
- **Sept. 8: The Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary** – *Like Mary, say "yes" to God and trust Him with your life.*
- **Sept. 9: St. Peter Claver** – *Treat every person with dignity, kindness, and love, especially those who are often overlooked.*
- **Sept. 10: St. Nicholas of Tolentino** – *Pray for others and be a source of encouragement and hope to those around you.*
- **Sept. 11: St. John Gabriel Perboyre** – *Remain faithful to God even when life is difficult, trusting that He is always with you.*
- **Faith Challenge:** *Look for one person each day who may need encouragement, kindness, or a helping hand—and be the person who makes a difference.*

CURRENT FLYERS:

[P.L.U.S.](#) - Sign Up for Committees
[Adopt A Grandparent Day](#) - Due: Sept. 9
[SJCS Book Fair Schedule](#)
[International Dot Day](#) - Sept. 15
[Fall Festival Information](#) - Oct. 24

RESOURCES:

[Sept. Lunch Menu](#)
[VIRTUS](#)
[FACTS Family Portal](#)
(SJC-MS)
[Monthly Calendar](#)

UPCOMING EVENTS:

LABOR DAY - NO SCHOOL

Monday, September 7

SCHOLASTIC BOOK FAIR

September 8-11

[HERE](#) is the schedule to see when your child's class will attend the book fair.

FAITH FAMILY KICKOFF

Tuesday, September 8

Feast of the Birth of the Blessed Virgin Mary

ADOPT A GRANDPARENT DRIVE

Wednesday, September 9

Amazon Wishlist items are due.

GRANDPARENTS' DAY MASS

Friday, September 11 - 8:30 a.m.
6th grade leads.

SUNDAY MASS

September 13 - 9:00 a.m. Mass
6th Grade Readers & Choir

