



# OUR LADY STAR OF THE SEA SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

April 16, 2025

Dear OLSS Families,

This week is Holy Week, a very sacred time, for it is now that we will commemorate the last week of Jesus' life on earth, and the events that led up to his Passion and Resurrection. **Palm Sunday** was the day that we remember the day Jesus entered into Jerusalem as Savior and King. **Holy Thursday** commemorates the Last Supper of Jesus with the Apostles. **Good Friday** marks His crucifixion and death. **Holy Saturday** commemorates Jesus' body resting in the tomb, and **Easter Sunday** celebrates the resurrection of Jesus from the dead and his victory over sin and death. I encourage our school families to attend Holy Week services.

## **HOLY THURSDAY:** April 17

7pm: Mass of the Lord's Supper - Parish Church  
8:30pm: Procession to Altar of Repose to Historic Church  
10:00pm: Night Prayer - Historic Church

## **GOOD FRIDAY:** April 18

12pm: SMILE Way of the Cross Service - Parish Church  
6:30pm: Stations of the Cross - Parish Church  
7pm: Liturgy of the Lord's Passion - Parish Church

## **HOLY SATURDAY:** April 19

7pm: Easter Vigil Mass - Parish Church  
(no 4pm Mass)

## **EASTER SUNDAY:** April 20

8am & 11am: Mass, The Resurrection of the Lord - Parish Church  
(no 4pm Mass)

During this Easter Break, I encourage you to take time to rejoice in the Glory of the Lord's Resurrection. Wishing everyone a Blessed and Happy Easter!

Grace and Peace,

*Mrs. Jennifer Thompson*

## NEWS & REMINDERS:

**FUNDRAISERS:** Thank you to everyone who donated baskets and bake sale items for the Palm Sunday fundraisers; together they made over \$9,000 for our school! A huge thank you to Katie Wingenter for organizing the basket auction, and Terri Ihnacik for organizing the bake sale.

**PENNY WARS:** Thank you to everyone who donated to the Penny Wars, which raised \$320 that will be sent to the Sisters of Divine Providence Madagascar Mission.

**GOLF TOURNAMENT:** The Seahawk Scramble Golf Tournament is Friday, April 25. Teams are filling up quickly, so please register [here](#) if you would like to participate. Please sign up on [Track It Forward](#) if you would like to volunteer at the event, or donate food and drinks. We are also in need of more [business sponsors](#) for this event.

**MAY CROWNING:** Our May Crowning Ceremony will be held on Sunday, May 4. The congregation will be invited to proceed from the Parish Church to the Historic Church after the 8am Mass. Students are asked to bring in flowers; store-bought, from your garden, or wildflowers, to decorate the Mary statue. Please bring flowers in on **Friday, May 2**.

**TUITION ASSISTANCE FORMS:** [Verification of Catholic Eligibility](#) and [OLSS Tuition Assistance Form](#) are due to the School Office by **May 5**.

**DANCE:** We need volunteers and donations of snacks and drinks for our Middle School Dance on Friday, May 9. Please sign up through [Track It Forward](#).

## LAST SUPPER RE-ENACTMENT

Middle School did a wonderful job yesterday!



## UPCOMING EVENTS:

### APRIL

- 🌸 Apr. 17-25: No School – Easter Break
- 🌸 Apr. 25: [Seahawk Scramble Golf Tournament](#)

### MAY

- 🌸 May 4: May Crowning, After 8am Mass
- 🌸 May 9: 12:30pm Dismissal | Staff Appreciation
- 🌸 May 9, 7-9pm: [Middle School Social](#)
- 🌸 May 15: Earth Day Flower Planting
- 🌸 May 16: Field Day
- 🌸 May 20: No School - Principals Meeting
- 🌸 May 21, 4-8pm: [Chipotle Spirit Night](#)
- 🌸 May 23: Fun Run | 12:30pm Dismissal
- 🌸 May 26: No School - Memorial Day
- 🌸 May 28: 8th Grade Last Day & Clap Out
- 🌸 May 29: PK Last Day
- 🌸 May 30: 8th Grade Graduation

### JUNE

- 🌸 Jun. 3: 12:30pm Dismissal
- 🌸 Jun. 4: Last Day of School | 10:30am Dismissal
- 🌸 Jun. 16-20: Vacation Bible School

# 2025 OUR LADY STAR OF THE SEA SCHOOL SCIENCE FAIR

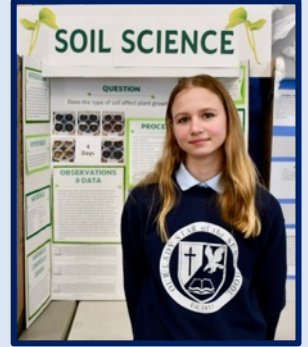
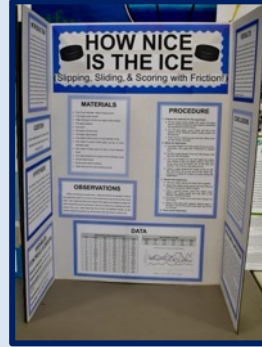
## 6<sup>th</sup> GRADE

1<sup>st</sup>: Tyler W.: Tooth Decay Eggsposed

2<sup>nd</sup>: Jameson H.: Better Science, Better Pizza

2<sup>nd</sup>: Max B.: How Nice is the Ice?

3<sup>rd</sup>: Abigail T.: Soil Science



## 7<sup>th</sup> GRADE

1<sup>st</sup>: Levi C.: String Length vs. Print Time

2<sup>nd</sup>: Ben G.: Sunflower Seeds or Peanuts?

3<sup>rd</sup>: Lilly S.: Paper Airplanes!



## 8<sup>th</sup> GRADE

1<sup>st</sup>: Sophia H.: Paw-sitive Living

2<sup>nd</sup>: Harper H.: Don't Be Eggstra, Be Farm Fresh

3<sup>rd</sup>: Andrew T.: Solar Opposites

