

March 13, 2026

# CARDINAL NEWS



## MESSAGE FROM MR. STEWART

Greetings, Sacred Heart Families!

As we approach Spring Break, I want to wish all of our Sacred Heart Catholic School families a restful and joyful week. Spring Break is a wonderful opportunity to spend time with family, recharge, and enjoy a change of pace from our busy school routines. I hope the week brings you time for laughter, relaxation, and meaningful moments together.

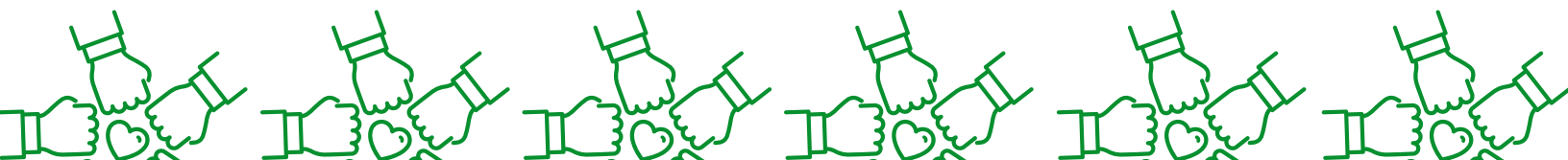
As you enjoy the break, I encourage everyone to stay safe and take care of one another. Our community is strongest when we look out for each other, and I hope our students return refreshed and ready to finish the school year strong. This time away is also a great opportunity to pause and reflect on the many blessings we share.

Finally, I want to share how thankful I am for the opportunity to serve as the principal of Sacred Heart Catholic School. It is truly a blessing to work alongside such dedicated teachers, supportive families, and wonderful students each day. Thank you for the trust you place in our school and for being such an important part of the Sacred Heart community. Have a safe and happy Spring Break!

Jeremy Stewart  
Principal  
Sacred Heart Catholic School



The regional level of the Optimist Club Speech Competition was held last week. Eighth grader Hadly Nickell and seventh graders Adeline Vissing and Ellianna Miller competed. Ellianna placed first and has advanced to the next round to be held on April 18 in Jasper.



**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 March & April

- Mar 16-20: Spring Break
- Mar 28: PHS Easter Egg Hunt
- Mar 31: Re-enrollment forms due
- Apr 1: Spirit Wear Day
- Apr 2: Holy Thursday/Seder Meal
- Apr 3: Good Friday/8th Grade Passion Play/1:00 Dismissal; No Aftercare
- Apr 5: Easter
- Apr 6: Easter Monday; No School
- Apr 18: Thunder over Louisville
- May 1: Oaks Day; No School



Kindergarten is responsible for filling the [Blessing Box](#) this month.

<b>Friday, Mar 27</b>	<b>8:15 a.m.</b>	<b>Sixth Friday in Lent</b>	<b>3</b>
<b>Friday, Apr 3</b>	<b>8:30 a.m.</b>	<b>Passion Play</b>	<b>8</b>
<b>Friday, Apr 10</b>	<b>8:15 a.m.</b>	<b>Friday in the Octave of Easter</b>	<b>2</b>
<b>Friday, Apr 17</b>	<b>8:15 a.m.</b>	<b>Second Friday of Easter</b>	<b>7</b>

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

### REMINDER: NO AFTER CARE TODAY

There is no Aftercare today. Spring Break runs all next week. Classes will resume Monday, **March 23**.

### RE-ENROLLMENT FORMS DUE 3/31

Re-enrollment forms for the 2026-2027 school year have been sent home. Please read the information carefully. To secure your family's spot, forms are due by **March 31**. Open enrollment begins April 1.

### FINANCIAL AID FORMS DUE END OF MAY

Financial Aid paperwork for the 2026-2027 school year also has been sent home. If you are applying for Financial Aid, you will need to complete the green form and turn it in along with your 2025 1040 Tax Returns (final copy without watermarks) by the end of May.

### CALL AHEAD FOR EARLY STUDENT PICKUP

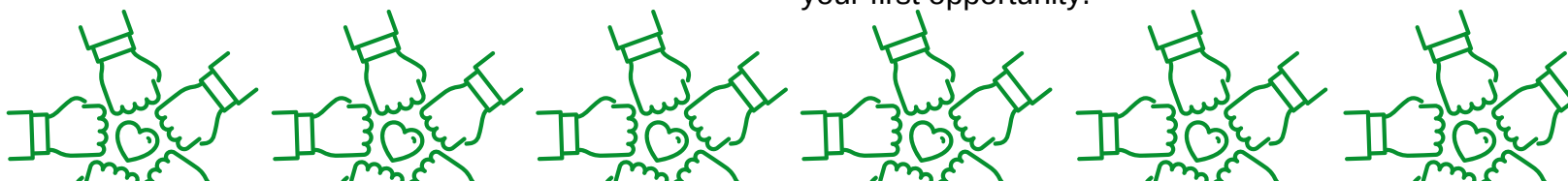
Parents picking up their child(ren) before dismissal should call the office in the morning. Advance notice allows the office staff to notify teachers and to prepare the students for dismissal at the appropriate time.

### TAKE THIS TIME TO SANITIZE

Spring Break is a good time to sanitize backpacks, water bottles, and other belongings to help stop the spread of illness.

### LOST AND FOUND

As the weather warms, students who arrive wearing sweaters in the morning often remove them at some point during the day. Be sure to write your child's name in the tag to easily identify these items. Please also take stock of your child's uniform inventory and check the Lost & Found at your first opportunity.





# ATHLETICS NEWS CORNER

## 3/4 Grade Co-ed Soccer:

March 27, 6:00 p.m. vs. HF Blue @JP11 #2

## 5/6 Grade Co-ed Soccer:

March 27, 5:00 p.m. vs. OLPHS Red @JP11 #3

**UPCOMING!**

	Re-enrollment Forms Due	
	1:00 DISMISSAL; NO AFTER CARE	
	No School	
	No School	

**UPCOMING  
IMPORTANT DATES**

The end of the school year will come fast when we return from Spring Break. Please make note of these important dates:

- March 31: Re-enrollment forms due
- April 3: Good Friday. 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Passion Play at 8:30 a.m.; dismissal 1:00 p.m.; No Aftercare
- April 6: Easter Monday. No School.
- May 1: Oaks Day. No School.



If you still have money out from the chocolate sales, be sure to return it by Monday, **March 23**. No chocolate bars can be returned.

**Holy Week**

- Palm Sunday, March 29: Regular Mass schedule
- Tuesday, March 31: Chrism Mass in Indianapolis; no parish Mass
- Wednesday, April 1: Regular Mass schedule. Family Holy Hour 6:30 p.m. SA
- Holy Thursday, April 1: Mass 7 p.m. (SH) ; Adoration to follow until 7 a.m.
- Good Friday, April 2: Passion Play 8:30 a.m. SH; Service 3:00 p.m. SA

<b>Easter Vigil</b> 8:30 p.m., April 4 Sacred Heart	<b>Easter Mass</b> 8:00 a.m. St. Augustine 10 a.m. Sacred Heart, April 5
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**EASTER  
EGG HUNT**

**FREE EVENT**

EGG HUNT | EASTER BUNNY | FUN CRAFTS

**SATURDAY, MAR. 28**

DOORS OPEN AT 10 AM  
OUR LADY OF PROVIDENCE HIGH SCHOOL  
CAFETERIA ENTRANCE

Providence High School will host an Easter Egg Hunt for all Deanery families on Saturday, **March 28**, starting at 10 a.m. in the school cafeteria. Includes crafts and a visit with the Easter Bunny. Weather permitting.

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!**



Scan your receipts in the [Box Tops app](#). In March, earn 10 bonus tops with purchase of any five qualified items. SHC has earned \$176 so far!

