



CONN-AREA CATHOLIC SCHOOL “Centered in Christ”

February 2025

February 2nd is an important day in our Liturgical year. No, I am not talking about Ground Hog Day. February 2nd is our celebration of the Presentation of the Lord. This feast day celebrates Jesus as light to the nations. And indeed, we need Him to be that for us always. It is about this time in the year when we are tired of the weather, the darkness, the cold, and we take on a general feeling of anxiousness for days spent outdoors in the warmth and brightness of the sun. Isn't it interesting that when we have a deep relationship with our Lord we can feel that same warmth and brightness all year round! May the 'Son' be a light in your lives every day.

Re-Enrollment

Hopefully, you have already re-enrolled your child into our school for next year. We are excited to have everyone back again. Providing you with this 'head-start' allows you to secure your child's seat before we open the application process to new families. New families will have access on February 2. If you have any questions, please contact us and we will be happy to assist you.





Sister Act, Jr.

DON'T MISS IT! Our Performing Arts Club has been working hard three days a week, to present to you, Sister Act, Jr. There will be two shows: Saturday, February 15th at 7:30 p.m. and Sunday, February 16th at 2:00 p.m. It will be held at the Edwin S. Porter Theatre in the Connellsville Community Center. It is FREE, although we do ask you to bring a canned food item which will be donated to those in need. Thank you to the Production Staff: Director Edwin Robbins, Choreographer Mary Sampey, Costumer Mandy Schnorr, Scenery and Lighting Bill Colvin, Volunteer Coordinator Rita Smith, and Program Creator Kristin Baker. I also want to thank those parents who came to the practices to help with supervision of the students. They are very necessary and important to the program. God bless all those involved. Congratulations to our cast and crew of many. You will see the fruits of their labor and the fun they experienced throughout the process. See you there.



Progress Reports

The midway mark for our third nine weeks is on Thursday, February 20. If your child is not working to their potential, you will receive a Progress Report in the mail, in hopes that they can correct this before the end of the quarter.



Teacher In-Service Day

Our teachers are required to do seven in-service days each year. On Friday, February 14th, we will be doing another day of learning. Students will not have school that day.



Presidents' Day

Monday, February 17th, will be a day off from school in observance of Presidents' Day. We hope you enjoy your long weekend with family.



PTG Meeting

Our third PTG meeting for the year will be held on Wednesday, February 12th at 6:30 p.m. Our kindergarten and first graders will be leading us in the prayer service. We ask the families of our 5th and 6th graders to provide one dozen cookies. We hope you will join us. Remember to use the cafeteria door entrance.



Valentine's Day Parties

Our students will be celebrating Valentine's Day on Thursday, February 13th at 2:00. This will be the final classroom party for the year. Our preschoolers will be celebrating their Valentine's party on Monday, February 10th at 10:00. PK students who do not normally attend on Mondays are welcome to come in for the party. Those students should be picked up at 11:30.



Mr. Yuk Program

Our first graders learn about the dangers of poisons through the Mr. Yuk program provided to our school by Penn State. We are grateful for those who are proactive about safety for our students. They will receive this instruction this month.



Boys Basketball – Cheerleading Season

It is not too late to come out to cheer on our boys' basketball team and to see our cheerleaders in action. They have all learned a great deal and are having a lot of fun. Thank you to the coaches of the basketball team: Lindsy Yoders, Matt Yoders, and Chris Dalansky. Thank you to our cheer coaches: Renee Davis and Megan Patsch.

