

February 27, 2026

Please Register for 2026-27 School year now!

Happy weekend everyone. We are happy to announce a basketball and cheerleading teams' Mass for March 7 at 4:30 pm. Athletes who have participated on a basketball or cheer team this year are invited to wear their jersey to the Mass. Open seating is asked of therefore sprinkling the athletes and the jerseys around the church. We are very proud of our athletes and would love to see them there. No need to RSVP, just show up. Go Cougars!

March is Reading Month starts Monday. Our theme this year is *Read for the Gold!* On Monday, we will have our opening Olympic ceremony. Students will need to dress down in their gym sweatpants and red/white/blue shirts. We are asking that they bring in their favorite book to share during the Opening Ceremonies on Monday. We are doing *Wear Words* on every Wednesday. This is an exciting month for students and staff. March also brings the annual Read-A-Thon. Information will come home Monday. The annual book fair will start the week of March 16 and the Science Fair will be held on Thursday, March 19 at 6:00 pm. Please come in and enjoy presentations from our future scientists! March is a packed month, so make sure to see the important dates on the next page.

As we have entered Lent, I'd like to share some thoughts for you to contemplate upon from a few very wise individuals:

- Pope Francis – “God never tires of forgiving us; we are the ones who tire of seeking his mercy.”
- St. Catherine of Sinna - "Nothing great is ever achieved without much enduring.”
- St. Rose of Lima – “Apart from the cross, there is no other ladder by which we may go to heaven.”
- Fulton Sheen – “Unless there is Good Friday in your life, there can be no Easter Sunday.”
- Catherine Dorerty - "Lent is a time of going very deeply into ourselves... What is it that stands between us and God? Between us and our brothers and sisters? Between us and life, the life of the Spirit? Whatever it is, let us relentlessly tear it out, without a moment's hesitation."

Wishing everyone a wonderful rest of the weekend!

Mr. Lawrence Ricard

principal

Important Dates!!

Mar 5 Reconciliation

Mar 5 & 6 No P.M. Buses

Mar 12 End of 3rd Quarter

Mar 13 - No School - Records Day

Mar 14 First Communion Workshop 10-12

Mar 16 Confirmation Candidate Session

Mar 16 Read A Thon starts

Mar 17 First Communion meeting 6:30

Mar 17-19 Book Fair in Library

Mar 19 Science Fair 6:00

Mar 19 Report Cards

Mar 25 Talent Show 6:00

Mar 26 First Communion Pics

Mar 27 Read A Thon Ends

****March 25 Talent Show 6:00 p.m.in IC Gym**

****June 3 Spring Concert K-6**

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Talent Show March 25, 6:00 p.m. IC Gymnasium

Spring Concert June 3, 6:00 p.m. in IC Gymnasium



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