

UPCOMING EVENTS

January 5

- Home & School mtg @630pm

January 6

- Epiphany

January 9

- Baptism of Our Lord

January 11

- 2pm dismissal
 - Professional dev.

January 24

- Cookie Decorating at Slaton Care Center @2pm

January 28

- Catholic Schools Week Banquet

January 29

- School Mass
 - CSW kick-off!

January 29-Feb 3

- Catholic Schools Week
 - Proclamation by Mayor
 - Sock Hop
 - Science Fair @CTK 2/1
 - Pep Rally @CTK

January Birthdays

- Hannah Behnke-1/15
- Mekiileigh Diaz-1/18
- Penelope Escobar-1/28

A MESSAGE FROM THE PRINCIPAL

Dear Parents, Guardians & Community,



Can you believe we just rang in 2017! It seems just yesterday we were starting 2016. I pray your Christmas break was filled with lots of love and thankfulness and I look forward to what is in store for our precious school this year.

Our inaugural Mr. W's Fireworks Stand fundraiser was a lot of work, but should return a substantial amount of funds. (Will update you on totals when the check comes in.) Thanks to parents Jeff Kelly & Jared Warsing, CTK student Michael Hybner and Grand Knight Eric Hybner for all your hard work. This fundraiser would not have been possible without you!

As you may have noticed, we are contributing to the Charger News column in the Slatonite again. Last week, I discussed the new sign we are working on and the new yard signs available showing your support. Feel free to contact the office to purchase one of these yard signs. Monies received from sales of these signs will go toward the New Sign Campaign.

Look for current happenings at the back of both, St. Joseph and Our Lady and in the Slatonite as we strive toward our goal of building up our connections with our community. I am looking for volunteers to accompany me on home visits to help us establish deeper ties with our sister parish.

Be on the lookout for the Catholic Schools Week schedule. We are finalizing it now. (See side panel for highlights) We are inviting St. Joseph Alumni to lunch that week, to eat and to share their stories. Please contact the office to express your interest.

Blessings and Peace,
Mrs. Karen Hybner, MSED

A MESSAGE FROM THE OFFICE:

We are counting the Catholic Life Raffle Tickets now and will let you know how much you raised as soon as the money is totaled. Thank you for selling!

Community Involvement:

The students and staff participated in the Our Lady of Guadalupe procession on December 10th



A MESSAGE FROM OUR PASTOR:



EDUCATION IS POWER! But mere book-knowledge does not make a person learned! Every aspect of human personality is to be developed. That's what St. Joseph School does: to enable each student to grow, making use of every potential and lead him/her to become mature human persons. To make them law-abiding, God-loving, loving one's neighbor and thus create a just and peaceful community. Send your children to St. Joseph School and see for yourselves how they grow and how they change themselves. Please make a pledge to give them a CATHOLIC EDUCATION.

A MESSAGE FROM HOME & SCHOOL:

Please attend the upcoming Home & School meeting January 5, 2017 at 6:30pm to hear the financial report and upcoming discussions of Sweetheart Sizzler.

Thank you all,
Heath Gary
President of HSA

A MESSAGE FROM NCEA:

Reason #9 of 12 to choose Catholic schools-

“We prepare students to be productive citizens and productive future leaders.”

