



THE Cardinal's Corner



Saint Peter's
CATHOLIC SCHOOL

January 16, 2020

The mission of Saint Peter's Catholic School is to prepare students to excel in life by achieving success in a lived and taught Catholic tradition of excellence. Consistent with our motto, "Saints and Scholars," we aim to produce leaders in academics and servants in faith.

Dear Saint Peter's Catholic School Family and Friends,

Sadly, next Wednesday, January 22, 2019 is the 47th anniversary of Roe v. Wade and Doe v. Bolton, which legalized abortion-on-demand in our country. As Catholic Christians, we believe that this is a great injustice and the taking of the most innocent of human life.

Please join us for our school-wide Rosary on Wednesday, January 22nd, to pray for all unborn babies and their mothers, as well as our country and its leaders, so that they will create and enact laws that protect all human life, from conception unto natural death.

Below is a prayer that we hope you will pray with your families:

*Father and maker of all,
you adorn all creation
with splendor and beauty,
and fashion human lives
in your image and likeness.
Awaken in every heart
reverence for the work of your hands,
and renew among your people
a readiness to nurture and sustain
your precious gift of life.
Grant this through our Lord
Jesus Christ, your Son,
who lives and reigns with you in
the unity of the Holy Spirit,
God forever and ever.
Amen*

—from **Catholic Household Blessings & Prayers**



SAINT OF THE WEEK

Saint Berard And Companions

January 16. Saint Francis considered Saints Berard and his Companions as true Friars Minor because they were willing to lay their lives on the line for the faith. Such heroic virtue inspired Saint Anthony to join the Franciscans. Those who give their lives for the faith today, have also inspired others in the faith for often the faith grows by the blood of martyrs.

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Our annual National Catholic Schools Week celebration is fast approaching. Beginning with Sunday Masses on the weekend of January 26th, we have a whole week of activities planned to show what our students are accomplishing and to celebrate the community we have built to educate tomorrow's citizens and church leaders.

In order to kick off Catholic Schools Week, we would like our Saint Peter's Catholic School students to serve as greeters and take up the offertory gifts during all of the Masses the weekend of January 25th – 26th.

Please bring your child/children to the Mass of your choice, dressed in their school Mass uniform so they can participate as greeters and in the offertory. Please arrive at least 15 minutes before Mass and Mrs. Feltner will meet your children in the Narthex for instructions. We will be doing this at the following Masses:

- Saturday, Holy Cross Mission, 5:00 p.m.
- Saturday at 7:00pm (Spanish), Main Church
- Sunday at 8:00am, Main Church
- Sunday at 10:00am, Main Church
- Sunday at 5:00pm, Main Church

Mrs. Heightland will also be there at the 7:00 p.m. on Saturday to help gather children for the offertory, so look for her and/or myself.

God bless and have a wonderful 3-day weekend!

Devotedly yours in Christ,

Ann M. Feltner, Principal



The Virtue for January is
GRATITUDE
Students will show gratitude by
seeing everything as a gift and being thankful



Important Dates & Announcements!

1/20 – Martin Luther King Jr. Day – **No School**

1/21 – Report Cards

1/22 – 47th anniversary of Roe v. Wade - School-wide Rosary for the Unborn @ 10:00 AM

1/26-2/1 – Catholic Schools Week! Please see the flyer for more information

***1/26** – Open House 9:00 AM-12:00 PM

***1/27** – School Wide Rosary – 10:00 AM

***1/28** – Student Move Up Day – 1st Period

***1/28** – Kickball Game with First Responders

***1/29** – 100th Day Celebration – Look for information from your teacher

***1/29** – Parish Family Night – 6:30 PM in the WPR – Please Attend!

***1/30** – Catholic Bee - 2:00 PM

***1/31** – Visitor's Day – 11:15 AM-12:15 PM

1/27 – Brody's Spirit Night – 5:00-10:00 PM– Students that attend will receive a SAINT card from their teacher

2/4 – Upper Crust Spirit Night – 5:00-8:00 PM– Students that attend will receive a SAINT card from their teacher

2/10 – **No School** – Diocesan Professional Development for Teachers

2/17 – **No School** – President's Day

2/19 - Chick-Fil-A Spirit Night – 5:30-7:30 PM – Students that attend will receive a SAINT card from their teacher

2/24 - Brody's Spirit Night – 5:00-10:00 PM – Students that attend will receive a SAINT card from their teacher

2/25 – Progress Reports

2/26 – Ash Wednesday – Mass at 12:00 Noon

2/27 – No School Mass

****We are in need of parent volunteers for our annual telethon. Parents will be asked to contact Parishioners with children that are between 3 and 11 years old. This can be done from home. We will also need Spanish speaking parents. Please let me know if you are available. This is a great way to earn volunteer hours from home.****

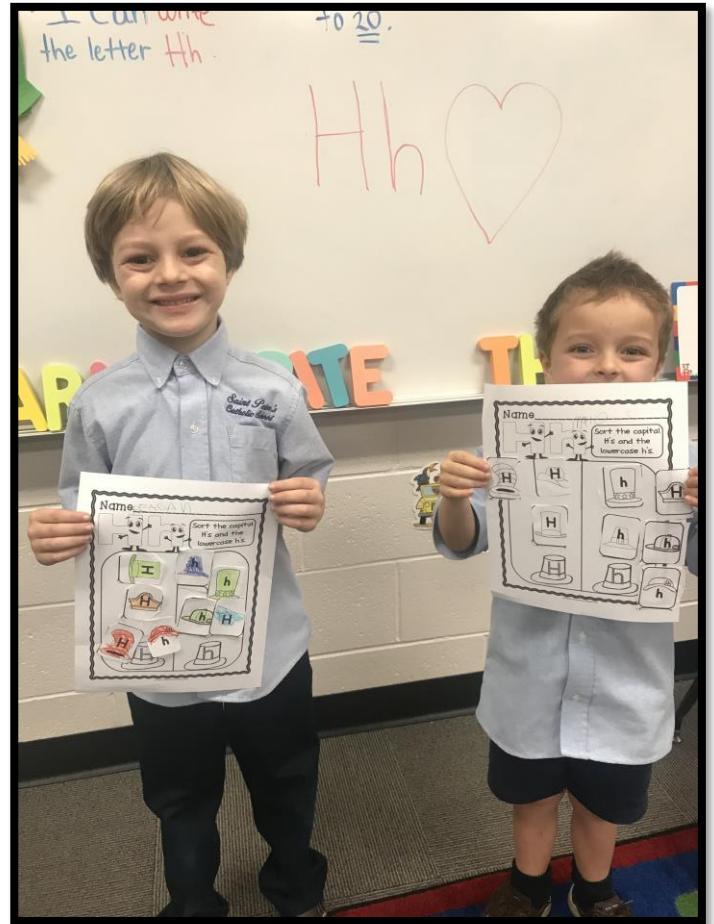
Everyone did a great job at the spelling bee on Wednesday! Unfortunately, no one placed for the state competition, but I am SO proud of the effort that was put forth and we had a wonderful and educational experience!

Mrs. Mills (3rd Grade)



Pre-K3 is focusing on the letter "Hh" while developing Healthy Habits.

Pre-K4 has been learning about the letter Hh. During this activity students sorted upper/lower case Hh in the correct category while working on their fine motor skills on proper scissor grip.



Kindergarteners practiced comparing items of various lengths using terms like "longest, tallest, and shortest."





1st Grade had their Compliment Jar celebration. We put a scoop in our jar every time an adult gives our class a compliment. This is the second time our class has filled it up!

In May second grade will be receiving their First Holy Communion and we are very excited! The students are learning about John 6:48, "I am the bread of life". After reading the Bible, the class discussed what it means and colored beautiful illustrations of Jesus!



3rd Grade students are using whiteboards to aid in learning their multiplication factors and products.





4th Grade is practicing their spelling words by playing *Scrabble*! They have to spell out their spelling words using the tiles and try to connect them to words that are already on the board. They then tally up the points as they play to challenge themselves to spell longer words.

5th grade worked on Pro Life posters for the anniversary Roe v. Wade on Wednesday, January 22nd. These posters will be displayed as we pray the Rosary.



6th grade students are using whiteboards to practice what they have learned about percentages during Math.



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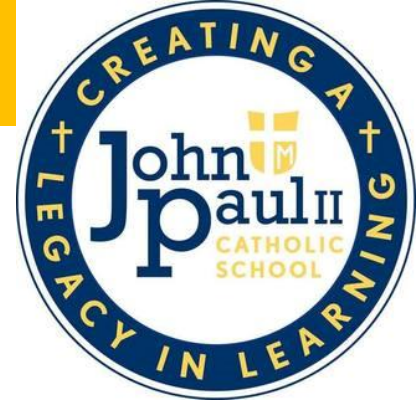
Please join us for our annual celebration of National Catholic Schools Week, beginning Sunday, January 26th with our Open House from 9AM – 12PM following the morning Masses. We will have coffee and donuts in the school. We look forward to seeing you!



Open House

JANUARY 26, 12-2PM





Family Night-Catholic Schools Week

Come and bring your families to family night! We will learn the mission of Catholic Education and what makes it unique. It will be a fun night of food, fellowship, community and prayer! Dinner will be provided.

When: Wednesday, January 29, 2020

Where: St. Peter's Walsh-Palmetto Room

Time: 6:30-8:00 PM

Contact our Youth Minister, Robert Rosa-Cruz, at youth@stpetersbeaufort.org

if you have any questions.

We will see you there!



Catholic Schools Week Schedule for Parents:

Sunday, January 26th - Celebrating our Parish (Students participate in all Liturgies)

- 9:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m. - Open House.
 - o Coffee and Donuts will be served in the entrance of school.
 - o Teachers will be available in their classrooms to answer any questions.
 - o Please attend and invite neighbors and friends!

Monday, January 27th - Celebrating our Community

- Begin Service Projects: *Kidz in Lidz* - See attachment for more information
- Praying the Rosary in Communion with Catholic Schools nationwide, 10 a.m. - in the Church - Parents are invited

Tuesday, January 28th - Celebrating our Students and their Families

- Student "Move Up" Day - 1st Period
- **Students are permitted to dress down in Saint Peter's Spirit Wear**
- Kickball with First Responders - 1:30-2:30 p.m.
 - o We will have members of Lady's Island/St. Helena Fire Department, Beaufort County Sheriff's Office, and Beaufort City Police.

Wednesday, January 29th - Celebrating our Nation

- **Dress Down Day** - 100th Day of School. Teachers will inform parents of the classroom dress down theme. **Appropriate, dress down day rules apply.**
- Pray for our Nation in the school hall 8:00 a.m. (Sing "God Bless America")
- Parish Family Night - 6:00 p.m. - Walsh Palmetto Room - Please attend and invite neighbors and friends!

Thursday, January 30th - Celebrating our Vocations

- School Mass 8:30 AM - Present letters to Father Andrew and Deacon Beeler
- AAS Donor Brunch - **Volunteers Needed!**
- "The Catholic Bee" competition @ 2:00 p.m. in the Library.

Friday, January 31st - Celebrating our Faculty, Staff & Volunteers

- Visitor's Day and Lunch with Students - Classroom visits from 11:15 - 12:15
- Lunch for teachers and staff! - **Volunteers needed from 11:15-12:15**
- Students that donated to *Kidz in Lidz* may wear a hat to school

Help Children Beat Cancer!

Just bring a dollar to school to donate, and you get to wear your favorite hat throughout the school day! All funds raised go to Children's Cancer Partners of the Carolinas to help children in our community who are fighting cancer.



*You have
the power
to make a
difference!*

**Students that donate \$1
will be permitted to wear their favorite hat
on Friday, January 31st!**

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Join in and help us meet our goal and cap down on cancer!