



OUR LADY STAR OF THE SEA SCHOOL NEWS

January 15, 2020

Dear Parents & Guardians,

We are looking forward to all the fun events scheduled for Catholic Schools Week at the end of this month!



Celebrate Catholic Schools Week 2020

January 26 - February 1
#CSW1920

OLSS CATHOLIC SCHOOLS WEEK SCHEDULE

Sun, Jan. 26	Mon, Jan. 27	Tue, Jan. 28	Wed, Jan. 29	Thu, Jan. 30	Fri, Jan. 31
Celebrating our Parish	Celebrating our Community	Celebrating our Students	Celebrating the Nation	Celebrating Vocations	Celebrating Staff & Volunteers
10:45am: Opening Mass for CSW 12:00-1:00pm: Open House	7:00-8:00am: Pastries for Parents & Introduction of new 5th grade teacher Student Community Service Projects	12:15pm: Ice Cream Social 1:00pm: Mini Spelling Bee for Grades 2 & 3 1:30pm: Spelling Bee for Grades 4 – 8 4:00-8:00pm: Spirit Night at Ledo's Pizza	8:15am: Mass & National Junior Honors Society Invitations 9:00am: Career Day Presentations	8th Grade Teachers for the Day	8:15-10:00am: Open House 10:00am: Talent Show Chesapeake Room
WHAT TO WEAR:					
School Uniform	\$1 Tag Day: Mismatched Clothes	Crazy Sock Day	School Uniform	School Uniform	Free Tag Day: Sports Jerseys – bring a canned food item for the Souper Bowl

ONGOING EVENTS DURING THE WEEK:

- Souper Bowl: Bring in a canned food item for the table of the team that you pick to win the Super Bowl. Donations go to SMILE.
- Mrs. Weber's Guessing Game

NEWS :

New 5th Grade Teacher: We are delighted to introduce our new 5th grade teacher, Mrs. Alyssa Oster. Mrs. Oster earned her Bachelor's degree in Biology from University of Maryland, Baltimore County in 2018, and worked as a Teaching Assistant in the Chemistry Dept. at UMBC. She is excited to take over as teacher for the 5th grade class starting Monday.

Early Dismissal Friday: This **Fri, Jan. 17** is a 12:30pm dismissal; please pick up your children promptly.

No School Monday: There is no school next **Mon, Jan. 20** in observance of Martin Luther King, Jr. Day.

Talent Show: The permission form for the Talent Show, included with last week's news, must be turned in by this **Fri, Jan. 17**.

Lunch Menu Changes: There are two changes to the January lunch menu:

- Tue, Jan. 21: Subway sandwiches with chips
- Fri, Jan. 24: Cheese or bacon pizza

REMINDERS :

Scantron Testing: K–8th grades are taking mid-year Scantron standardized testing in Math and Reading from Jan. 13-23.

Open Houses: We will host two Open Houses this month; **Sun, Jan. 26, 12-1pm** and **Fri, Jan. 31, 8:15-9am**. Please encourage interested friends and family to visit!

Ledo's Spirit Night: We will be holding a Spirit Night at Ledo's Restaurant in Lusby on **Tue, Jan. 28 from 4-8pm**. Ledo's will donate 10% of your purchase to our school.

Youth Rally: The OLSS Youth Ministry is organizing a trip to the Youth Rally & Mass for Life on **Fri, Jan. 24**. For more info & tickets, please see <https://www.olssyouth.org/youth-rally-and-mass.html>



BASKETBALL NEWS

FRI, JAN. 17 GAMES at St. John's, Hollywood

- * *Team Photos will be taken before games - players must arrive on time*
- JVG 5pm game time/arrive 4:30pm for photos
- VG 6pm game time/ arrive 5:15pm for photos
- VB 7pm game time/arrive 6:30pm for photos
- JVB 8:15pm game time/arrive 7:30pm for photos

UPCOMING EVENTS :

JANUARY

- **Jan. 17:** 12:30pm Dismissal
- **Jan. 17:** End of 2nd Quarter
- **Jan. 20:** No School - MLK Day
- **Jan. 26, 12-1pm:** Open House
- **Jan. 26-31:** Catholic Schools Week
- **Jan. 27, 7-8am:** Pastries for Parents
- **Jan. 28:** 1pm Spelling Bees
- **Jan. 28. 4-8pm:** Ledo's Spirit Night
- **Jan. 31, 8:15-10am:** Open House
- **Jan. 31, 10am:** Talent Show
- **Jan. 31:** 12:30pm Dismissal

FEBRUARY

- **Feb. 14:** 12:30pm Dismissal
- **Feb. 17:** No School – Presidents Day
- **Feb. 26:** Ash Wednesday / Lent Begins

Our Lady Star of the Sea School

PASTRIES

WITH
parents

MONDAY, JANUARY 27
7:00-8:00am in the Providence Room

Coffee, Juice, & Pastries Provided

An illustration of a red mug, a chocolate-glazed donut, a cupcake, a croissant, and a small pie on a white plate, set against a black background with colorful confetti and a string of colorful bunting flags at the top.

Grace and Peace,
Jennifer Thompson
Mrs. Jennifer Thompson
Interim Principal

"Let all that you do be done in love."
1 Corinthians 16:14