# Faith, Knowledge, Stewardship

May every person come to Christ, the Light of Truth, and may the world advance along the path of justice and peace.

Pope Francis

#### Thank you

Thank you to all priests, staff members and parents who helped make our celebration of Catholic Schools Week great! It was a wonderful week of honoring all those who make Catholic school education possible, and celebrate the community we have at St. Augustine Cathedral School.

Thank you for your generosity. The Breakfast Buffet hosted by our 7<sup>th</sup> grade and the Knights of Columbus generated \$2874 for the John Robert Amat Fund.

### Congratulations

Congratulations to our Knights of Columbus Free Throw Contest winners. These students advance to the regional competition February 11.

Avery Doerr, Max Nobis, Marissa Toweson, Liam Roth, Katie Jane Walters, Lucas VanSweden, Estella Cronen, Luke Niedzielski, Brigid Roth, Nicholas Verduzco, Leah Chafty, Evan Wurtz.

Congratulations to the winners and runners up at our Catholic Schools Week Catechism Bee: Vinny Bruno, Grahm Zygadlo, Haley Baker and Lauren Niedzielski in grades 3-5 Nora VanSweden, Michael Dugas, Evan Wurtz, Samuel Sullivan in grades 6-8.

#### **Parent Teacher Conferences**

Specials teachers will be available to conference with parents Thursday from 8am to 11am.

Please remember that students do not have school Thursday or Friday due to Parent Teacher Conferences.

## From your PTO

Parent Teacher conferences are this week. Please sign up and **help with food for teachers** during those long work days. Head to Sign Up Genius if you can help out! http://www.signupgenius.com/go/5080c4badaf2aa6f85-meals

It's that time of year to get all dressed up and ready to dance! This year, we're rolling out Hollywood's red carpet to mark the entrance of our spectacular Dads with their fabulous daughters! The **Daddy/Daughter Dance takes place on Saturday, February 17**, 6:30-9:30pm at the Crowley Center. Find your best outfit for the red carpet and be ready for photos, dancing, and lots of fun! Cost is \$25 per family. Register in the office by Wednesday, February 14.

**Blue Moon Drop Off** is this Wednesday, February 7, 1-2:30pm and 3:30-5:30 pm. Take some time to clean out your closets and deliver to the Blue Moon Sale!

#### Kalamazoo Parks and Recreation

Kalamazoo Department of Parks and Recreation is offering a Middle School Archery League to 6th – 8th graders. Head to our website for more information:

http://www.stakzoo.org/?PageName=SchoolPublications&CategoryID=13302&SubCategoryID=40265

# Information about Influenza

We have a couple of students with a confirmed diagnosis of Influenza. Please take time to read the fact sheet available on our website:

http://images.pcmac.org/SiSFiles/Schools/MI/CatholicSchoolsKalamazoo/StAugustine/Uploads/Publications/influenza\_fact\_sheet.pdf Be assured that the number of students with Influenza is nowhere near a critical point to warrant school closure. But we ask our parents to take every precaution to safeguard your children and others from Influenza.

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St. Augustine Cathedral School, in partnership with parents and the Catholic Church, welcomes and shapes young people as they grow in **faith**, **knowledge** and **stewardship**.