



CATHOLIC SCHOOLS WEEK

January 26th-31st, 2025

A week to celebrate together the gift of a Catholic Education and what makes us unique as a school that focuses on both academic excellence **and** spiritual enrichment with all SJCS families!



Catholic Schools
United in Faith and Community



SUN., JAN. 26TH Celebrate Our Parish

Grandparents' Day Celebration 10:30-1:00

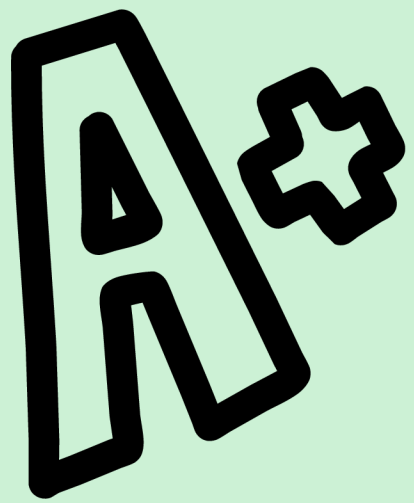
- Grandparents are invited to come to our school campus with their SJCS grandchild(ren) between 10:30am-1pm.
- They should allow for approximately 45 minutes to enjoy the offerings.
- Grandparents are encouraged to attend any Mass this weekend with their grandchild(ren) at St. James Cathedral where a special blessing will be given over them.
- Panther students are encouraged to wear their school uniform to Mass.

MON., JAN 27TH Celebrate Our Community

Dress Down for a Cause Benefitting Bishop Grady Villas

ATTIRE: Orlando Sports Teams shirts, Jerseys, or colors (Magic, Pride, City, UCF, Solar Bears, BMC, etc.) with PE shorts and any closed-toe athletic shoe*

- Community Workers Fair (8:30-10:30am) see Panther Weekly for more info and to sign up!
- Week-Long Food Drive competition against St. Charles and Morning Star benefitting One Heart for Women and Children begins
- All grades will be doing on-campus service projects throughout the day
- Panther Pals enjoy board games together (Younger grade buddies to bring in a board game to play with their Pal)
- PPA Spirit Day at MooYah Burgers sponsored by PPA - check the Panther Weekly for more info



TUES., JAN. 28TH Celebrate Our Students

ATTIRE: CSW color shirt, PE shorts and closed-toed shoes*

CSW T-shirts will be provided to each student in a specific grade-level color

- Field Day for PK3-5th & Boardwalk Bowl Field Trip for Middle School.
- **LUNCH provided** by PPA for all students (PK3-5th grade from Chick-fil-A on campus and 6th-8th a meal at Boardwalk Bowl). Specific menu offerings will be communicated by teachers.

WED., JAN 29TH Celebrate Our Nation

Dress Down for a Cause Benefitting the Wounded Warriors Project

ATTIRE: Red, white, and blue hues with closed-toed shoes*

- 8-8:15am: Flag raising ceremony on the cobbles
- 8:15am Mass to include a blessing over any military (current or veteran) in attendance.
- Panther Pals Catholic Schools Week service project (K-7th grades) for Operation Gratitude
- Preschool and 8th grade Panther Pals create cards for the VA hospital
- 1:30pm - MS Geography Bee (Parents are invited to attend!)



THURS., JAN. 30TH Celebrate Our Vocations



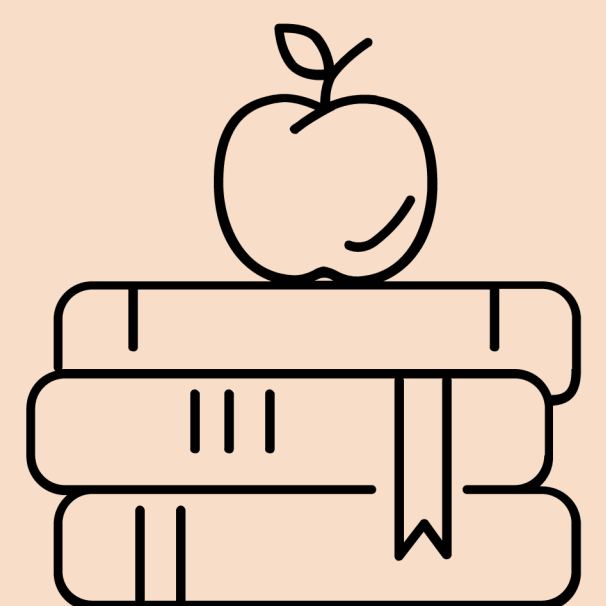
ATTIRE: Free Dress Day*

- School-wide Adoration
- Priest vs. Student dodgeball
- Open House for prospective families (8:30am-1:30pm)
- PK3-3rd grades - Story Time with Father Miguel and Father Phillip
- 4th-8th grades - Bible Trivia
- STEMPros Night - 5-7pm (more details to come!)

FRI., JAN 31ST Celebrate Our Teachers, Staff & Volunteers

ATTIRE: Students dress like teachers and teachers dress like students*

- DJ Lunch parties
- 8th grade vs. teacher volleyball game



*REMINDER: Students must follow all guidelines found in the Handbook located on the Family Portal for Dress Down days. Additional details on events will be shared as we get closed to Catholic Schools Week.