



January 26 - January 31

Catholic Schools: Learn. Serve. Lead. Succeed.

Sunday, January 26-Celebrating your Parish

- A student, parent, and teacher/staff member will give a “pulpit talk” after a weekend mass about why he/she goes to, sends their child/children to, or teaches at a Catholic School. **Parents interested in doing this should contact Nikki Kock (2nd Grade Teacher) or the school office.**
- Coffee/donuts served by SFA Staff after all Sunday masses.

Monday, January 27- Catholic Schools: Celebrating Your Community

- Students should wear clothing from a “community” they are part of - SFA, Dowling, sports teams, dance clubs, clothing related to the state of Iowa etc. with uniform bottoms.
- Students will make prayer cards for community worker groups.

Tuesday, January 28- Catholic Schools: Celebrating Your Students

- Students wear Spirit Wear tops (SFA/DCHS) with out of uniform bottoms
- K-2 Movie in the classroom
- 3-5 Movie-Dr. Doolittle at Jordan Creek Theater
- Middle School-Pending

Wednesday, January 29- Catholic Schools: Celebrating Our the Nation

- Students should “Dress Up for Jesus!”
- Mass at 8:45 AM - any men/women/family members in the service are invited to be recognized during mass. Please refer to News and Notes for more information.
- 10:30-11:10 Recognition Assembly in the gym
- 11:20 AM Dismissal

Thursday, January 30- Catholic Schools: Celebrating Vocations

- Students should wear a shirt that somehow represents our patron saint, St. Francis (a shirt with an animal, stars, moon, nature etc.).
- 8:35 a.m. School-wide Novena to St. Francis in the church.
- Following the Novena, Fr. Mark will share his vocation story with the students.

Friday, January 31- Catholic Schools: Celebrating Faculty, Staff, and Volunteers

- Students should wear school uniform clothing (due to Open House).
- 9-11:30 Open House-Student ambassadors and administrators will be taking any PROSPECTIVE families on a tour of the school. This is for families new to SFA school.
- 11-1 Volunteer Potluck Luncheon - All school volunteers are invited to attend. Watch for more details in News and Notes.
- BINGO in the classrooms at 2:45 PM

Saturday, February 1- Catholic Schools: Celebrating Families

- Families are encouraged to explore and learn more about the lives of saints who are important to families: Saint Gianna, Saint Pope John Paul II, Saint Joseph, Saint Anne, Saint John Bosco, Mary - Undoer of Knots, Saint Joachim, Saint Francis of Assisi and Saint Raphael.