



HOLY CROSS CATHOLIC SCHOOL

A message from Principal Sr. Lynda Snyder, SND

February Birthdays

Feb. 2 Kazmera Nadler/2
Mrs. Moore/5's
4 Torin Long/5
5 Elsa Kennedy/1
Lucy Bernal/5
7 Mrs. Mazur-Ryan
8 Evan Fogle/K
9 Alayna Salinas/7
14 Mr. Bill
23 Mr. Jeff
26 Iliana Rodriguez/7
28 Mrs. Clellan

HAPPY BIRTHDAY!

Save the dates

Open House

February 26 from 10am-1pm

Grandparent/Special Guest

Luncheon

March 8th for Pre K 4, Young

Fives, Kindergarten & First Grade

March 15th for grades 2-8

Watch for more details in the
M&M soon!

PTO NEWS/MARK YOUR CALENDAR:

There will be a PTO meeting on Sun, Feb 5th at 2pm in the teachers' lounge. We know our school families have full schedules but hope this time will accommodate everyone. Hope to see you there. In the event of inclement weather please check the Holy Cross Facebook page for any cancellation info.

5th Grade Band Performance

will be held on Tuesday, Feb. 7th at 6pm at the Defiance High School Gym.

Enclosures:

February Events calendar
February Menu

Pre K Inspection

Passed with Flying Colors

Congratulations to Mrs. Guilford, director of the HCCS Pre K program, Mrs. Donaldson, Mrs. Moore and Mrs. Theresa!! The state inspector was very impressed with our overall program but especially impressed that the **Leader in Me** initiative is being used even in our Pre K program. Three year old, Ella Stehulak, greeted her as she entered the classroom, as she was the communication person for the week. This is a true **Win-Win!!**

Catholic Schools Week

Daily Events

Mon. – Celebrate our Community
Students will make cards for Heroes of Defiance

Students dress up as their favorite Hero (fiction or non-fiction)

Tues. – Celebrate our Students

Students wear pajamas
Classes will pair up for fun activities

Wed. – Celebrate our Nation

Students wear red, white and blue (NO jeans)

Students compose prayers for the Nation and one will be read at Mass for each class

Thurs. – Celebrate Vocations

Students dress up representing the career they want to pursue.
Parents are invited to share in the classroom about their vocation.

Fri. – Celebrate Faculty, Staff & Volunteers

Students will guess who is who from baby pictures of the faculty, staff and lighthouse team. Prizes will be given for the most correct answers, 1st, 2nd, & 3rd.

See flier that was sent home last week for all the details.

Class Basket Raffle Tickets will be for sale this week for the students to purchase before and after school. Tickets are \$1 each.

Hope to see you Saturday at the HCCS Raffle Spectacular!!!

We work at **putting first things first.** If

you can, please join us for Mass on

Wednesday

February 1st at 9:30 in the chapel.

Kindergarten is planning the Mass.



Begin planning for the 2017-18 school year, you say

WHAT? But yes, the EdChoice Scholarship Renewal and

Application forms will be available starting Feb. 1st. Be

looking for your renewal forms in the mail. Families with

children starting Kindergarten next year can call or stop in the

office for an application or with any questions you may have.

Let's put our tax dollars to work to help pay tuition for your

child!!

Pre K, Young 5's, and Kindergarten registration forms for 2017-18 are available.

Kindergarten screening is scheduled for March 20th. Call the office for more information.

Basketball this week:

Mon. Boys 7 pm @ Bryan

Tues. Boys 5 pm home

Thurs. Girls 5 pm St. John Lutheran

Fri. Boys Tournament 4:30 pm @ Edgerton

Sat. Girls 10 am @ Solomon

Boys Tournament, time to be determined @ Edgerton

Good Luck Players

Synergize to do your Best