

Catholic Schools Week 2025

St. Symphorosa School

Sunday, January 26th - Open House and Celebrate Families

- 9:00 am Mass - Father gives a blessing for teachers & families at the end of mass - **please join us**
- Distribute thank you cards to parishioners to recognize their support
- Open house from 10:00am-1:00pm - special guest Captain Jack Sparrow

Monday, January 27th - Celebrating Our Community

- Morning prayer for our community of parishioners, businesses who support us, and Big Shoulders Fund
- Our school community will pray for the sick that are listed in our parish bulletin for the entire week
- \$1 Dress down day - Proceeds to be given to St. Vincent DePaul
- Send in food items and toiletries for St. Vincent de Paul to donate - see weekly communication for more details
- Send in winter clothing items for the Shelter for Homeless Children - see weekly communication for more details

Tuesday, January 28th - Celebrating Our Students

- Morning prayer for students
- Dress in gym uniform
- No Homework
- Field trip - Shedd Aquarium

Wednesday, January 29th - Celebrating the Nation

- Morning prayer for our leaders, military, and for peace
- Dancing on the hour
- St. Laurence Mascot visit
- Dress down day in red, white, and blue

Thursday, January 30th - Celebrating Vocations

- Morning prayer for vocations
- All grades will make cards or symbols of gratitude for our priests (K - one big card for each priest, grades 1,3,5,7 - Father Kevin, grades 2,4,6 - Father Bob, grade 8 - Father Bob and Father Norm)
- Father Bob and/or Fr. Kevin will give a vocations talk for grades 3-8
- Faith buddies activity

Friday, January 31st - Celebrating Our Faculty, Staff and Volunteers

- PA breakfast for teachers and staff 8:30-9:30 - **Parent volunteers needed** - see weekly communication
- 10am mass-regular uniform
- 11:30am dismissal