

December 17, 2019 Please refer to the calendar for important dates & FACTS Family Portal for changes.

- Mass will be hosted by 2nd grade this week. Parents are welcome and encouraged to attend.
- Noon Dismissal this Friday, December 20th. No Aftercare will be provided. Please be prompt picking up your children. Thank you.
- Basketball News: Thank you to all the parents and fans who come out to support us! Our next game is Thursday, Jan. 9 at home against Conway Christian. Jr. Boys 4 pm, Girls 5 pm, Sr. Boys 6 pm
- SAVE THE DATE! Our kick-off to Catholic Schools week will be an 80's Prom! Mark your calendars for Friday evening, January 24th 6-8 pm. We will have great food, 80's style games (including Atari!) and DJ Coach Sugar T- Rollings! Make plans to join us!
- Art Club Christmas Sale: Thank you everyone for supporting our Art Club! The Christmas sale was lots of fun and a huge success! We appreciate their hard work and everyone's support!
- Thank you to Student Council and the teachers who chaperoned the dance Friday evening!
- Our Christmas Program is this Thursday, Dec. 19, 6pm in the Church. We ask that students wear their formal Christmas attire for the performance. <u>Boys</u>: Christmas bowtie or tie, button down shirt, dress pants, and appropriate shoes, no tennis shoes please. <u>Girls</u>: Christmas dresses of modest length and neckline. Uniform rules apply. No spaghetti straps. Dress shoes, but heels no higher than 3 inches. 8th graders have special parts in the program, so they have special instructions coming home. Thank you! We are looking forward to a prayerful and holy celebration of the birth of our Lord! Come, let us adore him! Students must be in their classrooms, dressed and ready by 5:30pm.
- Christmas PJ Day! On Friday, Dec. 20th, students and teachers may wear their PJ's and favorite hats to school. FACTS accounts will be charged \$1.00 and the money will go to Childhood Cancer Partners. Last week everyone received an email about this initiative. If you haven't had a chance, please watch the video, it is a powerful testimony from the parents who benefit from this cause. The Principal's Council will hold a competition and give prizes for the most unique and festive PJ's for the day!
- No Clubs this Thursday!
- Solemnity of Mary, Holy Day of Obligation ~ January 1
- School Resumes Monday, January 6 at regularly scheduled times.
- MAP Testing Begins: Tuesday, January 7. Please come to school on time, well rested, and be sure to have a good breakfast. It is imperative for middle school students to have their iPads charged.
- PTO Board Meeting: Tuesday, Jan. 7, 8:15 am, in the school conference room.
- Advisory Board Meeting: Tuesday, Jan. 7, 5 pm in the school library.

Merry Christmas and a very Happy New Year! We pray everyone has a joyful and safe holiday!



"Keep your lives free from the love of money, and be content with what you have; for he has said, 'I will never leave you or forsake you.' So we can say with confidence, 'The Lord is my helper; I will not be afraid. What can anyone do to me?"" ~Hebrews 13:4-6

