



# FALCON NEWS

PRINCIPAL, CLAYTON COBB

ASSISTANT PRINCIPAL, KATHERINE SUCKLE

Dear St. Joseph Families,  
As you can see in the ad to the right, this is another opportunity for individuals to visit St. Joseph Catholic School and learn more about what we have to offer. You, current members of the school and faith community, are some of the most important forms of getting the word out. While you can share this on our social media pages and with all your friends, one of the most effective ways to get the word out is simply by word of mouth. Whether you are a family that has been here for a number of years or if this is your first year at SJS, spreading the word about what you love about St. Joseph Catholic School is an important way to bring in new families. Our wonderful Falcon Family is a valuable part of St. Joseph Catholic School. What better way to get to know the other families than by attending some of the most important events of the year, which are coming up in early December? First, Pancakes with Santa will be held on Saturday, December 6<sup>th</sup>. This event is not just for current school families, so if you want someone to experience what it is like at St. Joseph, invite them to one of the best mornings of the school year. St. Joseph Catholic Church is an amazing place, and we are blessed to be a part of this vibrant parish life. This December, what better way to start off the Advent season than by attending a great parish mission? Additionally, the church is reviving the St. Nick's Feast and Gumbo Cook-Off. Sign up to compete! At the heart of every Catholic school is the call to service. We are assisting Loyola's FAITH Project by collecting canned goods. Remember! Friday is the deadline to bring in items to help meet the needs of others in our community. We have a number of canned goods, but let's keep it going, keeping in mind that feeding the hungry is a critical work of mercy. St. Joseph, pray for us.



## UPCOMING EVENTS!

**TUE, 11/18- 6<sup>TH</sup> GRADE RETREAT @ ST. MARY OF THE PINES**  
**3:05-4:15 LCP TUTORING IN LIBRARY**

**WED, 11/19 8:15 SCHOOL MASS, STUDENT OF THE YEAR ANNOUNCEMENTS AFTER MASS, AND BLESSING OF THE PLAYGROUND**  
**6PM PARENT CONFIRMATION MEETING AT FAMILY LIFE CENTER**

**THU, 11/20 3:05-4:15 LCP TUTORING**

**MON, 11/24-FRI, 11/28 THANKSGIVING BREAK-NO SCHOOL!**

**TUE, 12/2 5:30 MOMS NIGHT OUT AT CASA JIMADOR**

**SAT, 12/6 8AM PANCAKES WITH SANTA IN SCHOOL GYM**

**MON, 12/8 8:15 HOLY DAY OF OBLIGATION- FEAST OF THE IMMACULATE CONCEPTION**

**IT'S A GREAT TIME TO BE A FALCON!**

# VIRTUE OF **CIRCUMSPECTION**

**ALSO CALLED:**

**Carefulness**

**DEFINITION:**

**Careful consideration of  
circumstances & 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?**



**ST. JOHN BAPTIST  
DE LA SALLE**

**John lived in France in the  
seventeenth century. He  
carefully came up with  
different methods to help  
children learn, responding to  
the needs of both teachers and  
students to make education a  
useful and happy process.**

**John saw that it would be  
better if classes were taught  
in French instead of Latin. He  
also encouraged his students  
to treat each other with  
respect.**

# Save the Date!!!

St. Joseph Catholic School Presents



## Pancakes with **SANTA**

Saturday,  
December

6<sup>th</sup>

8 am - 11 am  
SJS Gym

\$10 per person, children 2 & under free  
Includes breakfast, Santa pictures, & lots of fun activities

Christmas pajamas encouraged!





# **NACHO AVERAGE MOM'S NIGHT OUT**

**2** | **5:30**  
DECEMBER | PM

CASA JIMADOR  
4801 LINE AVENUE  
SHREVEPORT, LA 71106

RSVP TO CRYSTAL BY  
NOV 30<sup>TH</sup>  
AT 318-426-7391



# Save the Dates

FOR THESE DECEMBER EVENTS

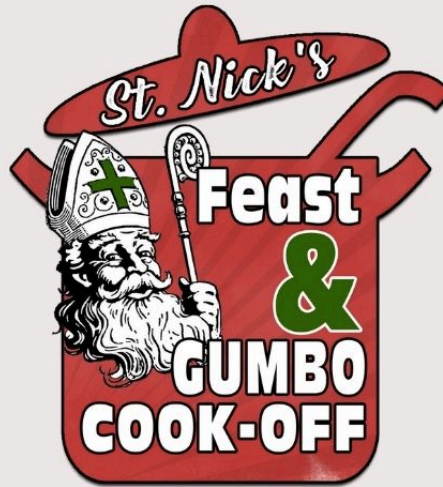
## NATIVITY NIGHTS

Friday Nights

Dec. 5, Dec. 12, Dec. 19

Kindergarten - 5th Grade

Registration opens Nov. 17th



## ST. NICK'S FEAST & GUMBO COOK-OFF

Saturday,  
December 13<sup>th</sup>



## ADVENT MISSION

WITH  
RYAN  
O'HARA



Sunday, Nov. 30<sup>th</sup> &  
Monday, Dec. 1<sup>st</sup> | 6 PM

Saturday,  
December 6<sup>th</sup>

## PANCAKES WITH SANTA

Presented by  
St. Joseph  
Catholic School



## PARISH ADVENT RECONCILIATION SERVICE

Wednesday, Dec. 10<sup>th</sup>  
beginning at 5:30 PM

FIND INFORMATION ON THESE EVENTS AND MORE AT  
[WWW.STJOSEPHCHURCH.NET/UPCOMINGEVENTS](http://WWW.STJOSEPHCHURCH.NET/UPCOMINGEVENTS)





MARY'S WORKERS

# Bake Sale

FOR VOCATIONS

**NOVEMBER 22 & 23, 2025**

following all masses at St. Joseph Catholic Church Shreveport



Hello everyone! Mary's Workers Bake Sale for Vocations is coming up November 22<sup>nd</sup> & 23<sup>rd</sup>.

I am the Chairperson for this wonderful event. Please prayerfully consider helping us to make this a success. All proceeds will go to Shreveport Vocations. There are two ways you can help.

1. You can help by providing baked goods for sale. Any baked goods should be homemade, decorated, wrapped securely, and labeled as to what they are. Please email me at [kay.nader@gmail.com](mailto:kay.nader@gmail.com), if you would like to donate baked goods. If you are bringing baked goods, the days and times for delivery are as follows:
  - **Saturday (11/22) from 1 pm until 4 pm**, you can deliver bake sale items to the at gathering space in the back of church.
  - **Sunday (11/23) 30 minutes prior to each Mass**, you can deliver bake sale items to the back of the church. Sunday Mass times at St. Joseph Catholic Church are 7:30 am, 9:30 am, 12:30 pm & 6 pm. The church address is 204 Patton Avenue, Shreveport, LA 71105.
2. If you want to help but don't have time to bake, please consider giving a monetary donation. Checks Should be made payable to St. Joseph Church and Bake Sale should be noted in the memo section. Please mail your donation to to St. Joseph Catholic Church, 211 Atlantic Avenue, Shreveport, LA 71105. If donating online go to St. Joseph Catholic Church website. Click on the giving section. Click on funds drop down. Go to Mary's Workers., put Vocations Bake sale in the memo section and submit your donation.

If you have any questions, feel free to contact me. **Kay Nader, 318.286.1590** or [kay.nader@gmail.com](mailto:kay.nader@gmail.com). We appreciate any assistance you give to make this a success.

Take care and God bless!



**PRIESTS  
VS  
SEMINARIANS  
BASKETBALL  
ALL-STAR GAME**



**TICKETS \$5.00**

**FREE FOR CHILDREN 12 & UNDER**

**DECEMBER 13<sup>TH</sup>**

**Tip-off 11 am  
Loyola College Prep Gym**

**All funds raised support our seminarians!**