



ST. JOSEPH CATHOLIC SCHOOL
Educating the mind, body and spirit since 1894
Elementary Weekly Bulletin
September 25 – September 29, 2017

St. Joseph Catholic School was established to provide a Christian Environment for students, staff and faculty alike that promotes both excellence in education and a spiritual faith formation. As a pastoral instrument of the Church, we intend to respond to the needs of the whole person and to support the spiritual, intellectual, physical and social development of each student. It is also our intention to challenge the students to work to the best of their abilities and to live as Christian examples of faith to one another and to the extended community. We will strive to explore and initiate innovations in education and our faith which will prepare the students to take their place as leaders in a changing and challenging society. St. Joseph Mission Statement

Greetings!

At St. Joseph Catholic School, we believe communication between the school and community is crucial to making our students successful. This is the Elementary Weekly Bulletin that will detail any announcements and events that are taking place the upcoming week.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Child Out Sick/PickUp: Please contact the school office in the event your child is sick for the day, and/or if they will be picked up by someone new.

Thinking Maps!! St. Joseph Catholic School is proud to announce that we are a Thinking Maps school. Thinking Maps are consistent visual patterns linked directly to eight specific thought processes. These patterns help every student in all grade levels to reach a higher levels of critical and creative thinking. Thinking Maps utilize methods by which the human brain naturally processes information. Students will benefit by improving the development of their complex thinking skills and comprehension.

For additional information and demonstrations, we invite you to join us for the Thinking Maps parent meeting on **Wednesday, September 27th at 6:00pm in the cafeteria at the secondary campus.**

*I have attached a handout to the bulletin for more information.

Box Tops – Please continue to collect box tops throughout the year as they result in cash for our school. We will have two contests this year, one in the fall and the other in the spring. The fall contest will end Friday, December 1st and the winning class will receive a FREE dress day and an ice cream sandwich party! Please turn in your box tops to your teacher in order for the class to receive credit.

UP COMING EVENTS

Homecoming Week – October 16th through October 20th
Fall Festival – October 29th

REMINDERS

Hurricane Harvey Relief – Finalizing details.

Payments for lunch – Please take this week to ensure your lunch account is current. You can pay for lunches by check or cash with the front office. If you wish to pay by credit card, go to our school website at www.stjosephschoolbcs.org, click on the PARENTS tab, and then click on PAYMENTS. Follow the directions provided carefully. Please keep in mind there is a fixed convenience fee for each credit card transaction. Each family has one account for all family members, so one payment takes care of multiple students.

Daily Schedule

Monday, September 25

- Uniform – non dress uniform
- JH Volleyball vs. Brazos Christian – White 5pm and Gold 6pm
- HS Volleyball vs. BVCHEA – JV 7pm RESCHEDULED

Tuesday, September 26 (Mass)

- Uniform – dress uniform
- JH Volleyball @ Brenham Christian – purple 5pm
- HS Volleyball @ Allen Academy – No JV Match. Varsity match is at 6pm

Wednesday, September 27

- Uniform – non dress uniform

Thursday, September 28 (Mass)

- Uniform – dress uniform
- HS Volleyball vs. Legacy Prep – JV 5pm and Varsity 6pm

Friday, September 29

- Uniform – **SPIRIT DRESS DAY**
- HS Football vs. Milano (Military Night) – 7pm. Active and former members of the military are admitted free of charge and will be recognized at halftime.

Blessings,
Jim Rike

*Please remember St. Joseph Catholic School in your prayers, your service, and your gifts. Call us for the many ways you can support Catholic Education now and in the future.
St. Joseph – Pray for us!*