



# FALCON NEWS

PRINCIPAL, CLAYTON COBB  
ASSISTANT PRINCIPAL, KATHERINE SUCKLE



Dear St. Joseph Families,

**GIVE FOR GOOD** begins tomorrow! St. Joseph Catholic School is once again participating in this important day. As you are aware, this is a fundraising opportunity that allows families to participate in assisting with funds for their favorite charities. We hope St. Joseph Catholic School, your choice for Catholic education, will be considered for such generosity. Rather than raise our our tuition to cover such expenses, we invite families and other benefactors who have the ability to give to do so on this exciting day.

In the past, funds are utilized to purchase items such as classroom furniture and additional technology for the school. As always, it is not always the issue of how much you plan to give but rather that you take the opportunity to participate. 100% participation from our school community may seem like a lofty goal but it is certainly possible. Thank you for always supporting St. Joseph Catholic School through giving as well as through your prayers.

**FIELD DAY** is this week! It will be Friday, May 5th at Loyola's Messmer Stadium. Carpool will begin at 7:30 AM. Opening ceremonies will be at 8:05 AM. Parents are welcome to remain with us through the day. We are fortunate to have our campus SRO's available to be with us on that day as well. They were hired to assist us in keeping our students safe at all times and are happy they can join us so that our field day will always be a fun and exciting time. **REMEMBER!** You must check your child out with his or her homeroom teacher. All students are to be picked up no later than 12 NOON.

With all of the upcoming special days, please remember that our annual **Mother's Day Mass and May Crowning** will be on Friday, May 12th. We invite all mothers, godmothers, grandmothers, and other loved ones. We hope to see you at all events! St. Joseph, pray for us

2023/2024

## PTO EXECUTIVE BOARD

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## UPCOMING EVENTS!

**TUE, 5/2**  
3:05-4:15 LCP Tutoring in Library

**WED, 5/3**  
Spirit Shirt Day  
Faculty Luncheon

**THU, 5/4**  
8:15 School Mass  
3:05-4:15 LCP Tutoring in Library

**FRI, 5/5**  
**FIELD DAY! ALL FAMILIES REPORT TO MESSMER STADIUM- NOT SJS! ALL STUDENTS MUST BE PICKED UP BY 12 NOON**

**SAT, 5/6**  
Falcon Shootout and Raffle @ Shreveport Gun Club  
5PM 8th Grade Confirmation

**FRI, 5/12**  
8:15 Mother's Day Mass & May Crowning

IT'S A GREAT TIME TO BE A FALCON!

# VIRTUE OF CIRCUMSPECTION



Also known as:  
**CAREFULNESS**

## DEFINITION:

Careful consideration of circumstances and consequences

## PRAYER:

Dear Jesus, my actions affect not just myself, but others. Please give me the wisdom to think before acting. Please give me the gift of counsel, that I may act in the best way at each moment of the day.

## LOOKS LIKE:

Asking for advice from an older, trusted person

## SOUNDS LIKE:

May I ask you for advice about something?

## BLESSED MIGUEL PRO

As a boy Miguel had many friends, and he loved to play practical jokes. He became a priest at a time when the Catholic Church in Mexico was being persecuted. He used his knack for putting together disguises to work undercover and bring the sacraments to many suffering people. He was able to serve his people during this persecution, seeing what was needed at critical moments. Fr. Miguel Pro died a martyr for the faith.

## FEAST:

**November 23rd**



# GIVE *for* GOOD

powered by Community Foundation

**May 2, 2023**

## **SUPPORT ST. JOSEPH CATHOLIC SCHOOL**

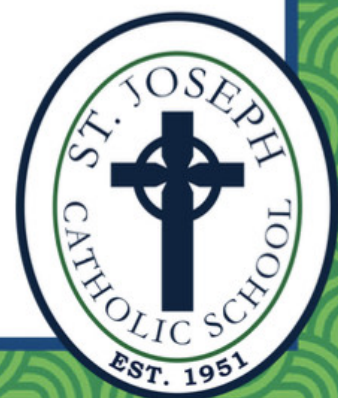
Mark your calendars for May 2, 2023, and support SJS during the 24-hour Give for Good challenge! At the completion of Give for Good, the Community Foundation will give SJS bonus dollars from its Lagniappe Fund dependent upon how much money we raise. The more money we raise, the more we receive from the Community Foundation!

The early giving period has started, so donations can be accepted now through May 2nd at this link:

**[GIVEFORGOODNLA.ORG/  
ORGANIZATION/SJSFALCONS](https://GIVEFORGOODNLA.ORG/ORGANIZATION/SJSFALCONS)**



*OR SCAN THE QR  
CODE TO DONATE*





**ST. JOSEPH**  
CATHOLIC SCHOOL

*Please join us as we recognize:*

Boys and Girls Basketball  
Cheer  
Tennis  
Archery  
Girls Volleyball

Wednesday • May 10 • 6:00 pm  
St. Joseph Catholic School Gym  
Dinner will be served

*Attire: Sunday Best*

*Please RSVP to*  
mariasermons@gmail.com or 218-8358





## SUMMER CAMPS AT ST. JOSEPH CATHOLIC SCHOOL

<b>DATES</b>	<b>TIMES</b>	<b>CAMP NAME</b>	<b>GRADE LEVEL</b>	<b>COST</b>
JUNE 5-9	8 AM - 3 PM	<b>Cooking Around the World</b>	K3 - 1st	\$200
JUNE 5-9	8 AM - 3 PM	<b>Sports Camp I</b>	1 <sup>st</sup> - 8th	\$200
JUNE 5-9	8 AM - 3 PM	<b>Reading Camp I</b>	7th	\$200
JUNE 12-16	8 AM - 3 PM	<b>Super Heroes of the Bible</b>	K3-1st	\$200
JUNE 12-16	8 AM - 12 PM	<b>Drama Camp</b>	2nd - 5th	\$100
JUNE 12-16	8 AM - 12 PM	<b>Archery Camp</b>	5th - 8th	\$100
JUNE 19-23	8 AM - 12 PM	<b>Vacation Bible School</b> <i>*register at <a href="http://www.stjosephchurch.net">www.stjosephchurch.net</a></i>	K5 - 5th	\$10
JUNE 26-30	8 AM - 3 PM	<b>Circus Camp</b>	K3 - 1st	\$200
JUNE 26-30	8 AM - 12 PM	<b>Art Camp</b>	2nd - 5th	\$100
JUNE 26-30	8 AM - 3 PM	<b>Mission Impossible Camp</b>	3rd - 6th	\$200
JUNE 26-30	8 AM - 3 PM	<b>Reading Camp 2</b>	8th	\$200
JULY 10-14	8 AM - 3 PM	<b>Garden Camp</b>	K3 - 1st	\$200
JULY 10-14	8 AM - 3 PM	<b>Mystery Camp</b>	6th -8th	\$200
JULY 10-14	8 AM - 3 PM	<b>Sports Camp 2</b>	1 <sup>st</sup> - 8th	\$200
JULY 17-21	8 AM - 3 PM	<b>Through the Decades Camp</b>	2nd - 6th	\$200
JULY 24-28	8 AM - 3 PM	<b>Dive Into God's Word</b>	K3 - 1st	\$200

Space is limited, to sign up visit [SJSFfalcons.org](http://SJSFfalcons.org)

# Camp Descriptions

**Cooking Around the World, Gardening, and Circus Camps:** Get ready for summer fun with our exciting camps. Prepare and eat a meal from five different countries, explore your green thumb and gardening skills, and play under the big top with us this summer.

**Sports Camp 1 & 2:** We will play all sorts of sports during this camp including dodge ball, kickball, gaga ball, volleyball, basketball, and many more. Keep active with this camp.

**Superheroes of the Bible and Dive into God's Word:** These camps will incorporate indoor and outdoor activities, as well as other educational games and crafts that will build their character, social, and leadership skills in a Christian environment.

**Reading Camp 1 and 2:** This week will be a fast-paced and fun way to complete a student's assigned summer reading requirements. We will read the books and complete the required assignments, but we will also enjoy some fun activities and projects using our books as our framework during this terrific camp. This will be a great way to complete the assigned reading while having fun for the students (along with less stress for their parents).

**Drama Camp:** Students who like being dramatic (pun intended), acting, and entertaining will enjoy this camp! This camp is dedicated to all things involving the theatre. We will explore improv, getting into character, making costumes and props, puppetry, and acting out scenes from our favorite stories.

**Art Camp:** This camp is for new and former campers who enjoyed Perler Bead activities. Along with our Perler Bead art, we will paint and sculpt and create murals. We will also design mosaics and create some wonderful keepsakes.

**Mystery Camp:** Every day of Mystery Theme Summer Camp is a mystery until you arrive! Each day will be a different theme, and the day's activities, foods, crafts, and movies will all revolve around the theme of the day.

**Decades Camp:** Students will travel in time through the 20s, 50s, 60s, 70s and 80s. They will visit a decade each day and learn about that decade's favorite games, popular music, foods, and much more!

**Mission Impossible Camp:** Students will have missions to solve all week! They will use clues and secret messages to investigate. An "Escape Room" will close out this fun filled camp!

**Vacation Bible School:** St. Joseph Catholic Church presents A Radical Ride of the Wings of Prayer with Amazing Angels and Super Saints. Registration for VBS is done through the St. Joseph Church website at [www.stjosephchurch.net](http://www.stjosephchurch.net)

**Archery Camp:** Join the SJS Archery Team for a camp full of fun learning all about archery. Campers will have an opportunity to learn the basics of archery, shoot bows, and have fun!

Space is limited, to sign up visit [SJSFalcons.org](http://SJSFalcons.org)



LOYOLA COLLEGE PREP **SUMMER SPORTS CAMPS**

# LACROSSE CAMP

SATURDAY, JUNE 3 | 1-2:30 P.M.

FREE! ALL AGES WELCOME

BRING: RUBBER CLEATS, LACROSSE STICK, AND WATER BOTTLE  
(HELMET AND GLOVES IF YOU HAVE THEM)



# BASKETBALL 5-8 CAMP

JUNE 5-6 | 5-7 P.M.



COST: \$50  
LCP GYM  
GRADES K-4TH  
BOYS AND GIRLS  
BRING: BASKETBALL SHOES & WATER BOTTLE

# BASKETBALL K-4 CAMP

JUNE 7-8 | 5-7 P.M.

COST: \$50  
LCP GYM  
GRADES 5TH-8TH  
BOYS AND GIRLS  
BRING: BASKETBALL SHOES & WATER BOTTLE



# VOLLEYBALL CAMP

JUNE 6-8 | 12-3 P.M.

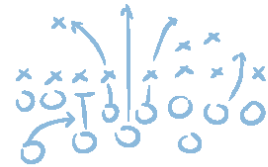


COST: \$135 (INCLUDES SHIRT)  
LCP GYM  
GRADES 6TH-8TH  
BRING: APPROPRIATE SHOES AND WATER BOTTLE

# FOOTBALL CAMP

JUNE 12 - 13 | 10 A.M. - 12 P.M.

COST: \$50  
MESSMER STADIUM  
GRADES 5TH-8TH  
BRING: RUBBER CLEATS AND A WATER BOTTLE



# SOCCER HIGH SCHOOL CAMP

JUNE 12-15 | 5:30 - 8:30 P.M.



COST: \$125  
MESSMER STADIUM  
GRADES 7TH -12TH  
THIS CAMP IS FOR CURRENT HIGH SCHOOL AND MORE  
COMPETITIVE YOUTH PLAYERS

# SOCCER YOUTH CAMP

JUNE 19-22 | 11 A.M. - 1 P.M.

COST: \$75  
MESSMER STADIUM  
GRADES 3RD-7TH



SCAN HERE TO REGISTER



*Select local Middle Schools  
are invited to participate in..*

# FREE SPORTS PHYSICALS!



**SATURDAY  
MAY 6TH**

**9:00AM – 11:00AM**

**MIDDLE SCHOOL ATHLETES IN  
GRADES 6TH-8TH ARE INVITED TO  
COME IN FOR THEIR SPORTS  
PHYSICALS AT NO COST!**

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