

Sts. Peter and Paul School

Newsletter for the week of February 5, 2018

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Highlights from Catholic Schools' Week at Sts. Peter and Paul!

We had quite a week celebrating our students, teachers, staff, parents and clergy who join together in making our school great!

Sunday: Parish Appreciation Day



Monday: Student Appreciation Day



Tuesday: Parent Appreciation Day-

Did you enjoy your special keychain and thank you card?

Wednesday: *Serviam* Day and Staff Appreciation



Thursday: Clergy Appreciation Day!



Friday: Teacher Appreciation Day

Did you miss the PARENT MEETING last week?

We are happy to offer two opportunities for a summary presentation.

**Tues, Feb 6 at 8:00-8:30 am or
Thurs, Feb 8 at 2:15-2:24 pm**

Meet in Sister Faustina's office. During our upcoming STEM Family Night (Feb 15 at 7:00 pm), there will be a session for additional Q and A.

Science Fair Winners

On Jan 25th we held our annual Science Fair for 5th and 6th grades. Our students did a great job on their projects. A special congratulations to our Science Fair Winners!

6th grade:

- 1st place: Noah Vigil's "Ice Melter"
- 2nd place: Owen Davidson's "Hot Bananas"
- 3rd place: Long Nguyen's "Does Miracle Grow Work?"

5th grade:

- 1st place: Jayden Mattern's "Glue Testing"
- 2nd place: Rocco Howe's "Coke Experiment"
- 3rd place: Sergio Marquez's "Oobleck"



Upcoming Events

- Feb 5-9: ITBS Testing- grades 2-8
- Fri, Feb 9 2:00 pm: Special Mother Luisita Assembly
- Tues, Feb 13: Valentine's Day Parties for younger grades
- Wed, Feb 14: Ash Wednesday, 10:00 Mass
- Thurs, Feb 15: SPPS Spirit Day- Monthly Assembly, Family Units, STEM Activities
- Thurs, Feb 15: STEM Family Night
- Fri, Feb 16: Restaurant Fundraiser- The Cereal Box

15th Annual Gala

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A Night To Remember

Help us make our 2018 GALA truly a Night to Remember!

Our Gala yields 7% of our school's annual income! We need your help to make this year's Gala even more successful. More funds make for a stronger educational program for *your* children.

Contribute Items for the Silent Auction!

Know a business or a family member with a hobby who would like to donate an item to the silent auction? There is still time. Ask them!

Volunteer to help set up for the event or assist with the evening! See below.

Join us for the dinner! Consider purchasing a table for your family or business.

Help us find sponsors for the event! Know a business which would like to support our school and gain valuable visibility in the process? Sponsorship solicitation letters were sent home last week.

Be an advocate for Sts. Peter and Paul!
Let's work together to support our children.

WHO IS MOTHER LUISITA?

In the 1920's, during the revolution and religious persecution in Mexico, Mother Luisita began a Religious community. Her dream was to unite the spirit of Carmel with the active apostolate. A woman of gentle strength, she became a source of light amidst the darkness of confusion and hatred. She established schools, hospitals, and orphanages. The very persecution which sought to destroy her work only spread it to another land, our own United States. Her ideal of combining contemplation with apostolic love teaches us to cling to God in mind and heart, while serving the church through the active apostolates. We celebrate her anniversary of death on February 11th.



Save the date for our first STEM Family Night!

Thursday, February 15th



Want a closer look at what STEM is all about? Come experience it for yourself! Join us for all or part of this evening. **RSVPs are necessary.** More information will be coming this week.

6:00 pm Bring your own picnic dinner and enjoy it with our SPPS school family in the gym; dinner and snacks will also be available in the concession stand

6:45 pm & 7:30 Choose from a variety of fun STEM activities for all ages

Invite a new family to come and see! **10\$ Dominos gift cards to SPPS families who bring a new family to this event who is interested attending our school.** Let's grow our SPPS school family!

Volunteer Corner

Our annual Gala is coming soon!
We need **lots** of volunteers!



- Sat, Feb 10th: Basket Builders- 2 people
- Feb 21st -23rd: Help set up silent auction- 3 people: according to your schedule
- Feb 24th
 - 9:00-4:00 Set up crew: 10 people (give an hour or several- as you are able)
 - 5:00-8:00 Dinner Servers: 7 people
 - 9:00-11:00 Clean-up crew: 10 people

Contact Sister Faustina this week if you would like to help.