

St. Joseph's Saints in the Making!



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St. Joseph Catholic School strives to teach everyone to know, love, and serve God through spiritual development, academic pursuits, and community service.

From the Principal...

I was really taken aback by the great presence of the St. Joseph Family this past Sunday morning at the 9am Mass at St. Gregory's. Not only were there lots of students in the choir, St. Joseph students and families were everywhere, packing the pews! That kind of support is just invaluable for the school. Your presence speaks more eloquently than any speech I or anyone else could give about our school. Moreover, you showed how the St. Joseph Family is a part of the larger parish communities of St. Francis Xavier and St. Gregory's. I've heard the canard from skeptical priests and parishioners that Catholic schools don't really make a difference in terms of promoting the faith and encouraging attendance at Mass. Your response these past weekends and, really, throughout the year indicates that St. Joseph Catholic School is influencing families beyond the Monday-Friday timeframe to produce more Christ-centered people. Thank you for accepting the invitation to be a vibrant part of the St. Joseph Family.

Speaking of responding to a call, this past Saturday evening a group of you came up to the school to replace and install new blinds for the Pre-K (3), Pre-K (4), Music, Computer Lab, Art/Religion, and Library classrooms. Patrick Taylor, Kevin Vaverka, Jon Mills, David Rosero, Caroline Dettle, Chris Lewer, and John Arnd teamed up to install 40 sets of blinds in about three hours! Thank you to Patrick and Ryn Taylor for organizing this. When a lot of us gather together to tackle a project, it's amazing what can be accomplished. Thank you for performing this important service for our school.

It's not going home today, but in the next few days a survey will be sent home to each family as part of the school's accreditation process. Your responses will help our committees better address strengths and weaknesses in our school, so it's important for everyone to fill out and return the survey. Again, look for this survey coming home within the next few school days.

Knights of Columbus'

Shrove Tuesday Pancake Supper

February 13 from 5:30 –7:00 in the Leven Center

Donations of 8 gallons of milk and 10 gallons of juice needed.



**4 gallons of milk/
juice = one Dividend
hour. Contact the of-
fice if you can help.**

Saints on the



Go!

**START TRAINING
NOW!!**

5K Run and

Little Leprechaun Dash

Saturday, March 17

5K—\$30

Little Leprechaun—
\$15

Stop by the Office for
a Registration form





Upcoming events at St. Joseph

February 7—FSA Meeting @ 3:45, Franciscan room

February 8—Read 'n Feed, one hour

February 10—Duck, Dodge, Dip, Dive, Dodge, 6:30-8pm

SHROVE TUESDAY EVENTS:

February 13—Denim Day

February 13—Muffins with Mom @ 7:45am

February 13—Pancake Race, 8:30



February 13—St. Valentine's Day Parties, 2:45

February 13—Shrove Tuesday Pancake Dinner, 5:30 –7:00

February 14—Ash Wednesday LENT BEGINS



February 16—Stations of the Cross @ 8:30

February 19—Teacher Professional Day—NO SCHOOL

February 20-23—Spring Conferences week

February 23—Stations of the Cross @ 8:30

February 28—Archdiocese of OKC Spelling Bee



March 1—Read Across America, half day Read 'n Feed

March 2—Stations of the Cross @ 8:30

March 9—Field Day T-Shirt Order Form & Money Due

Volunteers are needed for Accreditation lunches!!

We still need volunteers to help out with lunch duty on:

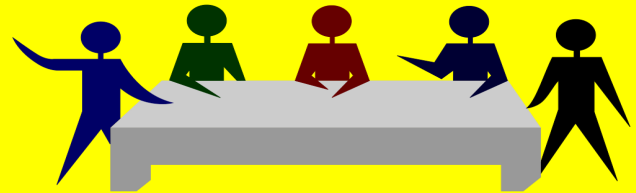
- Tuesday, February 20th
- Monday, February 26th
- Wednesday, March 7th

11:00-12:00. Call the Office if you can help



Join the FSA Executive Board for 2018-2019

For more information see attached handout!



Duck. DODGE, Dip, Dive, Dodge!

This Saturday!

February 10th from 6:30—8:00pm

A night of games with your son In the school gym

Eat dinner before you arrive!

Cookies and punch are provided



FEBRUARY GIFT CARD GIVEAWAY!!

- BUY SCRIP IN FEBRUARY AND YOU COULD WIN !!
- SET UP AN ONLINE SCRIP ACCOUNT IN FEBRUARY AND YOU COULD WIN!! (if you have an online acct you are automatically entered!)



See attached flyer for all the details