

February 20, 2026

CARDINAL NEWS



MESSAGE FROM MR. STEWART

Greetings, Sacred Heart Families!

On Wednesday, we gathered as a school community for our Ash Wednesday Mass with our staff, students, and many family members. In his homily, Father Adam reminded us of the three pillars of Lent—prayer, fasting, and almsgiving. Through prayer, we speak more intentionally with God. Through fasting, we step away from the distractions that consume our time. Through almsgiving, we share the talents and treasures God has given us to help build His kingdom. It is my prayer that you and your family use this Lenten season to grow closer to God and to one another.

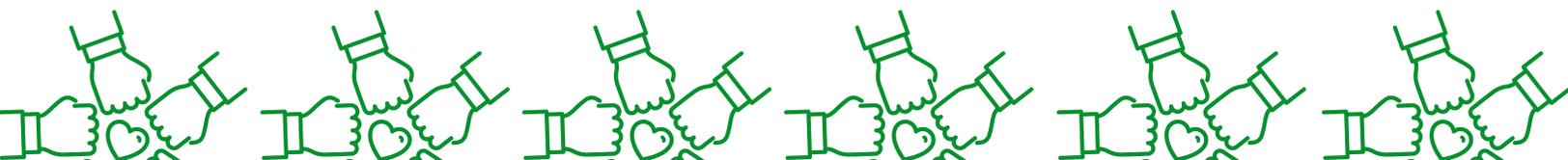
Our first Fish Fry is this Friday! Each grade level has been asked to donate drinks or desserts to support this important effort. We warmly invite you to bring your family and friends for an evening of good food and great fellowship. Our Fish Fries are an outward sign of the dedication and generosity of our Sacred Heart families, and we are grateful for your continued support in making them a success.

May God bless you and yours! And as always, please keep us in your prayers!!

Jeremy Stewart
Principal
Sacred Heart Catholic School



Seventh and eighth grade boys hosted the Mother-Son Eitiquette Dinner last week to showcase what they've been learning in Sons of Thunder Club.



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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
& March**

- Feb 20: First Fish Fry
- Feb 23: World's Finest Chocolate money due
- Feb 27: Re-enrollment forms sent home; Second Fish Fry
- Feb 27-28: 8th Grade Retreat
- Mar 2-6: Spring Book Fair
- Mar 6: Last Fish Fry; Family Night at the Book Fair
- Mar 8: Daylight Savings Time begins
- Mar 13: 1:00 Dismissal. No After Care.
- Mar 16-20: Spring Break



Early Childhood Education is responsible for filling the [Blessing Box](#) this month.

Friday, Feb 27	8:15 a.m.	Second Friday in Lent	6
Friday, Mar 6	8:15 a.m.	Third Friday in Lent	5
Friday, Mar 13	8:15 a.m.	Fourth Friday in Lent	4
Friday, Mar 27	8:15 a.m.	Sixth Friday in Lent	3

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

ILLNESS POLICY

Students must be fever-free without the use of medication as well as vomit-free and diarrhea-free for 24 hours before returning to school to help prevent the spread of illness and to allow students the time needed to fully recover. If students become ill during the school day, parents will be contacted and asked to pick them up as soon as possible. We appreciate your partnership in monitoring symptoms at home and following these guidelines.

CHOICE SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION INFO

Those applying for the Choice Scholarship for the 2026-2027 school year must turn in a copy of your 2025 1040 tax form (without the watermarks) in order to process your application. The financial forms will be sent out the first part of March, but you can turn in your copy of your completed 1040 at any time.

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Fish Fry

We ask that each family serves at one Fish Fry and brings a dessert + 2-liter on your assigned class week.

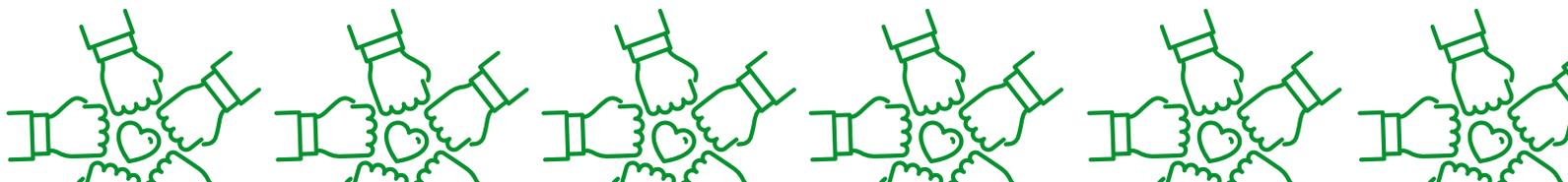
Drop-offs can be made during school or Friday after 2:45pm.

Thank you for helping support our school and build community!

Feb. 20th. K, PRE-K, 8TH & 7TH
Feb. 27th. 1ST, 2ND, 5TH & 6TH
March 6th PRE-K2, PRE-K3, 3RD & 4TH

QUESTIONS? CONTACT MICALA BLINCOE AT 502-708-7779

Drop off your donated desserts and 2-liters of soft drinks during the school day on Fridays or in the gym after 2:45 p.m. It's not too late to sign up to help work the Fish Fry. We still have several slots to fill! [Sign up now!](#)





As of yesterday, we have collected \$1820 so far in our World's Finest Chocolate fundraiser! All money is due to the school office no later than Monday, **Feb. 23**. Unsold bars cannot be returned. For more information, [click here](#).



Our spring Scholastic Book Fair is **March 2-6**, and we can't do it without you! Please consider volunteering to help at our Book Fair and [sign up here](#). The story starts with you! It's also a good time to [set up your child's eWallet](#) -- no need to send in cash and transactions are easy. You can shop for your child during lunch that Friday and during Family Night during the last Fish Fry, **March 6**.



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ATHLETICS NEWS CORNER

3/4 Girls Basketball

2/21, 12:00 p.m. at SHC vs. SMK Navy
2/21, 1:00 p.m. at SHC vs. HF Blue

3/4 Boys Basketball

2/21, 9:00 a.m. at SHC vs. SMK Red

Spring sports sign ups



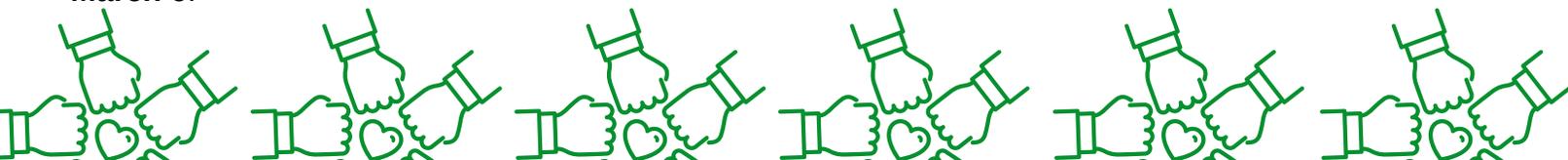
Sign up now for our spring sports of Boys & Girls Track and Soccer for grades 3-8. Registration closes soon!

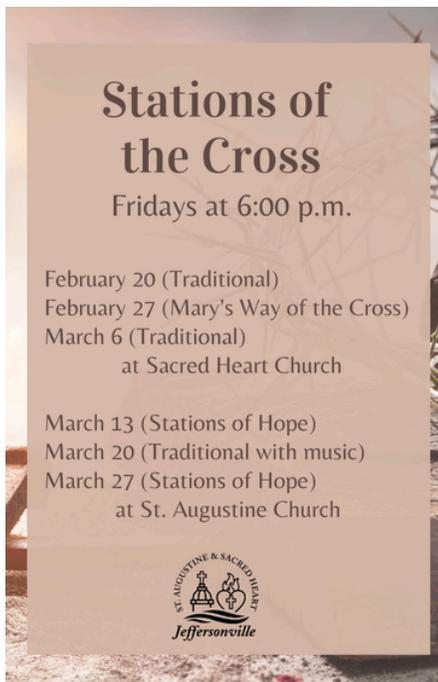
- [Click here](#) for Track registration. Due **March 2**.
- [Click here](#) for Soccer registration. Due **Feb. 27**.

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



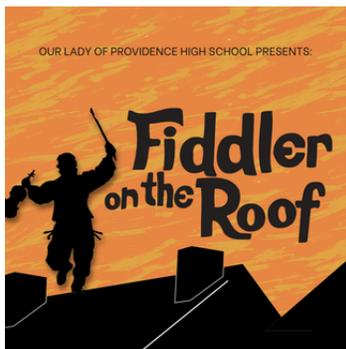


All families are invited to attend Stations of the Cross on Fridays during Lent at 6:00 p.m. The first three are at Sacred Heart, and the last three at St. Augustine.

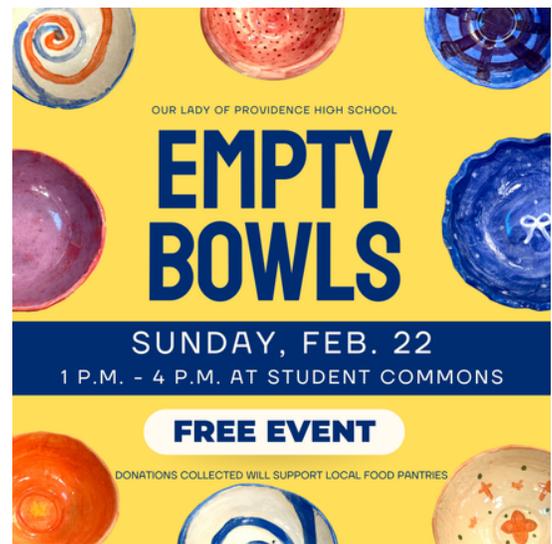
Counselor Corner

By Mrs. Nellie Springston

I hope everyone had a great short week. We had a lot of fun at our second annual Mother Son Etiquette dinner last Friday night. Next week will be the last week Kindergarten-4th grade students will discuss the topic "Expect the Best," where they have been learning to see problems as possibilities. Bloom Club and Sons of Thunder will meet again on 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.



The performance schedule for Providence High School's *Fiddler on the Roof* is as follows: **Feb. 27-28** and **March 6-7** at 7:00 p.m. and **March 1 and 8** at 2:00 p.m. Reserved seating tickets are \$15 and can be [purchased online](#) or by calling the box office at 812-945-2538.



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 \$170 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!**

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