



FAST FACTS

HOLY CROSS CATHOLIC SCHOOL


Week of March 4-8, 2024

Special Happenings

- ❖ Every Friday at 4:30pm from February 16-March 22: **FISH FRY** at Holy Cross
 - ❖ Wednesday, March 6: School Mass at 8:30am
- ❖ Friday, March 8: **No School**, Diocesan Professional Development Day
 - ❖ Monday, March 11-15: **Empowering God's Children** lessons
 - ❖ Friday, March 15: **Full-Day** for Snow Day makeup hours
 - ❖ Friday, March 15 and March 22: **Stations of the Cross** at 2:30pm
 - ❖ Thursday, March 21: **HSA MEETING** at 4:30pm, **please contact Holy Cross if needing childcare during meeting**
 - ❖ Saturday, March 23-Monday, April 1: **No School**, Spring Break, **Happy Easter on Sunday March 31!**



Announcements:

- ★ **Holy Cross Fish Fry** is all-you-can-eat! Please come volunteer and enjoy a tasty meal every Friday until March 22.
- ★ On Saturday, March 23, Heartland Farms is hosting a **fun Easter event:** an Easter Egg Helicopter Drop and Hunt. They have other activities too, from 10am-4pm. Holy Cross School is not sponsoring this event. Please see Friday Folders for a hand-out. 
- ★ Second grade Catholic students have two sacraments they participate in the upcoming weeks: **1st Reconciliation on March 2** and **1st Communion on April 21**. The sacrament of Penance frees us from our sins, and it also challenges us to have the same kind of compassion and forgiveness for those who sin against us. The Eucharist (Communion) is the sacrament Jesus gave us on Holy Thursday at the Last Supper. He said, "Do this in remembrance of Me" as He gave Communion in all 4 gospels.
- ★ **Blessed Sacrament Adoration** continues every Wednesday from 9am-3pm during Lent.
- ★ **Home-School Association** meets on Thursday, March 21 at 4:30pm in order to plan for

Weekend masses:

Saturday - 4:00 pm St. Francis, 6pm Holy Cross
Sunday - 8am St. Michael's, 10am Holy Cross

field day and discuss ideas for spring activities. Please inform Holy Cross School if your family plans to have childcare during the meeting.

- ★ **Empowering God's Children:** During the week of March 11-15, Holy Cross School kindergarten through 3rd grade students learn safe environment lessons, Empowering God's Children. Parents and guardians, if you would like to review the materials, you can come to the school office or request for electronic copies to be sent to you.
- ★ Mark your calendars: Holy Cross School will be in session on Friday, March 15 and Friday, April 12 for full school-days (8:00am-3:15pm).

Bishop McKnight's Monthly Prayer Intention for March:

For those preparing for reception of the Easter sacraments this year; may our whole Church be renewed and invigorated by the celebrations of baptism, confirmation and First Holy Communion.

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