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The Mission of Sacred Heart Catholic School is to teach Gospel values that will foster the spiritual, moral, academic, social, and physical growth of the students according to Catholic tradition and the spirit of the Sisters of the Incarnate Word and Blessed Sacrament.

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GOOD NEWS BULLETIN March 2026

NOTICES!

2026-2027 REGISTRATION:

Registration Forms are enclosed and due by March 31st

EARLY DISMISSALS:

Friday, March 6th – 2:00 p.m.

NO CLASSES:

Spring Break: March 16th – 20th

REPORT CARDS: March 25th

CONFIRMATION

Saturday, April 18th at 10:00 a.m.

FIRST COMMUNION

Sunday, May 3rd at 2:00 p.m.

MARATHON FOR CATHOLIC

EDUCATION Friday, April 24th

Information will be sent home in March.

FROM THE PRINCIPAL'S DESK

Springtime is here, and we're cruising through the Spring semester. The results are in for our annual Catholic Life Sweepstakes fundraiser. We raised over \$16,000 from this year's ticket sales. Totals were slightly lower from last year. Congratulations to Courtney Perez and family for winning the \$1,000.00 Visa gift card from the Sacred Heart tickets sold. Thank you for everyone's help with this great fundraiser!

February started off with our best ever Extravaganza. The Extravaganza was a huge success with great food, fellowship, an awesome auction, raffles and a great time had by all. Thank you to our committee who organizes this great event and to everyone who helped out in any way to make this year's event so successful. The event continues to get better every year!

March is full of exciting events at Sacred Heart School. One of the most important is the season of Lent in preparation for Easter. During this time of lent, we will be challenging students and faculty in different ways to prepare for Easter through fasting, almsgiving, and prayer. This season is an exciting time to remind us all of the great sacrifice that Christ did for all of us. We pray that your family has a meaningful lent season and a great spring break!

STUDENT ACHIEVEMENTS

SACRED HEART ACADEMIC MEET WINNERS:

2nd Grade: Pierce Grahmann 2nd Place – Written Spelling, Samuel Henke 1st Place – Creative Writing and 3rd Place – Written Spelling, Kender Zidek 5th – Written Spelling and 5th Place – Written Math

3rd Grade: Landry Absher 2nd Place – Ready Writing, James Bludau 3rd Place – Written Spelling and 3rd Place – Written Math, Granger Hill 3rd Place – Ready Writing, Ellie Kedziora 5th Place – Ready Writing

4th Grade: Jarrett Jansky 5th Place – Written Math, Emery Kubenka 2nd Place – Ready Writing, Emmalee Pastucha 1st Place - Written Math and 3rd Place – Written Spelling

5th Grade: Blake Bludau 2nd Place – Social Studies, Brynadee Etzler 4th Place – Dictionary Skills, Julie Haas 2nd Place – Written Math and 3rd Place – Written Spelling, Claire Janak 3rd Place – Ready Writing, Katelynn McCoy 2nd Place – Number Sense and 4th Place – Written Math, Claire Steffek 4th Place – Written Spelling, Cora Zidek 2nd Place – Science and 4th Place – Religion

6th Grade: Matthew Ausmus 4th Place – Social Studies, Audrie Jasek 3rd Place – Ready Writing, Clare Lemonds 1st Place – Written Spelling, 2nd Place – Written Math, and 4th Place – Number Sense, Ford Noska 5th Place – Religion and 5th Place – Science, Jackson Pustejovsky

7th Grade: Emily Bludau 4th Place – Science and 4th Place – Texas History, Alexis Fisher 5th Place – Ready Writing and 5th Place – Spelling, Grace Harvey 5th Place – Texas History, Everett Kubenka 5th Place – Dictionary Skills, Kolton McCoy 2nd Place – Number Sense, Haley Hartensteiner 4th Place – Written Math, Myla Lucas 2nd Place – Ready Writing, Caston Zidek 3rd Place – Religion

8th Grade: Konnor Chance 1st Place – Written Math and 1st Place – Number Sense, Amryn Etzler 2nd Place – Dictionary Skills, Lily Janak 3rd Place – Number Sense, Willow Janak 1st Place – Dictionary Skills, Caroline Lemonds 1st Place – Religion and 4th Place – Ready Writing, Emi Pohl 1st Place – Ready Writing and 1st Place – Written Spelling, Kenley Sevcik 2nd Place – Dictionary Skills, Ethan Tumamao 1st Place – American History and 3rd Place – Ready Writing

COUNSELOR'S CORNER

2025 - 2026 SAT TESTS: March 14th, May 2nd, and May 22nd

To register, go to: www.sat.org/register

For practice tests, go to

<https://www.khanacademy.org/>

2025 - 2026 ACT TESTS: April 11th, June 13th, July 11th to register, go to: www.actstudent.org

SCHOLARSHIP INFORMATION – Seniors have been given scholarship information from Karen Mudd. Deadlines and requirements are included in the information.

For the local scholarships – they can copy the application and information on to a flash drive.

See Karen Mudd.

DUAL CREDIT TEST REQUIRED – All students planning to take dual credit classes next year must take the Texas Success Initiative Assessment (TSIA) and meet the minimum score requirements UNLESS they are exempt with their scores on the PSAT, SAT, or ACT. See Mrs. Mudd to find out if you are exempt. To take the TSIA test at Victoria College: go to: <http://www.victoriacollege.edu/tsiassessment>

CHEERLEADER AND MASCOT TRYOUTS

Sunday, March 8th - Mandatory try-out meeting, 5:00 p.m. in the gym; for all candidates and a parent, followed by mandatory practice to learn try-out material; 5:00-7:00 p.m. in the gym. This is ONLY for girls trying out. We will also draw try out numbers at this time.

Mandatory Mock Try-outs

Wednesday, March 11th Junior High 4:00 to 5:00 p.m. and

High School – Friday, March 13th 4:00 to 5:00 p.m. in the gym; written feedback will be given to each candidate. **This is the final day to turn in paperwork.**

Sunday, March 15th – Try-outs; CLOSED: Candidates Only; 12:00 p.m. starting with Junior High

CAFETERIA DONATIONS

To provide the best meals possible for your child, we use fresh meat from our local supporters and retailers. We are asking if anyone would like to donate toward this meat, please feel free to contact Jackie at the rectory. Track your donations this year. The One Big Beautiful Bill Act introduced a new tax deduction for non-itemizers, allowing up to \$1000 (\$2000 for married couples) in cash contributions.

SPRING BREAK

PSIA WINNERS

1st Grade: Audrey Motal 2nd and Klein Belcik 4th Place Creative Writing
2nd Grade: Samuel Henke 5th and Rory Steffek 6th Place Creative Writing, Samuel Henke 1st Place Written Math, 1st Place Number Sense, and 4th Place Spelling, Rory Steffek 2nd and Brooklyn Rother 3rd Place Story telling; **3rd Grade:** Kameryn McCoy 6th Place Mathematics, James Bludau, 4th Place Number Sense, Ellie Kedizora 5th Place and Landry Absher 6th Place Ready Writing, James Bludau 5th Place Spelling; **4th Grade:** Camille Lemonds 4th and Tara Rother 6th Place Dictionary Skills, Jarrett Jansky 6th Place Listening Skills, Camille Lemonds 1st, Tara Rother 3rd and Cecilia Hansen 4th Place Maps, Graphs, and Charts; Emmalee Pastucha and Jarrett Jansky tied for 1st Place Mathematics; Juliana Henke 2nd, Jarrett Jansky 3rd and Austin Kedziora 6th Place Music Memory, Emmalee Pastucha 1st and Emery Kubenka 4th and Juliana Henke 5th Place Number Sense; Emery Kubenka 2nd and Camille Lemonds 5th Place Ready Writing; Emmalee Pastucha 4th Place Spelling; **5th Grade:** Claire Janak 1st Place Dictionary Skills and Listening Skills; Katelynn McCoy 4th Place Listening Skills, Claire Janak 1st, Molly Rainosek 4th and Julie Haas 5th Place Maps, Graphs, and Charts; Julie Haas 4th and Katelynn McCoy 6th Place Mathematics; Penny Bartek 2nd Place Oral Interpretation; Claire Janak 1st and Julie Haas 4th Place Ready Writing; **6th Grade:** Matthew Ausmus 4th Place and Emarie Trobl 6th Place Maps, Graphs, and Charts; Clare Lemonds 6th Place Number Sense; **7th Grade:** Alexis Fisher 4th Place Maps, Graphs, and Charts; Kolton McCoy 4th Place Number Sense; Myla Lucas 2nd Place On-site Drawing; Myla Lucas 1st and Alexis Fisher 2nd Place Ready Writing; **8th Grade:** Emi Pohl 1st and Ethan Tumamao 3rd Place Listening Skills; Lily Janak 1st and Emi Pohl 2nd Place Maps, Graphs, and Charts; Konnor Chance 1st and Emi Pohl 2nd and Audrina Mertz 3rd Place Mathematics; Caroline Lemonds 1st Place Music Memory; Konnor Chance 1st Place, Emi Pohl 2nd Place, and Lily Janak 4th Place Number Sense

MARCH BIRTHDAYS

4 Kenzie Grahmann	13 Wyatt Matura
Barrett Brewer	16 David Riehl
Maximilian Halbrook	Skylar Pustka
Callie Janak	17 Henry Dreitner
Desmond Pullians	18 Kristian Rybak
7 Amelia Dreitner	19 Lanie Haas
8 Avery Haas	20 Adley Zappe
Dakota Sevcik	Emma Koeth
Mrs. Lynette Sykora	24 Ridge Skutca
10 Kinley Migl	25 Hudson Stovall
Aubree Gonzales	Amos Prasek
Ava Gonzales	26 Bryce Machicek
Ashtyn Schaefer	27 Karoline Motal
12 Jayden Schindler	28 Maverick Grahmann
Ridge Zidek	30 Ysabella Arellano

MARCH ANNIVERSARIES

5 Todd & Jennifer Loudon (15 years)
11 – Buck & Janice Bludau (31 years)