



SACRED HEART

SCHOOL

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WEEKLY UPDATES

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Be Not Afraid!

Happy CSW!

January 29 - February 3rd

- 1/29 → Band Day!
 - Living Rosary at 9am
 - Prayer Partner's Prayer Chain 1:30
 - RELIGIOUS ED
 - Girls Bball 6:30pm
- 1/30 → Dress UP Day
 - Open House 9-11a
 - Knowledge Bowl 1:15
 - PTA Mtg 7:15pm
- 1/31 → 8am Spelling Bee
 - Paper Bag Parables
 - 5th Grade Wax Museum
 - Wednesday Rosary Warriors
 - Robotics Club
- 2/01 → Superbowl Dress Down!
 - Open House 9-11a
 - Lunch Ice Cream Social
 - Choir
 - Family Fun Night 6:30-8:30
- 2/02 → Special Guest Mass 8:30 w Reception
 - Faculty Luncheon
- 2/03 → Diamond Gala

Dear Parents,

Greetings on this joyful Catholic Schools Week! Our week is off to a great start as our students illustrated our school beautifully by presenting, representing, and serving at Mass this weekend! I was so proud to see so many students, families, and staff at Mass--thank you for your commitment to Christ and our Church!

Please find our [CSW Newsletter](#) and [full schedule](#) on our website, but I did just want to highlight 2 things:

First, you'll remember that we have our "Special Guest Mass and Reception coming up this Friday at 8:30am. Please be sure to register your special guest [here](#). **All special guests must be registered in order to sit with our students as well as attend the reception.** All registrations must be submitted by Wednesday, January 31st at 5pm.

Second, in honor of our hometown success, we are adding a **Super Bowl Dress down** day on Thursday, February 1st. Instead of a dollar dress down, we ask that our students contribute a pair of comfy socks to add to the Blessing Bags our K-5 students will make that day.

Also, be sure to register for our 2nd Annual Diamond Gala! This exciting event is our big finish to a fantastic Catholic Schools Week. We use this night to honor our past as we celebrate our future. In a special way, we will be honoring Ms. Babb with the Legacy Award! Come on out and support the school you love and a teacher who truly made a difference! Contact diamondgala@sacred-heart-school.ord for tickets and info!

We hope to see you at some of our exciting Catholic Schools Week events! Many thanks to our PTA for making them all possible and so very special.

Thank you and may the Sacred Heart of Jesus keep you always!

In Christ,
Ms. Besheer

Liturgical Celebrations

Friday, February 2nd, we will celebrate the Feast of the Presentation, when Mary presented Our Lord and Savior in the Temple in line with her Jewish tradition. What an awesome example of humility and faith!

Important Links!

[School Calendars](#)

[School Handbook](#)

[Lunch Menu](#)

[AM Care/Extended Day](#)

[PTA Info](#)

[Health Office](#)

Here are some upcoming events and ways to get involved!

SHS Diamond Gala!

Last year was the inaugural Diamond Gala at SHS and it was *fantastic!* Last year, this event was not only fun and exciting, but raised over \$10,000 for SHS! The focus is honoring our past and looking forward to our future. This year's [event](#) is on February 3rd. We hope to see you there!

Annual Sweetheart Dance!

All students in grades PreK-4 are cordially invited to the 7th annual Sweetheart Dance on February 10th from 5:30-7:30pm in the SHS Auditorium. Find details [here](#). We hope to see you there! Please contact Mrs. Dallos with questions: gracefaith23@gmail.com.

Standardized Testing at SHS

As many of you know, the Diocese of Trenton has moved from the TerraNova to the IOWA as our standardized test. Please review the official notification from our Diocese [here](#). Testing is scheduled from March

Upcoming Confirmation Retreat

Please remember that this Saturday, February 3rd is our annual Confirmation Retreat. All students preparing for the Sacrament are expected to attend. If you have not already sent in your RSVP, please do so today!

Robotics Club

We are thrilled to welcome back alumni Austhon Manalac to host an after school Robotics club! We kick off this Wednesday--find details [here!](#)

SHS Saves Lives!

Give blood, save a life! Our students are joining the American Red Cross to become Future Blood Donors of America! Help them learn the importance of giving blood by being an example! Find details and registration info [here](#).

Support our 8th Grade

As many of you know, our 8th grade parents work hard to provide fun and meaningful celebrations for our students to commemorate their time here at SHS. If you're looking for ways to support them, you can check out their very own link on our website [here](#).

Sacred Heart Celebrations

It was a great week of smiles, faith, and curiosity!



*"Remember the past with **gratitude**. Live in the present with **enthusiasm**.
Look forward to the future with **confidence**. ~JPII*