

**2012 CATHOLIC SCHOOLS WEEK**  
**FAITH \* ACADEMICS \* SERVICE**

**Sunday, January 29, 2012 In Our Parish**

Mass at OLV Cathedral 9:00 am (Student Council officers and NJHS Officers attend)

**Monday, January 30, 2012 In Our Community**

**Dress: Spirit Shirt**

Book Fair 7:45-4:00 Room 239

Parents of PreK4, 2<sup>nd</sup> & 6<sup>th</sup> eat lunch with their child (see attached schedule for times).

**Morning Activities:**

8:05 am Morning Prayer-(led by 8<sup>th</sup> grade) outside, weather permitting.

Grades PreK3, PreK4, Kinder, 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup>, & 4<sup>th</sup>

Service – Students will make Valentine cards for Twin Pines Nursing Home. Representatives from Twin Pines will visit the school **Wed. at 10am** to collect the donations.

Donations:

2<sup>nd</sup> Grade – “Socks for Seniors -- Students bring a new pair of socks to donate to the residents of Twin Pines Nursing Home.

4<sup>th</sup> Grade – “Tissues for Twin Pines” -- Students bring a box of tissue (soft) to donate to the Twin Pines residents.

3<sup>rd</sup> Grade – Shampoo -- Students bring bottle of shampoo (no travel size please) to donate to Victoria Christian Assistance Ministry (VCAM).

PreK3, PreK4, Kinder, & 1<sup>st</sup> -- Students bring assorted baby items such as diapers, wipes, baby lotion, baby shampoo, & blankets to donate to the Gabriel Project.

**CLASS TRIPS: *\*\*Teachers, please be sure you have a 1:10 Adult-Student ratio for these trips.***

8<sup>th</sup> Howard -- Students will go to the Senior Citizens Center on Murray St. (9:15-12:30).

8<sup>th</sup> SMJ – Students will go to the Senior Citizens Center on Halsey St. (9:15-12:30).

Service – Visit with seniors, assist with Bingo, serve and eat lunch with senior citizens.

Donation – Students bring items to be used as Bingo prizes for seniors.

Example: nonperishable food, personal hygiene items like toothpaste, toothbrushes, soap, and household items such as toilet paper, paper towels, detergent, kitchen towels, etc.

7<sup>th</sup> Bragg – Students will visit Homewood Residence (10:00-11:45).

Service – Crafting with seniors.

7<sup>th</sup> Burkett – Students will visit Elmcroft Residence (formerly Hearthstone) (10:00-11:45).

Service – Assist residents with Bingo.

Donation – Students bring items to donate to residents. Example: Non-perishable food, personal hygiene and household items (no hand lotion please).

5<sup>th</sup> Martin & George -- VCAM (9:00-10:00)

Service – Work in the Clothes Room.

Donation – Students bring boxes of family size cereal (hot or cold) to donate to VCAM

6<sup>th</sup> Chen & Villafranca – VCAM (10:00-11:00)

Service – Work in the Clothes Room.

Donation – “Campbell’s for Christ”—Students bring cans of soup to donate to VCAM.

## **Tuesday, January 31, 2012      In Our Nation**

**Dress: Red, White, & Blue or Camouflage (no face paint, no accessories, do not bring toy guns)**

Book Fair 7:45 – 4:00; 5:00 pm-7:00 pm Room 239

Parents of PreK3, 3<sup>rd</sup> & 8th eat lunch with their child (see schedule for times)

### **Morning Activities:**

8:05 am Morning Prayer-(led by 7<sup>th</sup> grade) outside, weather permitting

8:15 am Spelling Bee in the gym

10:15 am Human Prayer Chain (for our Nation)—all students and staff will gather on the playground (or gym, depending on the weather) and will join hands and pray together for a special intention for our nation, as requested by each grade level. Religion teachers please submit the intention of the grade to the office by **Thursday, Jan. 26**.

### **Afternoon Activities:**

OPEN HOUSE 1:00-3:00 pm and 5:00-7:00 pm – ONLY students Mr. Kloesel has talked to will be on hand at the evening Open House.

## **Wednesday, February 1, 2012      In Our Vocations**

**Dress: “Favorite Team” Shirt Day with jeans or uniform bottoms**

Book Fair 7:45 – 4:00 Room 239

Parents of 1<sup>st</sup> & 5<sup>th</sup> eat lunch with their child (see attached schedule for times)

### **Morning Activities:**

8:05 am Morning Prayer-(led by 6<sup>th</sup> grade) outside, weather permitting

8:30 am Prayer Tag (145 minutes). Prayer tag will begin with PreK3 praying for 9 minutes. A student (designated by the teacher) will then take a large wooden rosary to the next class, (PK4)

which signifies it is that class's time for 9 minutes of prayer. Continue passing the rosary (try to go in order by numeric grade level) until all classes have had a turn. Remember, prayer can be spoken words, song, moment of silence, etc.

### **Afternoon Activities:**

1:30 pm – 3:25 pm “Sundaes with Father”. Ice cream sundae cups served in the classrooms to students and staff. Various priests will visit classrooms during this time.

6:00 pm Talent Show in the gym

## **Thursday, February 2, 2012      In Our Students**

### **Dress: 80's**

Book Fair 7:45 – 1:00 Room 239

Parents of Kinder, 4<sup>th</sup> & 7<sup>th</sup> eat lunch with their child (see attached schedule).

“Faith Facts”-- Teachers, together with students, please come up with, and submit to the office, a couple of little known or interesting facts regarding our faith, a saint, etc. Students will then read them over the intercom throughout the day. We hope this will be a fun way to share some interesting facts that maybe we didn't know or have forgotten!

### **Morning Activities:**

8:15 am Mass in the gym, Feast of St. Blaise; **Grandparents/special persons will be recognized**

Partner Activities 9:30-10:30 Teachers get together with your partnering teacher and decide on an activity for the students to do together. (Some students will need to have 2 partners).

PK3 & 4H	1 <sup>st</sup> & 7Bur
PreK4 & 5 (both classes)	2P & 6V
Kinder & 8 (both classes)	2C & 6C
3K & 7Br	

### **Afternoon Activities**

2:00 pm Talent Show – for students as well as parents unable to attend Wed. evening.

**Grand Finale!!** 5:00 pm-7:00 pm--NA Cafeteria--1<sup>st</sup> Annual Chili Cook-off! Come see who makes the best Chili.....will it be “Jet Fuel Chili” (N.A. Faculty), “Red Hot Chili Peppers” (N.A. Café Team), or ?????? Judges for the competition are Brother Gary Moses, Mr. John Quarry (superintendent of Catholic Schools), Gabriel Soliz (N.A. graduate and City Council member), and possibly two other local celebrities who are N.A. graduates! Families are invited to come enjoy a bowl of chili and vote for your favorite! Also have some fun at the Kissing Booth, Fish Pond, and other games! Donations for food and games gratefully accepted, with all proceeds going to Sister Rebecca's mission in Africa.

**Friday, February 3, 2012**

NO SCHOOL!!

\*\*\*\*\*ATTENTION\*\*\*\*\*

**NAZARETH ACADEMY BOOK FAIR** New Location, Room 239 (Next door to Nurse's Office)

**Friday, January 27**—Preview Day 7:45 am – 4:30 pm; Sales only from 3:30 pm - 4:30 pm on this day

**Monday, January 30**—7:45 am – 4:00 pm

**Tuesday, January 31**—7:45 am – 4:00 pm; 5:00 pm – 7:00 pm

**Wednesday, February 1**—7:45 am – 4:00 pm

**Thursday, February 2**—7:45 am – 1:00 pm