

Family Connection Newsletter

January 19 - 23

We will be closed January 19, 2026, in observation of Martin Luther King, Jr. Day

1. Grades 7-8 will be attending a retreat tomorrow at Holy Family School. Students are allowed to wear jeans, tennis shoes, and a Prince of Peace Spirit Wear item. If the student doesn't have Spirit Wear, they may wear a blue or grey shirt, sweater, or sweatshirt. **These are the only things students may dress in for the day.** Do not wear boots, UGGs, slippers, etc. since we will be in someone else's building and we don't want to ruin their floors. We will be packing lunch and eating it at Holy Trinity. The cafeteria will provide brown bag lunch if you do not want to pack your own lunch.
2. MAP testing will continue this coming week. We will take the last test on Wednesday, January 21, and anyone who misses testing on Wednesday will make it up on Thursday.
3. We will be celebrating Catholic Schools Week during the week of January 25- January 30. I will send the schedule for special events happening during the week in next week's folder. Sorry about the delay!
4. Our Open House will be held on Sunday, January 25 from 12-2 PM. Teachers and staff will be here to talk about our programs but **I am also looking for a few parents to be available during this time to answer questions that prospective parents may have about the school. If you would be interested in helping out, please email myself or Mrs. Middendorf.**
5. Notre Dame has a middle school track team that our students may join. Middle school track for NDA is for grades 5-8. Practices will be at St. Pius X Elementary on Mondays and NDA on Fridays and will start in March. The meets will mostly be on Wednesdays at Walton Verona. If you want to sign up, please email me and I will send a live link through an email. I'm waiting on information for CovCath and will send that out as soon as I get it.
6. Upcoming Dates for your reference:
 - a. January 19th – MLK, Jr. Day: NO SCHOOL
 - b. January 25th – Open House from 12-2 PM here at school
 - c. January 25th – January 30th – Catholic Schools Week
 - d. February 16th – President's Day: NO SCHOOL
 - e. February 17th – End of the 2nd Trimester