



FALCON NEWS

PRINCIPAL, CLAYTON COBB

ASSISTANT PRINCIPAL, KATHERINE SUCKLE

Dear St. Joseph Families,
Welcome to Catholic Schools Week! This is an annual celebration of different activities that celebrate different aspects of Catholic education and our Catholic community. While our school was founded as part of the original mission of our parish back in 1951 under the direction of Bishop Charles Greco and Fr. Joseph Gremillion, we are part of a heritage and tradition that goes back much further.

Education can be seen as something performed by Christ in the gospels themselves. In fact, his followers are disciples from the Latin for student. It was the role of the 12 Apostles to begin teaching the 3000 converts to Christianity on the day of Pentecost as seen in Acts 2. Monasteries became the original institutions of learning in countries throughout the known world during the Middle Ages and medieval times. Due to a deep French and Spanish heritage in our state, Catholic education spread to the citizens of the state for those who wished to partake, maintaining a rich heritage of faith in all seven dioceses. St. Joseph Catholic School has partaken in this rich heritage of Catholic education for nearly 75 years. Others may wish to experience the great heritage of Catholic education. That is why our open house will be held on Wednesday, January 29, 5:30 PM-7:30 PM. **Registration is open to all current families so be sure to check FACTS.** Please extend an invitation to others who wish to experience academic excellence surrounded by faith. Happy Catholic Schools Week! St. Joseph, pray for us.

2024-2025

DIOCESE
OF
SHREVEPORT
8TH GRADE
STUDENT OF
THE YEAR

**PARKER
SUCKLE**



UPCOMING EVENTS!

MON, 1/27

Congratulations to Alaina Leon- 1st Place in Spelling Bee!

3:05 Talent Show Practice

TUE, 1/28

Free Dress Day

8:30 Talent Show in Gym

3:05-4:15 LCP Tutoring

WED, 1/29

8:15 School Mass with collection for Mary's House- Please be generous!

5:30-7:30 Open House!

THU, 1/30

Religion Scholars Bowl

2:15 Vocations Rosary in Gym

3:05-4:15 LCP Tutoring

FRI, 1/31

2:15 Pep Rally!

SAT, 2/1 Rock n Roll Soiree!

IT'S A GREAT TIME TO BE A FALCON!



Foundation

**Special
Collection**

WEDNESDAY

JANUARY 29TH

8:15 SCHOOL MASS



St. Joseph Catholic School

Catholic Schools Week 2024-2025

Schedule of Events

Saturday/Sunday, January 25/26th – Celebrating Our Parish

SJS students serve as altar servers, lectors, and gift-bearers at St. Joseph Catholic Church weekend Masses. Students get a free dress pass if they come in their uniform to Mass. St. Joseph Masses are at 4:00 PM on Saturday, and on Sunday at 7:30 AM, 9:30 AM, 12:30 PM, and 6:00 PM.

Monday, January 27th – Celebrating Our Nation

Spelling Bee is a nation-wide event and ours will be in the gym from 8:30 AM-10:30 AM for grades 2nd-8th. Students and faculty dress in red, white, and blue (see handbook for guidance).

Tuesday, January 28th – Celebrating Our Students

It's Free Dress Day for all (see the handbook for guidance). The Student Talent Show is held in the gym, from 8:30 AM- 9:30 AM. Treat at lunch for students.

Wednesday, January 29th – Celebrating Our Community

SJS Mass at 8:15 AM. A special collection will be taken up for Mary's House. Open House 5:30 PM–7:30 PM, Also, there will be lunch for teachers in the lounge.

Thursday, January 30th– Celebrating Vocations

Religion Scholars Bowl at St. John Berchmans for participating students. Students writing letters/cards to our seminarians in religion classes. Rosary for Vocations held in the gym at 2:15 PM.

Friday, January 31st – Celebrating our Students

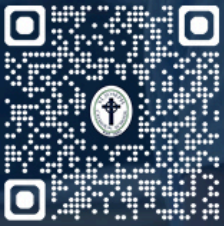
Spirit Day (wear spirit shirt or school colors) Pep Rally @ 2:15 PM.

Saturday, February 1st – Celebrating our Parents

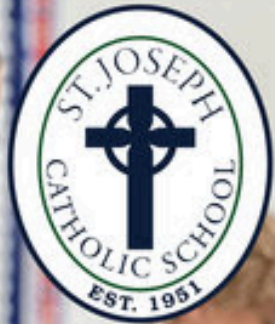
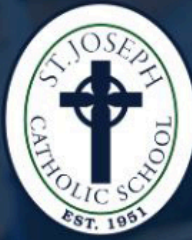
“Rock and Roll” SJS Silent Auction and Soiree at Petroleum Club, 6:00 PM-10:00 PM.

ST. JOSEPH CATHOLIC SCHOOL

Academic **EXCELLENCE** Surrounded by **FAITH**



ANNUAL FUND



JANUARY 29TH

OPEN HOUSE

5:30-7:30 PM

St. Joseph Catholic School

Rock & Roll



Silent Auction
& Soiree



SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 1, 2025

6 PM - 10 PM

Petroleum Club of Shreveport

*Live Band
Casino Tables
Silent Auction
Food and Beverage*

Purchase tickets at Handbid.com

or download the Handbid App. Event Name: SJS Rock and Roll

Event Chair: Erin Dicharry ejack4@gmail.com/318.230.5067

★ *Rock Star Attire* ★

\$75 PER TICKET

GIRLS GAME
6:00 PM

BOYS GAME
7:30 PM



Future FLYER

NIGHTS

SOUTHFIELD & ST. JOSEPH'S
FRIDAY, JANUARY 31

LOYOLA COLLEGE PREP BASKETBALL

OPEN TO ALL MIDDLE SCHOOL FAMILIES!



Future FLYER FORUM

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 27

5:30PM • ST. VINCENT HALL (LCP CAFETERIA)

921 JORDAN STREET • SHREVEPORT, LOUISIANA

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