

CATHOLIC SCHOOLS WEEK

January 29 - February 4, 2022

Catholic Schools Week is a special week to celebrate all that makes our school unique, and we have planned several events to help display that pride. Please join us for the events that will be streamed online during the week! We will have an out-of-uniform theme each day. Please make sure clothes are school and weather-appropriate. (No tank tops or shorts.)



Saturday, Jan. 29: Celebrating Our Parish

- The church bulletin cover this weekend will feature artwork created by a St. Patrick student.
- St. Patrick students will lead the 5:00 Mass on Saturday.
- See our thank-you poster in the narthex and atrium.

Monday, Jan. 31: Celebrating Our Community

- ***Favorite Profession Dress-Up Day*** (Choose a career or job to dress like.)
- ***Preschool: Silly Sock and Hat Day*** (Wear silly socks or a hat to school!)
- Box lunch winners will be chosen on this day. Students may bring in money to purchase raffle tickets for the box lunch drawing the week of Jan. 24-28. Tickets cost 25 cents each. Students who are drawn will eat a special lunch with the teacher on Tuesday.
- Monday Morning Prayer (livestreamed on Facebook)

Tuesday, Feb. 1: Celebrating Our Students & Families

- ***Decade Dress-Up Day*** (Dress in the style of the 1950s, 60s, 70s, 80s, or 90s.)
- ***Preschool: Superhero or Cartoon Character Day*** (Dress like a superhero or cartoon character.)
- Box lunch winners eat lunch with the teachers.
- Our school-wide food fight begins. We will collect donations of personal products (toilet paper, bar soap, toothpaste/brush, nonperishable food (see list below), or money for the Northeast Iowa Food Bank. (Cash donations are preferred so they can buy what is most needed.) The homeroom that collects the most donations wins a prize.*

Wednesday, Feb. 2: Celebrating Vocations

- ***Dress-Up Day*** (Wear nice clothes for Mass today. No jeans; school uniform or nicer and appropriate for winter.)
- Catholic Schools Week Mass (livestreamed on Facebook) Join us to celebrate St. Patrick School. The Annual Shamrock Award will be presented!
- 8th Grade vs. Teacher Volleyball Game

Thursday, Feb. 3: Celebrating Our Diversity

- ***Comfy Clothes Day*** (Wear comfortable clothes or pajamas; students may bring a stuffed animal.)
- Movie Day in the classroom

Friday, Feb. 4: Celebrating Our Teachers & Staff

- ***Wacky-Tacky Day*** (Wear mismatched clothes or crazy colors; no colored hair or face paint.)
- Bingo/STREAM activity with buddy rooms

Saturday, Feb. 5: The church bulletin cover will feature art by the unit winners of the bulletin contest.

** Items the Food Bank likes to receive: peanut butter, pasta sauce, pasta (prefer whole grain), rice (prefer brown), healthy cereals/oatmeal, kids' snack items (juice boxes, indiv. Applesauces, etc.), milk (canned or powdered), baking mixes that require only water, and the following canned goods: soup, stew, veggies, fruit, beans, fish, meat. Pull-top cans are best.*