



SAINTS WEEKLY

St. Augustine School spreads the good news by Navigating a Christian course,
Educating body, mind, and spirit, Worshipping the Lord, and Serving others.

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Principal's Message

-Mrs. Lenn

We have reached the midpoint of the year! This was the final week of the second marking period. I personally can't believe we are there already. Time sure flies. Seventh and eighth graders have been working hard on their mid-term exams. On Monday, students start the third quarter and have a fresh start, which is a great opportunity for improvement! We will celebrate the success of our students after our school mass on January 30 when we present the 5-8 graders with Honor Roll awards. We have many exciting events coming up during the third quarter, including the Spelling Bee, Catholic Schools Week festivities, Snowball dance, NJHS Inductions, Academic Olympics, and more.

The Spelling Bee will take place on Monday. Fifth-eighth graders will compete. Parents are welcome to attend. It will begin at approximately 12:45. Parents will need to sign in at the office.



Catholic Schools week is coming, January 28 - February 1! There will be many ways in which our school will be celebrating. Students will begin the week by attending mass and the Blue Water Vicariate Carnival at Cardinal Mooney. Other highlights will include themed dress down days, an ice cream social courtesy of PTC, games, and crafts. In addition to celebrating Catholic Schools, an important part of Catholic Schools Week is serving others. Our students will be involved with several service activities for those in the military and religious orders. We are also planning to exchange letters with another Catholic School in New York. It will be a fun filled week.

Middle school parents, the Snowball dance is approaching. Please sign up to help us with decorating, chaperoning, food items, or clean up. Go to the sign up genius [here](#). Thank you.

Boys basketball parents- this is another reminder for pay to play. Pay to play fees need to be paid before uniforms will be issued. Athletic parents, there will be an Athletic Committee meeting on Tuesday in the school library. A CYO representative will be present, if you are interested in discussing / learning more about CYO. All athletic parents are welcome and encouraged to attend.

Congratulations to our girls basketball teams! Both teams practiced hard, played well, and improved their skills this season. Our Varsity girls are ranked first place! Tomorrow they will play in the Varsity tournament at Immaculate Conception. If you can, come watch the action and cheer them on! The Saints first game starts at 6. Here are a few action shots from the girls' season:

JV Girls



Varsity Girls



Upcoming dates to know:

- Jan. 19- **K of C Free Throw Contest at Holy Family gym**, register at 8, contest at 9- **see flyer**
- Jan. 21- 5th-8th grade **Spelling Bee**, 12:45 pm (Parents welcome to attend)
- Jan. 21, 22, 24, 25- Cheer practice 3:15-4:30 (On Tuesday practice will end at 4:15)
- Jan. 22- **Athletic Committee Meeting**, 6 pm; **School Advisory Committee Meeting**, 7 pm
- Jan. 23- Half day, no pm latchkey or bus service; no Cheer practice
- Jan. 26- **PTC Crop or Craft for a Cause**; in Parish Hall, 8-6 pm
- Jan. 27- 7th grade Confirmation Parent Meeting, 10:15 in the Parish Hall

- Jan. 28- Blue Water **Vicariate Carnival** at Cardinal Mooney for Catholic Schools Week
- Jan. 29- Boys Basketball Game against IC at HF, JV 6:30, Varsity 7:30
- Jan. 30- **Honor roll awards** after mass; Boys Basketball Game at MCA, Varsity only 6:30
- Jan. 31- **Human Trafficking Presentation for Parents & Parishioners, 6:30 pm, Parish Hall**
- Feb. 4- Boys Basketball Game at St. Peter's gym, JV 6:30, Varsity 7:30
- Feb. 6- Boys Basketball Game at Holy Family against Holy Cross, Varsity only 6:30
- Feb. 7- Bishop Fisher visits; **NJHS induction** after mass
- Feb. 8- 6th-8th grade **Vicariate Snowball dance**; 6:30-8:30 pm in Parish Hall
- Feb. 11- Boys Basketball Game at St. Mary St. Clair, JV 6:30, Varsity 7:30
- Feb. 13- Boys Basketball Game at IC, JV 6:30, Varsity 7:30
- Feb. 14- **Half day**, no pm bus service or latchkey
- Feb. 15-18 **MID-WINTER BREAK**
- Feb 19- **For Parents- Internet Safety Presentation, 6:30 pm, Parish Hall**
- Mar 14- **Open House, 6-7:30**
- Mar 16- **Science Olympiad- Macomb Tournament**
- Mar 19- **Active Shooter Info. Night for Parents with Chief Teske, 6:30 pm, Parish Hall**

*Parents, thank you for reading the Weekly. Please call the office to claim a prize!