



A Catholic School in the Dominican Tradition of Prayer, Study, Community and Service

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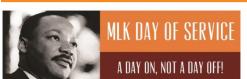
FROM THE PRINCIPAL'S DESK



St. Rose of Lima Catholic School Haddon Heights, NJ

CALENDAR OF

Catholic Schools Week 2025 JANUARY 26 – FEBRUARY 1, 2025

















MLK DAY OF SERVICE -2025. "A day ON, not a day OFF." Following the Dominican Tradition of Service, our students participated in a day of service projects and classroom lessons last week to honor the life & legacy of Dr.Martin Luther King, Jr. Although it was a day late due to snow, the students did amazing work for community organizations and the people who need it most! Some examples include Kindergarten & 4th Grade Prayer partners building blessing bags together to be given to people in need, 2nd & 3rd graders collecting donations for area animal shelters and Match Dog Rescue, and Middle Schoolers making Birthday Cake kits to help give people suffering from food insecurity the chance to celebrate their birthdays!

Thank you to everyone who joined us for the 9:30 a.m. Catholic Schools Week Kickoff Mass followed by our Open House and, the opening of the Scholastic Book Fair. Sending a huge thank you to the teachers who came this morning and to the PTA for planning yet another wonderful reception!

Catholic Schools Week 2025: It's HERE!

Please take some time to <u>read through the Catholic Schools Week Schedule</u> for the upcoming week. There are different activities daily, including the <u>Scholastic Book Fair</u>, and some dress down/ uniform changes. We are looking forward to a very fun week!

Spring Track & Field: Interest Meetings Scheduled for Students and Parents

Spring Track will be starting soon and there will be a student interest meeting after school on Thursday, February 13 for students in grades 4-8 who are interested in participating in Track this year. There will be a mandatory interest meeting for parents on Wednesday, February 26 at 7:00 p.m.

Please click here for a flyer with more details Pasta Dinner: Saturday, February 1 at 6:30 p.m.

Registration is still open for the annual Pasta Dinner to close out Catholic Schools Week. Please click here to register! Please <u>click here to sign up your 7th or 8th grade volunteers</u>. Register ASAP as we must cap the registrations to 400 people due to fire safety regulations.

Beauty and the Beast Jr.- Callbacks Ensemble Sign-Ups Please be sure to check out the <u>Spring Musical Page</u> if you are interested in participating. Callbacks are Tuesday January 28 and Ensemble sign-ups are open until January 31.

Thank you and see you tomorrow!

- Mrs. Darkin

QUICK LINKS



- PTA Event Save the Dates
- Extra Care Program
 Recess Duty Sign Up & Info
- Student Lunch Program
- RaiseRight/SCRIP
- Family Mass Schedule 2024

January 26, 2025

COMING UP...

January 27

- Uniform: Gym uniforms
- Second Hand Rose Sale: 7:30-9:00 a.m.
- Parents, Grandparents & Special Persons Appreciation: Coffee & Donuts: 7: 55 to 9:05 Classroom visits 9:05 9:50 a.m.

January 28

- Uniform: Student Dress Down Day -4—Pajama Day -8—Crazy Hats &Socks
- Beauty and the Beast Jr. Callbacks

January 29

Uniform: Patriotic Dress Down Day (red, white & blue or patriotic clothing. (No political statements or politician's names on clothing.)

January 30

- **Uniform:** Winter Uniform (or gym uniform if you have Physical Education)
- 8:30 Mass—Special Visitor Coadjutor Bishop Joseph Williams
- Pretzel Treat: Snack provided by NJHS!

January 31

- Uniform: Falcon Friday
- Teacher Breakfast: Provided by families!
- **Teacher Recognition**: Students encouraged to bring notes & drawings for faculty & staff
- HALF DAY—12:00 Dismissal
 - Student Council Sock Drive: Donations Due Spring Musical Ensemble Sign-Ups Due
- February 1

- Pasta Dinner: 6:30—9:00 Register Here
- Scholastic Book Fair: Final Night!

Family Mass @ 5:30 p.m. 3rd & 4th Graders Host

February 7

8:30 Mass & HALF DAY: 12:00 Dismissal

Family Mass @ 5:30 p.m. 5th & 6th Graders Host

February 13

Track Interest Meeting: 2:30 p.m. (Grades 4-8)

February 14

8th Grade Graduation Ads Due

February 16

Family Mass @ 5:30 p.m. 7th & 8th Graders Host

February 17

- NO SCHOOL—Presidents' Day
- Final Day for Regular Registration (\$40 late fee begins 2/18)

Father Daughter Dance: Register Here