

February 13, 2026

CARDINAL NEWS



MESSAGE FROM MR. STEWART

Greetings, Sacred Heart Families!

The weather has finally returned to normal, and so has our schedule! I enjoy walking through the school and seeing our students learning new concepts, mastering others, using their imagination in writing, drawing, and art, and practicing their faith. Please continue to support your children by encouraging them to complete their homework, study, and read every evening. Your support goes a long way in their education!

The season of Lent will soon be upon us. We will start by receiving ashes on our foreheads on Ash Wednesday. Our students, staff, and parish will focus on the Lenten practices of almsgiving, prayer, and sacrifice as we prepare our hearts to celebrate Christ's resurrection on Easter. I am inspired by what the students choose to do without over the next six weeks! Lent also means the Fish Fry. It is wonderful to see parents come together to put on this event. If you have yet to sign up to help, I encourage you to do so. It's a great way to meet other parents and have fun while working for a great cause – making SHC an even better place!

We also are in the midst of our World's Finest Chocolate Fundraiser. We hope all families can get involved. Your support will help SHC with its various needs, including boiler repairs and new AC units in classrooms.

I hope everyone enjoys the three-day weekend ahead as we are off school on Monday! May God bless you and yours! And as always, please keep us in your prayers!!

Jeremy Stewart

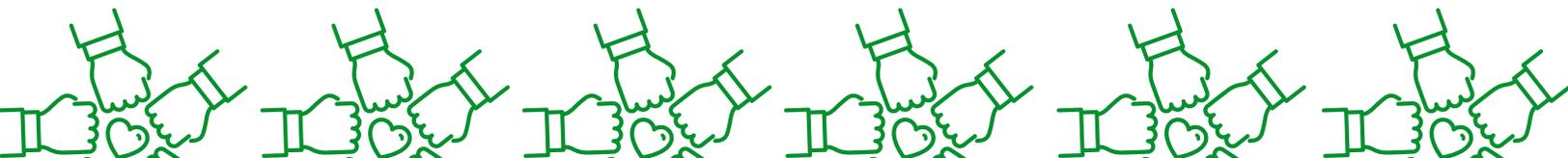
Principal, Sacred Heart Catholic School



Our 6th, 7th, and 8th graders did an incredible job at the Providence High School Academic Olympics yesterday. They showed determination, teamwork, and outstanding sportsmanship throughout the day. A special congratulations to our 6th grade team for earning third place overall!



Congrats to Jeffersonville Optimist Club Oratory Contest winners (1st place) Ellie Miller, (2nd place) Adeline Vissing, (3rd place) Mary Hall and Falls Cities Optimist Club winners (2nd place) Hadly Nickell and (3rd place) Lucas James. Ellie, Adeline, and Lucas will compete at the regional level on March 8.



**SACRED HEART CATHOLIC
FORMING SAINTS AND SCHOLARS!**

Our Mission: Sacred Heart Catholic School community provides a Catholic foundation which cultivates disciples of Jesus and fosters academic excellence for all God's children.



Highlights for February

- Feb 13: Mother-Son Etiquette Dinner
- Feb 16: No school - Presidents' Day
- Feb 18: Ash Wednesday
- Feb 20: First Fish Fry
- Feb 23: World's Finest Chocolate Sales end
- Feb 27: Second Fish Fry
- Feb 27-28: 8th Grade Retreat
- Mar 2-6: Spring Book Fair
- Mar 6: Last Fish Fry



8th Grade filled the [Blessing Box](#) this month.

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| <u>Wednesday, Feb 18</u> | <u>8:15 a.m.</u> | <u>Ash Wednesday</u> | <u>8</u> |
| <u>Friday, Feb 20</u> | <u>8:15 a.m.</u> | <u>First Friday in Lent</u> | <u>7</u> |
| <u>Friday, Feb 27</u> | <u>8:15 a.m.</u> | <u>Second Friday in Lent</u> | <u>6</u> |
| <u>Friday, Mar 6</u> | <u>8:15 a.m.</u> | <u>Third Friday in Lent</u> | <u>5</u> |

Parents are welcome to join us at Sacred Heart Church for Mass.
Your student may sit with you, if you prefer.
Doors to the church will be locked at 8:20 a.m.

Reminders from the Office

NO SCHOOL MONDAY, FEB. 16

There will be No School and No After Care on Monday, Feb. 16, which is President's Day. Enjoy your three-day weekend!

KEEP YOUR TAX INFO FOR CHOICE SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

A reminder that we are heading into the new session for the Choice Scholarship for the 2026-2027 school year. As you are doing your taxes for 2025, remember that the office will need a copy of your 1040 (without the watermarks) in order to process your application for the Choice Scholarship.

The financial forms themselves will be sent out the first part of March, but you can turn in your copy of your completed 1040 at any time starting now until May.

RE-ENROLLMENT COMING SOON

Re-enrollment forms will go home on Friday, Feb. 27.

SACRED HEART CATHOLIC FISH FRY

1842 E. 8TH ST., JEFFERSONVILLE
IN THE GYM
5-7 P.M.

SPONSORED BY P.S.T.S.

HELP NEEDED!




FEBRUARY 20th
Volunteers needed: Preschool, K, 7-8

FEBRUARY 27th
Volunteers needed: Grades 1,2,5,6

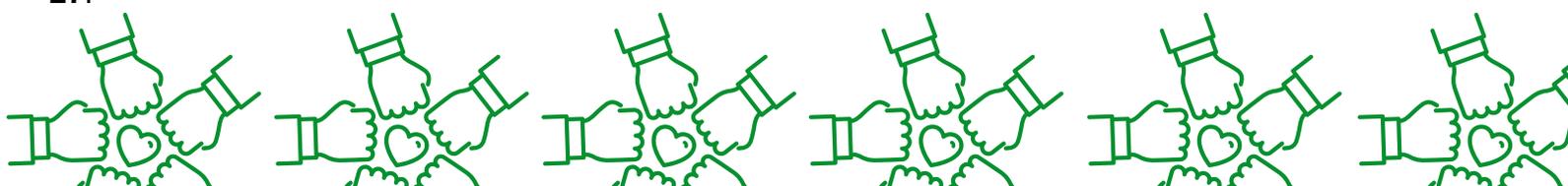
MARCH 6th
Volunteers: 2-year-olds, Beginners, 30-4

DINNERS INCLUDED 2 PIECE OF FRIED OR BAKED FISH, BREAD, GREEN BEANS, SLAW, FRIES, ONION RINGS, A DRINK, AND DESSERT.

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| Adult fish or pizza dinner \$16 | Fish sandwich \$8 |
| Senior fish or pizza dinner \$13 | Slice cheese pizza \$3 |
| Kids (10 & under) fish or pizza dinner \$10 | |

All families are needed to support the upcoming Fish Fry by volunteering at least one shift and donating dessert and 2-liters of soft drinks as assigned by grades. [Sign up now](#) for your turn to serve! Assigned weeks are:

- **Feb. 20:** Preschool (4s), K, 7-8. Help is still needed in the 6:15 shift and for clean up.
- **Feb. 27:** Grades 1-2, 5-6
- **March 6:** 2s, 2s&3s, Beginners, Grades 3-4





Parents of grades
Preschool (4s)-8, If
you have yet to turn
in your permission
slip to get your first
box of chocolates,
please do so by
Tuesday. There are
lots of great prizes
for those who
participate!

Every box sold will
get you an entry for a drawing for two tickets to a
Pacers Game on April 12. Prize levels include:

- Sell one box = Pucker Powder Candy Treat!
- Sell 2 boxes and attend a Glow Party!
- Sell 3 boxes and Pie Mr. Stewart!
- Sell 4 boxes = Large Pucker Powder (prizes are cumulative)

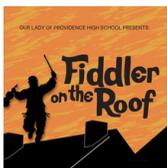
Top Seller Awards:

- 1st Place = \$50
- 2nd Place = \$30
- 3rd Place = \$20

(any ties will be determined with a drawing)

**Sell your first box and turn in your money by
Tuesday, Feb. 17,** and be entered to win a 5
pound WFC Bar! (one bar will be given away)

Money is due to the school office no later than
Monday, Feb. 23. Unsold bars cannot be returned
For a copy of the permission slip and more
information, [click here](#).



[Get your tickets](#) for the Providence
High School spring musical *Fiddler
on the Roof*. SHC alumni in the
cast/crew include: Ethan Johnson

'23, Rebecca Johnson '25, Hailey Browning '23,
Karter Campbell '24, Mackenzie Harrington '24,
Katy Hendrix '24, Destiny Hubert '25, Chelsi
Lancaster '24, Liv Meyers '24, AJ Shields '25,
and Kaylynn Wills '22.



SACRED HEART CATHOLIC
CARDINALS

ATHLETICS NEWS CORNER

3/4 Girls Basketball

2/14, 10:00 a.m. at SMK#2 vs. JPII Gray

3/4 Boys Basketball

2/14, 12:00 p.m. at SMK#2 vs. OLPH Red

Spring sports sign ups



Sign ups for our spring sports of Boys & Girls
Track and Soccer for grades 3-8 are now open.

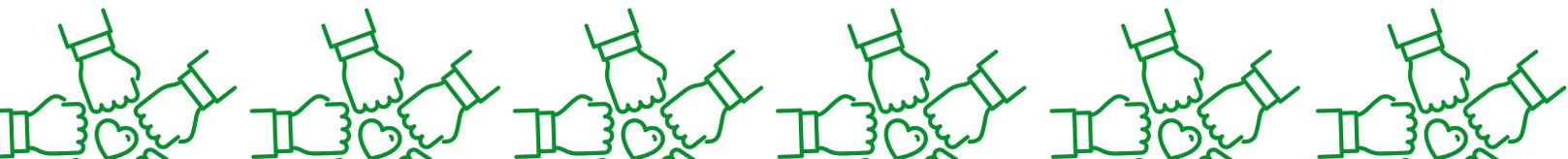
- [Click here](#) for Track registration. Due
March 2.
- [Click here](#) for Soccer registration. Due
Feb. 27.

Find more information on the link.

Track coach needed

A volunteer coach is needed for the Spring
2026 Boys & Girls Track season to be a
success. Practice can start on March 2. First
track meet is April 12 at Providence High
School. Practices are at PHS Monday,
Tuesday, and Wednesday from 6:30-8 p.m.
Must be Safe & Sacred trained or in process.
For more info, contact

athleticdirector@jeffersonvillecatholic.org



MIDDLE SCHOOL MONTHLY
for 6-8th graders of the New Albany Deanery

GUYS AND GALS NIGHT
FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 20
6-8pm | at Our Lady of Perpetual Help

- Gals: Boba tea & crafting
- Guys: Competitive games & challenges
- Together: Guys vs. gals showdowns of strength and smarts

\$10 registration due online by February 15



EVENT DETAILS & REGISTRATION @
CATALYSTCATHOLIC.ORG/MSM

Students grades 6-8 who want to sign up for this fun Middle School Monthly to be held on **Feb. 20** at Our Lady of Perpetual Help must [register by Feb. 15](#).



OUR LADY OF PROVIDENCE HIGH SCHOOL

EMPTY BOWLS

SUNDAY, FEB. 22
1 P.M. - 4 P.M. AT STUDENT COMMONS

FREE EVENT

DONATIONS COLLECTED WILL SUPPORT LOCAL FOOD PANTRIES

Providence High School art students hope to raise awareness and funds to combat area hunger via their annual Empty Bowls event on Sunday, **Feb. 22**, 1-4 p.m. in the Providence Student Commons. Enjoy a modest meal of soup and bread and choose a student-created ceramic bowl as a keepsake. The event is free. Donations are accepted and will go to local organizations that fight food insecurity.



Scan your receipts in the [Box Tops app](#). In February, earn 10 bonus tops with purchase of any five qualified items. SHC has earned \$167 so far!

Parents grades K-8, complete the [weekly survey](#) for your student to receive the monthly incentive. The reward in March is **out-of-uniform day!**

Counselor Corner

By Mrs. Nellie Springston

Next week, Kindergarten-4th grade students will continue to discuss our catchphrase: "Expect the Best," where they learn to turn problems into possibilities. The 7th and 8th grade boys will be joining Fr. Adam for the second annual Mother/Son Etiquette Dinner tonight, **Feb. 13**, at 5:30 p.m. at St. Augustine Parish Hall. Bloom Club and Sons of Thunder Club will meet Monday, March 2, for 5th and 6th grade and Monday, March 9, from 2:00-3:00 for 7th and 8th grade. Have a wonderful weekend.

SHC alumni on PHS Honor Roll

Several SHC alumni are on the Providence High School Honor Roll for the Second Quarter:

Principal's List (All As):

- Class of 2025: Penelope Schroeder and AJ Shields

First Honors (GPA 3.6-3.99, No grade below B):

- Class of 2022: Kaylynn Wills;
- Class of 2023: Avery Bischof, William Crisp, Hayden Doogarsingh, and Marlee Meachum;
- Class of 2024 Karter Campbell and Kathryn Hendrix;
- Class of 2025: Rebecca Johnson, Ben Short, and Katherine Ziegler

Second Honors (GPA 3.0-3.59, no grade below B)

- Class of 2023: Shepherd Brinegar, Tyler Harris, and Ethan Johnson;

Class of 2024: Presley Flowers and Bentley Kabler-Pepe.

Keep shopping the SchoolStore! So far, 11 teachers have earned gift cards to shop too!

