



# St. Joseph Catholic School

"Nurturing the Mind, Body, and Spirit"

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## January 12, 2018 Newsletter

### INCLUDED IN PACKET

- Newsletter – 2 pages, e-mailed and website [www.stjosephdecatur.org](http://www.stjosephdecatur.org)

### COMING NEXT WEEK

**01/13/18 – Saturday:**

**01/14/18 – Sunday:**

**01/15/2018 - Monday:**

- Wear your SJS Pridewear
- SJS attends school all day
- Need transportation in the AM and at dismissal - no buses
- No hot lunch served
- If you did not order pizza for your child, please pack them a sack lunch

**01/16/2018 - Tuesday:**

**01/17/18 - Wednesday:**

- Early Dismissal - 2:30pm

**01/18/18 - Thursday:**

**01/19/17 - Friday:**

- No Mass today
- Grades 5-8 walk to Movie Theatre
- "Catholic Schools Week" calendar will be sent home

### MILLENNIUM MADNESS WINNERS

**01/25/18 - #322:** Congratulations to Tom Rorick. He won \$200 in cash. The winning ticket was sold by Addie Kintz.

**01/08/18 - #311:** Congratulations to Amy Kintz. She won \$150 in cash. The winning ticket was sold by Addie Kintz

From the desk of Mr. Kieffer:

### STUDENTS OF THE MONTH



8<sup>th</sup> grader – Audri Sheets

Audri has always been helpful in class when explaining concepts and how to write essays to her peers. She is self-motivated to read independently and share her love of reading by recommending books to others. She has near perfect scores for grammar assignments and shows pride in her work. Audri is a self-proclaimed history buff who excels in the classroom. She is also directed chimes for the middle school during our school Advent Program.

7<sup>th</sup> grader – Hope Wellman

Hope is a leader among her classmates. She is a thoughtful student who puts her best foot forward every day. She can quietly lead a group without putting down her peers. Her conscientious nature is relevant by how well she treats students, teammates, and staff at St. Joe.

6<sup>th</sup> grader – Isabelle Ortiz

Isabelle comes to class prepared and puts her best effort forth every day. She is always kind, polite and avoids becoming involved in drama between other students. She sets a great example for her classmates.

## Martin Luther King, Jr. Day-Makeup Day

St. Joe school will be in-session on Monday, January 15th. This is a planned makeup day for the teacher workday earlier in the school year. The public schools around us are not in session. Therefore, if school would be delayed or cancelled due to weather, please watch for the text alert to be sent, we will post the status on our website and Facebook page as well.

### PANCAKE SAUSAGE BREAKFAST

St Joe 8th Grade Pancake and Sausage Breakfast  
Sunday, January 28, 2018  
7:30am to 1:00pm

Tickets:

Adults (13 and over): \$6.00

Child (4-12) \$3.00

3 and under FREE

See any 8th Grade student for tickets. Tickets will be sold after masses by the 8th grade students.

Whole Hog Sausage

1# package ground sausage \$3.00

6# Box Sausage Patties \$20.00

Pick up Day of the Breakfast at Carry Out 1st Floor

St. Joe School 1<sup>st</sup> Floor

Thank you

Pancake and Sausage Committee

## ELEARNING DAY ATTENDANCE

**A reminder that Monday is the last day to complete any work assigned during our first eLearning Day. If work is not turned in, the student will be marked absent. If only half the work is completed, the student will be marked absent a half-day.**

### SJS HOME BASKETBALL GAMES

#### COMING NEXT WEEK

**Mon: 1/15/18:** 5BB vs St. Charles - 5:00pm

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**Tues: 1/16/18:** 5/6GBB vs St. Vincent - 6:30pm

**Thurs: 1/18/18:** 5/6GBB vs Q of A - 6:30pm

#### 48th ANNUAL SMOKER

The 48<sup>th</sup> Annual Notre Dame smoker will be 12:30pm Sunday Feb 11<sup>th</sup> at the Knights of Columbus Hall 1703 High St Decatur. The always entertaining Duck Races, Food and beverages are included with admission ticket. Presale tickets are \$10 and are available at Mike's Barber Shop, Bill Miller's Auto Sales, Vinnie's Bar, Knights of Columbus and Kintz Insurance. Tickets will be \$15 at the door. Must be 21 to attend.

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### SJS INFORMATION CENTER

***"Bellmont Cheer Camp":***

WHEN: Saturday, January 27, 2018

9:00am - 12:00pm

WHO: Pre-K through 8th grade

WHERE: Belmont High School

COST: \$25 (includes t-shirt)

Make checks payable to BHS

For more details, have your child pick up a flyer in the Information Center. Forms are due January 19th. Please send them to Belmont High School.
