

Dear Families,

Have you noticed the new lighting on the exterior of the building, north and south? We received a donation specifically for this project and we are very pleased to see the light. ☺ Hope it helps with your footing during the darker winter mornings.

Wednesday enrollment opens to area parishioners of a Catholic parish. Please consider re-enrolling your child or children as soon as possible, as it reserves his/her spot as well as assists in preparing the 2019-2020 budget. Thank you very much!

Catholic Schools Week is only two short weeks away. We open with a school Mass - this year held at St. Joseph Parish, starting at 10:00 a.m. **Our families claiming the Catholic tuition rate are mandated to attend this Mass (if you are unable to attend you must submit a notice indicating why you will not be present; however, since the Mass has been scheduled since last spring and the school calendar was shared with families June 4, 2018, it should only be due to unforeseen circumstances not to attend).** To our non-Catholic families, we invite and encourage you to attend the celebration so we may share the beginning of CSW together! Please see flyer and permission forms concerning CSW. Thank you.

Friday, January 18<sup>th</sup>, marks the end of our first semester. Dismissal will take place at 11:00 a.m. for our students; the afternoon is a teacher workday to prepare report cards.

Monday, January 21<sup>st</sup> there is no school as it is Professional Development Day. School resumes, Tuesday, January 22<sup>nd</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> term report cards will be issued on Tuesday.

Congratulations to our classroom spelling bee winners: 5<sup>th</sup> – Eleanor M and Quinn; 6<sup>th</sup> – Sophia and Tyler; 7<sup>th</sup> – Christopher and Audrey; 8<sup>th</sup> – Rowan and Reese.

Hope all of you have a wonderful week.

God bless,

Hedy A. Yanni  
Principal

### CATHOLIC SCHOOLS SNAPS

A quick take on issues and statistics



Source: U.S. Catholic Elementary and Secondary Schools 2017-2018: The Annual Statistical Report on Schools, Enrollment and Staffing (NCEA).

January 14, 2019



**School Office Hours:**  
**Monday-Friday**  
**7:45 a.m.-3:30 p.m.**

#### Upcoming Events:

**End of Semester/Early Dismissal: Friday, January 18<sup>th</sup>, 11:00 a.m. dismissal**

**No School/PD Day: Monday, January 21<sup>st</sup>**

**Report Cards Issued: Tuesday, January 22<sup>nd</sup>**

**School Council Meeting: Thursday, January 24<sup>th</sup>, 5:30 p.m. Holy Name of Mary Rectory**

**Color Day: Friday, January 25<sup>th</sup> (\$0.25 minimum donation to dress out of uniform)**

**Catholic Schools Week: Sunday, January 27<sup>th</sup> – Feb 1<sup>st</sup> (Please see Schedule for CSW Activities)**

**Mandatory Mass Attendance: Sunday, January 27<sup>th</sup>: 10:00 a.m., St. Joseph Catholic Parish**

**SMCS District Spelling Bee for 5<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> Grade: Friday, February 1<sup>st</sup>; 9:30 a.m.**