



Sacred Heart Catholic School

Gervais

Sacred Heart Newsletter – January 24, 2018

“Do justly, have mercy, walk humbly with your God.” Micah 6:8

January

- 26 Star Testing Ends
8:15 AM Mass
11:30 AM Dismissal-End of 2nd Quarter
- 28 **9:00 AM-Noon Open House/Book Fair**
28-February 1 Catholic Schools Week
- 29 Sports Team/Throwback Day
Mini-classes 9:00 AM -10:15 AM
- 30 Elderly/Career Day with 8th Grade Teachers
- 31 Grandparents Day!
9:00 AM Mass
Report Cards Go Home

February

- 1 Crazy Color Day
- 2 **NO School-Teacher In-Service Day**
5:30 PM RC Challenge @ Valley Catholic
- 3 8:30 AM RC Challenge @ Valley Catholic
- 7 **NO Bus**

Boys Basketball

January

- 29 Sacred Heart @ Butte Creek
- 31 St. Luke @ Sacred Heart

February

- 5 Sacred Heart @ 91

Open House/Book Fair: Sunday, January 28th, we will be having our annual Open House and Scholastic Book Fair from 9:00 AM until Noon. Help us get the word out about our wonderful school and stop by the Book Fair to see the great selection of books available for all ages! The School Advisory Council will be providing coffee, cookies and punch!

Catholic Schools Week: We have an exciting week planned for Catholic Schools Week. We kick off the week with our Open House and Scholastic Book Fair. Here is a list of our special dress days and activities:

Monday: Sports Team/Throwback Day with Mini-Classes in the morning. Dress up in team clothes or anything throwback related such as your parent's high school clothes or both!

Tuesday: Elderly/Career Day with 8th grade teachers throughout the day. Dress up as an elderly person or the career/job you want to have when you are older or both!

Wednesday: Grandparents/Special Friends Day beginning in the classrooms at 8:00 AM with Mass at 9:00 AM and ending with a delicious Turkey lunch. (Students are to be in their best uniform dress with girls in plaid if they have it!)

Thursday: Crazy Color Day with games in the afternoon. Dress as crazy as you can with the color your class is assigned.

Prek/K/1st: A Rainbow of Colors

2nd: Red

3rd/4th/office: Purple

5th/6th: Blue

7th/8th: Orange

Friday: **NO SCHOOL!** Teacher Faith Formation In-Service Day

Scrip Coordinator: We are looking for a parent to take over as Coordinator of the Scrip program. Cindy Schnurbusch will be stepping down at the end of the school year. The Scrip Coordinator position is worth 10 P.E.A.C.E. points. The Coordinator keeps track of the scrip inventory, orders scrip, deposits the monies from scrip purchases and keeps track of the P.E.A.C.E. points earned for both physical cards and e-cards. Cindy will be here to train the next Scrip Coordinator and answer any questions as they learn the job.

Spring Fling: We ask that you wait to bring in your Spring Fling auction items until February 1. We would like the hallway to be clutter free until after Grandparents Days. Thank you!

Annual Appeal: Our Annual Appeal has been underway for over a month and we are 2/3 of the way to our budget goal! 46% of our school families have contributed. We need 100% participation. When we apply for grants it is important that we are able to say that our families support our school. It does not matter how much you give just that you give from your heart! \$1, \$5, \$10 or more, it is up to you! Please give what you can!

Weather and School Closure/Delay: Now that wintery weather has arrived, it is time to remind our school families that **we follow the Gervais School District if there is a school closure or delay due to weather.** If you are wondering if there is a closure or delay, please, check the newscast on TV, listen to your radio, or go online to <http://www.gervais.k12.or.us/> and click on Community Link for Emergency Closures. If we are scheduled to have school and Gervais is not (such as January 3rd) we will implement our phone tree.

Archdiocesan Tuition Assistance for 2018-2019 School Year: It is time to begin the application process for tuition assistance. In order to receive **any** tuition assistance you **must** apply through this program online at www.factstuitionaid.com. The deadline for online applications with FACTS is March 31, 2018. Without this application process, you are expected to pay full tuition for each child. There are NO exceptions for currently enrolled families.

Hot Lunch: January 31 Grandparents Day: Turkey Dinner with all the fixings
Laura Miller, Kathy Cuff, Jeremy Kropf, Annie Sanchez, Kimberly Lyons, Ana Contreras
Please contact Laura Miller if you can help 9 AM to 1 PM

Photos are available on our school Facebook page at <https://www.facebook.com/sacredheartgervais/>

Sacred Heart Catholic School, a mission of Sacred Heart-St. Louis Parish, forms children in knowledge, virtue and the spiritual life in a safe and positive educational environment that they may develop into disciples of Jesus Christ.

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Around Our Community

Gervais Community Progress Team is holding a meeting on January 25, 2018 at 6:00 PM at the Gervais City Hall. Everyone is welcome to come and share ideas for our community.

Regis Catholic High School is hosting a Preview Day on January 28, 2018 at 1:00 PM.

Father Bernard Youth Center is hosting a workshop on Thursday, February 1, 2018 from 7:00 PM – 8:30 PM addressing the topic of teen depression. They are pleased to welcome Patricia Mackie, a Marriage and Family Therapist, to inform and equip those who work with youth. Cost is \$10, paid either at the door or at www.fbyc.info.

Friends of Gervais FFA are holding a Banquet on February 24, 2018 at the Mt. Angel Event Center. Doors open at 5:00 PM. Tickets are \$65 per person or a table of 8 for \$500. Contact molly@perminefarms.com or megan.dilson@gervais.k12.or.us or call 541-740-4428 to purchase tickets.