



"Go And Make a Difference" February 6, 2026

Manners & Virtues

This week's manner was to let others go first. We talked about ways and situations that students can practice this. The virtue for this manner is gentleness.

Weekly Challenge: Let someone else choose first – in line, during games, or when making group decisions. Practice putting others before yourself with a kind and gentle heart.

Matthew 5:5 – "Blessed are the meek."

Mass Schedule

Mass will be on Tuesday and Thursday next week. The 2nd grade will have Mass parts. Parents, grandparents, and parishioners are welcome to join us!

Mid-Quarter

This Friday marks halfway through the 3rd quarter! Progress reports for K-8th and updates to AR goals for 1st-8th grades will go home next Friday, February 13th. If you have any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to reach out to your child's teacher.

No School

School will not be in session on Monday, February 9th for a teacher professional development day.

No Bus Service

There will be no bus service on Friday, February 13th. The public school is not in session that day.

Pop-Tabs & Dollar Defense

Congratulations to our 5th & 6th grades for winning the pop-tab war with 39.8lbs! We collected a total of 99.86lbs that will go to the Ronald McDonald House! Our 3rd & 4th grades won the dollar defense war with \$81.24 in positive points! The whole school raised \$625.70, which will go to Ava Johnson and her family! Each class will enjoy a movie and snack for winning!

Mornings with
MOTHER MARY

All 3rd -8th Grade
Students are
invited!

**Join Rosary Group
Wednesday
Mornings at 7:30
in the Library!**

"The holy Rosary is a powerful weapon. Use it with confidence and you'll be amazed at the results." -St. Josemaria Escriva

Upcoming Events:

- 2/6-Mid-Quarter
- 2/9-No School-Regional PD Day
- 2/13-Valentine's Parties/All School Lock In
- 2/16-No School
- 2/18-Ash Wednesday
- 3/12-Preschool Open House
- 3/13-End of 3rd Quarter
- 3/13-14-Parish Garage Sale
- 3/19- 7th & 8th Confirmation

Cougars Making a Difference

Congratulations to our Cougars Making a Difference for this week!

- PK: Cora Twenter 3rd & 4th: Quincy Waller
- K: Loriana Templeton 5th & 6th: Heath Fenical
- 1st: Scarlet Twenter 7th & 8th: Aria Kliethermes
- 2nd: Nora Stark

Student Absences

Just a reminder that if your child will not be at school or will be coming late due to sickness or an appointment to let the office and classroom teacher know. Thank you in advance for your cooperation!

Blood Drive

Thank you to everyone that was able to donate blood on Tuesday! We collected 30 units at this drive.

Lock-In

Permission slips for the All-School Lock-In are included in folders this week. Please be sure to read over the letter and permission slip and return to school with \$2 by Tuesday, February 10th.

SAVE THE DATE

...and your treasures!

Parish Garage Sale

March 13-14

Donation Drop Off

Starts March 8th!!!



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PARISH SUMMER CATECHETICAL PROGRAM

2026

COMING TO PILOT GROVE
JUNE 28-JULY 3

Join us for a fun and faith-filled week! Learn about the Apostles Creed and the Glorious Mysteries of the rosary while growing in your relationship with the Lord. See you there!

For all students entering 2nd -12th Grade!

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The poster features a collage of images: a group of smiling children, a priest in white vestments, and a group of children playing outdoors. The text is arranged in a clean, modern layout with a mix of bold and regular fonts.

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