



SVS

Newsletter

RESPECTFUL • RESPONSIBLE • SAFE • SPIRITUAL



Week of October 26, 2026



Harvesting the Fruits of the Holy Spirit

LOVE | JOY | PEACE | PATIENCE | KINDNESS | GOODNESS |
FAITHFULNESS | GENTLENESS | SELF-CONTROL

OCTOBER
HIGHLIGHT

Peace

CHOOSE PEACE EVERY DAY!



St. Kateri
Tekakwitha
"The Lily of the Mohawks"



Notes from the Office

As our students are gearing up to enjoy the fun and excitement of Halloween this weekend, let's also help them embrace its Catholic roots by celebrating the saints, remembering our loved ones, and reflecting on the call to become saints ourselves! Please join us this Friday for mass @ Holy Family at 8:30 a.m. Our third grade classes will be leading our "All Saints Mass."

Praying with the Saints - Nov 4th

Praying with the Saints
NOVEMBER GATHERING
THE FRUIT OF THE SPIRIT:
PEACE
Come learn about St. Kateri, adore Jesus, and reflect on the gift of peace.

WHAT TO EXPECT

- 1 Presentation by Mrs. Hudson's class
- 2 Eucharistic Adoration
- 3 Pray in the presence of the saint's relic
- 4 Reflection and Benediction

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 4
5:30-6:30 PM
Holy Family Catholic Church
Featured Saint: St. Kateri Tekakwitha
Fruit of the Spirit: Peace

Students who attend will receive a Free Dress ticket!
Free Dress on 11/5

We hope you will join us as our school and parish families pray, learn, and grow in faith together.

FAITH • KNOWLEDGE • FRIENDSHIP • SERVICE

📅 Wednesday, November 4 ⌚ 5:30-6:30 PM
🏛️ Holy Family Catholic Church
👤 Presentation by Mrs. Hudson's class
🎟️ Students who attend will receive a Free Dress ticket for Nov. 5th!

This Week at a Glance

Safe Environment Week

Monday (10/26)

Mass, 8:00
No P&P

Tuesday (10/27)

Prayer & Pledge, 7:50
Peoples Bank Day (see below)

Wednesday (10/28)

Prayer & Pledge, 7:50

Rosary (6th grade @2:15)

Thursday (10/29)

Prayer & Pledge, 7:50

Student of the Month

Friday (10/30)

Mass, 8:30 am

3rd Grade All Saints Mass

Prayer & Pledge Leaders:

1st grade

Mass Leaders:

3rd grade

Sanctuary Light Burns:

in memory of

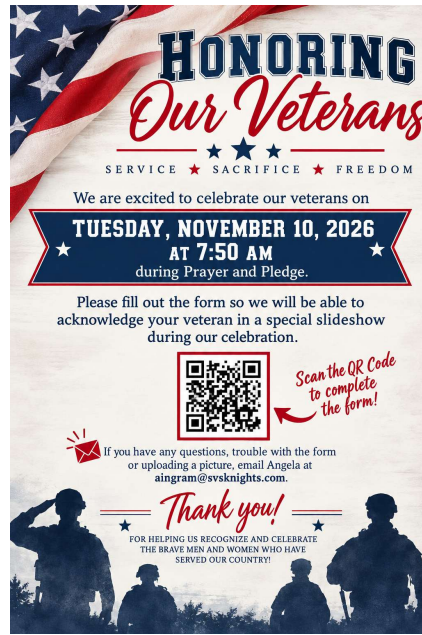
Eric Holtzclaw and Evan Magers
&

All Holy Souls in Purgatory

Looking Ahead

10/28 - Rosary (6th grade @2:15)
10/29 - Student of the Month
10/30 - 3rd grade All Saints Mass
11/2 - Turkey Teacher Begins
11/4 - Praying with the Saints

Veterans Day Program



Deadline Nov 6th

We are excited to celebrate our veterans on November 10 at Prayer and Pledge (7:50 am).

Please fill out this form so we will be able to acknowledge your veteran in a slideshow at the celebration.

<https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSdlj-ss5MI7anoCA7uyS0FKY9QioxEwvnovRL3U4u6LdoNleQ/viewform?usp=dialog>

If you have any questions, trouble with the form or uploading a picture, email Angela at aingram@svsknights.com.

Thank you!!

What is PTO Up To?



- PTO purchased 8 security cameras for the school.
- PTO purchased height adjustment kits for both of the basketball goals in the gym. This will lower the goals for the younger kids.

All Spirit shirts have been handed out. If you have not received yours,

please contact [@228-324-2363](mailto:Kerri Robin)

11/5 - Saints Free Dress
11/10 - Veteran's Day Program
11/18 - 5th Grade Wax Museum
11/19 - Turkey Teacher Ends
11/23-27 - Thanksgiving Holiday
12/10 - 2nd - 6th Christmas Program
12/17 - Prek - 1st Christmas Program

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[Link to SVS Google Calendar](#)

[2026-2027 Year Calendar](#)

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National Vocation Awareness Week



Dear SVS Parents,

We are excited to celebrate National Vocation Awareness Week, November 1–7, for the second year in a row at Saint Vincent de Paul Catholic School!

Our Vocation Team has planned an amazing Holy Spirit Week with three fun spirit days to celebrate the many ways God calls us to serve Him! Please see the attached flyer for our dress-up themes.

Thursday will be a FREE DRESS DAY for students who attend Wednesday night's Praying with the Saints event!

Supporting Our Seminarians

Without priests, we would not have the Eucharist! We want our children to understand the importance of supporting the men of our Diocese of Biloxi who are answering God's call to the priesthood.

We are asking each student to bring \$5 to support our seminarians. All donations collected will be divided equally among our diocesan seminarians as a gift of encouragement, gratitude, and prayer!

Dragon Slayers Club Celebration!

Our Dragon Slayers Club (3rd grade and up) will celebrate its ONE-YEAR ANNIVERSARY! The club began at the conclusion of last year's National Vocation Awareness Week, and we can't wait to celebrate a wonderful year of faith, friendship, and growing in virtue!

We look forward to a fun, faith-filled week helping our kiddos discover the unique gifts and vocations God has given each of us!

Different ways to serve. One Holy Spirit. All for Jesus!

In Christ,

Your SVS Vocation Team
Ms. Megan Bermond, Ms. Elizabeth Mink & Ms. Khara Molsbee

Service Projects



Art Contest



Art Contest

Walter Anderson Museum of Art
Student Art Show
Bravuras of Birds



The theme "**Bravuras of Birds**" is inspired by Walt Whitman's poem, "Song of Myself." Walter Anderson loved this poem. In it, the author evokes bold, dazzling, and expressive **bird calls** - sounds that rise above the ordinary with **beauty, strength, and individuality**.

Students are encouraged to explore the world of birds as symbols of voice, freedom, movement, and imagination.

What does it mean to sing your own song?

What does it mean to be **vivid, powerful, and/or heard**?



RULES:



Can use any media: markers, pastels, watercolor, tempera, crayons, collage, etc. or any combination. Also, your entry can be a sculpture.

Artists **must** include a brief artist's statement explaining how his/her piece interprets the theme and why/how he/she created it.

Name **must NOT** be on the artwork.

Due to Mrs. Tara **no later than Monday, 10/26**.

Winners will be hung in the Walter Anderson Museum Student Art Show from December 18 - January 3.



CYO Flag Football

** PLAYOFF GAME **

1st & 2nd grade

Division 2

Oct 26

5:30 PM

Kroc (vs St. James Gold)

St Thomas

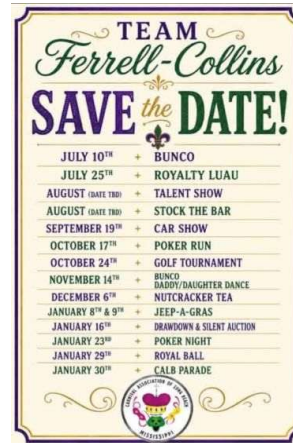
- St. Thomas Catholic Church Fall Festival in Long Beach is having a BAKE SALE again this year! It's on Sunday, November 1 (All Saints Day)! Text Katie Sandoz at 228-297-8116 if you're interested in making/donating something for the bake sale!
- Also, Laurel Jones is looking for volunteers to work carnival games at the festival, please let her know if you have a teen that needs service hours! Her cell is 251-233-6708
- CYO. Registration open until Oct 30th. 2nd-6th grade.

Most Holy Trinity



SPCA

CALB



RESOURCES

[FACTS SIS Family Portal Link](#) - District Code: SVDP-MS

Peoples Bank - [Click for Flyer](#) | [Click for application](#) | [Click for deposit slips](#)

Brick Walkway - Honor a loved one by adding a personalized brick to our front walkway. [Download the sponsorship form.](#)

Fleece Jackets with the SVS crest can be worn in the classrooms. You can purchase fleece jackets and sweatshirts from Southern Printing, Pass Christian.

Birthday Book Club is a great way to support our library and remember your child's special day! Check out [a list of suggested titles](#).

Honor a Loved One with the [Sanctuary Light](#). We will light a candle in the chapel to burn in honor or in memory of a loved one and have them remembered at Prayer & Pledge for the week.

Rewards Programs - Support our school with everyday purchases. [Box Tops](#) and other programs are available. [Click for more information.](#)

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