



St. John Catholic School

Educational Ministry of St. John The Baptist Parish

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February 11, 2026 Newsletter

Friday, February 13th
Noon Dismissal

Saturday, February 14th
Cheer Exhibition (at St John)
CYO Boys Playoffs (at St. Bede)

Monday, February 16th
No School

Friday, February 27th
See's Candies Fundraiser Orders
Due before Noon!



ST. JOHN COMMUNITY PRAYER CORNER:

Please continue to pray for those close to us, including Grandpa Hartley, The Mccaffrey-Pardee Family, Richard Russell, Salvador Contreras, Beth Stern, the Stern family, the entire St. Felicitas community, Lenora Carroll, Melody Round, the Bannister family, Jim Smith, Jim Fahey, Rudy Catimbang, Martha Lopez, Shanty Gupta, and Jennifer Bliss-Griffin.

If you have anyone you'd like to add to our prayer corner just email info@sjcsedu.org.

VIRTUE OF THE WEEK:

The Virtue of **Courtesy**
Also known as: Politeness

Definition of **Courtesy:**

Treating other people with respect, recognizing that all are made in God's image and likeness

Prayer for **Courtesy:**

Dear Jesus, help me to show respect toward others in my words, manners, and body language.

Registration is Open

REGISTRATION FOR THE 2026-2027 SCHOOL YEAR:

Registration emails for the 2026-2027 school year were already sent out.

Parents should have received an email from Ms. Aimee with instructions on how to complete returning registration for each student. If you have not yet received your student specific email, please contact Ms. Aimee as soon as possible. Additionally, returning registration fees are due by April 30th, after April 30th a \$50 re-enrollment fee per student will be assessed. Please contact Ms. Aimee with any questions. **Any students registered before 2/17 will be invited to our "Registration Bash" on 2/20 (during school).**

Announcements

SCHOOL WISH LIST - WE NEED TISSUE:

Hopefully you noticed there were a lot fewer items on student supply lists this year. Missing from that list were essential items like tissues and copy paper. Rather than making it mandatory we're asking families that would like to do so to donate those (and other) items on an as needed basis. Our wish list can be found [HERE](#). Please include your name on any donations sent to the school so we can credit your service hours appropriately. Service hours will be awarded at \$25/hr. So every \$25 spent equals 1 service hour.

NEWSPAPER/PACKING MATERIAL NEEDED:

The Musical in need of materials for props. If you have any newspaper and/or paper packing material (like the stuff you get in Amazon packages) that you aren't using can you please send it to Ms. Russo in the office. It would be much appreciated. Thank you!

NOW ACCEPTING APPLICATIONS FOR THE 2025-2026 SCHOOL YEAR:

Please share the good news about St. John Catholic School with your friends and family! We are accepting applications now for Preschool -7th grade for the 2026-2027 school year. Applications are now online. Visit www.StJohnCatholicSchool.org to apply. New student testing can be scheduled once the application is submitted. Please contact Ms. Aimee with any questions.

IMPORTANT INFORMATION ABOUT TUITION ASSISTANCE:

Applications are now available for FACE (Family Aid – Catholic Education) and The BASIC Fund financial aid.

The BASIC Fund is available for new students whose families meet all the application requirements. The deadline to apply for current and new families is March 27, 2026. For more information, please go to www.basicfund.org or see the link on our website. Current families receiving The BASIC Fund can go to their website to access their renewal application. To apply for a sibling, you must fill out an application through the Existing Family Application Page on their website.

FACE (Family Aid-Catholic Education) applications are available online only at <https://online.factsnet.com/signin/3FVYB> or see the link on their website <https://www.oakdiocese.org/face-about/>. This application requires documentation for income received in 2024. Reminders: you must re-apply to F.A.C.E. each year and make sure you check the box for Family Aid-Catholic education under "Other Organizations". The deadline to apply is March 31, 2026.

School Tuition Assistance: If you are currently receiving aid from the school or wish to apply for the 2026-2027 school year, you must first complete a FACTS application and apply for FACE AND complete this application: [St. John Catholic School Tuition Assistance Application](#) before consideration for SJCS tuition assistance

Active Parishioner Scholarship: If you currently receive an Active Parishioner Scholarship (APS) you will be contacted in the coming weeks with instructions on how to reapply. If you are interested in applying for APS more information on how to do so and deadlines will be coming in the next couple weeks.

If you have any questions regarding FACE, BASIC, or SJCS tuition assistance, please contact us. Deadlines established by FACE and BASIC are firm; a missed deadline will mean a missed opportunity.

RAISE RIGHT:

Don't forget that a percentage of your Raise Right amount goes toward your family's \$300 fundraising obligation! Order forms are attached to this week's newsletter and are due back to the school office by 10:00am on Thursday, February 12th! Did you know there are over 500 retailers to choose from? Visit www.RaiseRight.com for a complete list of participating vendors. If you have any questions, please email asire@csdo.org.

Reminders

IN PARISH RATE REQUIREMENTS:

This is just a reminder that to qualify for the In Parish Rate next year (2026-2027 school year) you must have completed the following prior to February 2026:

- Registered with the parish and regularly attend mass
- All age appropriate student sacraments complete
- Contribute a minimum of \$200 to either the school's Annual Fund or the parish through the use of their weekly envelopes/EFT or a combination of both.

FOLLOW US ON SOCIAL MEDIA:

For real-time awesome stuff we do check out our Instagram page!

<https://www.instagram.com/stjohnshamrocks/>

If you're old we have Facebook too!

<https://www.facebook.com/stjohnslz/>

We even have a private group of Facebook. If you're not already a member you can click the link below to join

<https://www.facebook.com/groups/119972304755849/>

"The Shamrock Swap"

WELCOME TO THE SHAMROCK SWAP:

Thanks to Mitchell's mom (Jen) we have name for SJCS' version of Marketplace. Welcome to The Shamrock Swap. If you have a business to promote, items to sell, if you're in need of something just let us know and we can post it here in The Shamrock Swap section of our newsletter. Just email Mr. Enos with whatever it is you want or need and we'll post it here! denos@csdo.org

SERVICES OFFERED:

Tutoring:

If you have a child (or know of one) that could benefit from a Tutor here is a great recommendation! Former SJCS teacher <https://www.trailmarkerteaching.com>

Commercial cleaning business:

Top Tier Office Clean
"The New Standard of Workspace Clean,"
patrickfassino@toptierclean.net www.toptierclean.net

Electrician:

Lee Electric corp



♡ VALENTINE CANDY GRAMS ♡

Proceeds go to Student Council

Celebrate Valentine's Day by purchasing candy grams for your family and friends.

Each Candy Gram comes with your valentine message and a lollipop.

Cost: \$1 each

Checks made out to St. John Catholic School

How to Order:

- Fill out the Candy Gram order form
- Return the order form and payment to the office by Tuesday, February 10th

Candy Grams will be delivered on Friday, February 13th



Valentine Candy Gram Order Form

Student's Name: _____ Grade _____

Number of Candy Grams _____ X \$1 = Total _____

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See's CANDIES.

2026 Spring Fundraising



Nuts & Chews
Yummy, crunchy and chewy.
Delivered in seasonal wrap.
1 lb \$33.00 #540334

Profit= \$6.60



Assorted Chocolates
Milk and dark decadence.
Delivered in seasonal wrap.
1 lb \$33.00 #540318

Profit= \$6.60



Peanut Brittle
Buttery, crunchy and irresistible.
1 lb 8 oz \$33.00 #500355

Profit= \$6.60



Assorted Lollypops
Vanilla, Butterscotch, Café Laté and Chocolate.
Naturally & artificially flavored. Approximately 30 lollypops.
1 lb 5 oz \$34.50 #506545

Profit= \$6.90



Toffee-ettes®
Crunchy toffee, milk chocolate
and almonds.
1 lb \$33.00 #500316

Profit= \$6.60



Peanut Butter Egg
An irresistible treat.
3 oz \$9.00 #509499

Profit= \$4.50



Chocolate Butter Egg
Creamy and delicious.
3 oz \$9.00 #509500

Profit= \$4.50



Bordeaux™ Egg
A tasty classic.
3 oz \$9.00 #509501

Profit= \$4.50



Hoppy Bunny Box
An array of adorable bites.
8.6 oz \$15.00 #510779

Profit= \$3.00



Cheery Chick Box
Full of See's favorites.
3.8 oz \$11.50 #511211

Profit= \$5.75



Marshmallow & Scotchmallow® Eggs
One box, four yummy eggs.
3.4 oz \$11.00 #503321

Profit= \$5.50



Hoppy Days Box
Beloved See's Classics.
5.3 oz \$13.75 #511218

Profit= \$2.75

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KEEP FOR YOUR RECORDS

FUNDRAISER INFORMATION

Name: _____

Organization: _____

Team or Room #: _____

	1 lb Nuts & Chews #540334	1 lb Assorted Chocolates #540318	1 lb 8 oz Peanut Brittle #500355	1 lb 5 oz Assorted Lollypops #506545	1 lb Toffee-ettes® #500316	3 oz Peanut Butter Egg #509499	3 oz Chocolate Butter Egg #509500	3 oz Bordeaux™ Egg #509601	8.6 oz Hoppy Bunny Box #510779	3.8 oz Cheery Chick Box #511211	3.4 oz Marshmallow & Scotchmallow® Eggs #503321	5.3 oz Hoppy Days Box #511218	
	\$33.00	\$33.00	\$33.00	\$34.50	\$33.00	\$9.00	\$9.00	\$9.00	\$15.00	\$11.50	\$11.00	\$13.75	
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Total Quantity of Each Item													\$

TOTAL



FUNDRAISING COORDINATOR

2026 Spring Fundraising

Please fill out form completely.

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Total Quantity of Each Item													
Amount Due													\$



Week 1
6/15-6/18 (\$240)
NOTE: 4 days; no school Friday 6/19

Week 2 :
6/22-6/26 (\$300)

Week 3:
6/29-7/3 (\$300)

One time \$50 registration fee



SUMMER *School* **AT ST. JOHN**

270 E LEWELLING BLVD, SAN LORENZO

**INCOMING TK-8TH
GRADE STUDENTS**

9am-3pm
Daily

Aftercare
from 3pm-6pm
(for an additional fee)



Math
and
Reading

Electives:

- **Crocheting**
- **Board Games**
- **Art**
- **Cooking/Baking**
- **Sports**

Save Your Spot Today! | krusso@csdo.org

RAISERIGHT ORDER 2025 - 2026

Family Name _____
 Name & Grade of oldest child _____

****Orders Due by February 12, 2026.

Entertainment	%	\$	QTY	Net \$
Cinemark/Century Theaters	4%	\$25		
AMC Theaters	8%	\$25		
Gas	%	\$	QTY	Net \$
Arco	1.5%	\$50		
	2.5%	\$250		
76	1.5%	\$25		
		\$100		
Shell	1.5%	\$50		
		\$100		
Grocery	%	\$	QTY	Net \$
Lucky/Savemart	2%	\$25		
		\$100		
Safeway	4%	\$25		
		\$100		
Smart & Final	3%	\$25		
		\$100		
Target	2.5%	\$25		
		\$100		
Sprouts Farmers Market	5%	\$25		
		\$100		

Fast Food/Restaurant	%	\$	QTY	Net \$
Applebee's	8%	\$25		
Chipotle	10%	\$10		
IHOP	8%	\$25		
Olive Garden	8%	\$25		
Starbucks Coffee	4.5%	\$10		
		\$25		
Retail	%	\$	QTY	Net \$
Amazon.com	1.7%	\$25		
		\$100		
Old Navy	14%	\$25		
		\$100		
Macy's	10%	\$25		
		\$100		
Marshall's/TJ Maxx	7%	\$25		
Ross	8%	\$25		
Dick's Sporting Goods	8%	\$25		
		\$100		
Walgreens	5%	\$25		
		\$100		

Please refer to www.raiseright.com for a complete list of participating vendors.

Write In Orders** (use back side of form if needed)	%	\$	QTY	Net \$

*Payment must be included with this form. Make checks payable to St. John Catholic School
 Turn completed forms to School Office or send back in with your student.
 Orders will be ready in about 1 week.*

Cash Check # _____

Orders Due by THURSDAY, February 26, 2026 10:00 AM.

TOTAL \$ _____

- I will pick up my RaiseRight Order at the school office I will pick up my RaiseRight Order at SEP
 Please send home RaiseRight Order with eldest child

Purchased By (please print) _____ Phone # _____

I understand that RaiseRight is like cash and St. John Catholic School is not responsible if your RaiseRight order is lost or stolen.

Signature _____ Date _____

It's not too late to purchase the

ST JOHN CATHOLIC SCHOOL yearbook!

To purchase your yearbook go to [Treering.com](https://www.treering.com) →

Customize your 2 free pages

- Add photos from your computer, Facebook, Google Drive and more
- Answer fun memory questions to help remember the year
- The 2 custom pages are **free** and are printed **only** in your book. Want more pages? Each additional 2 pages are just \$1.99.

To purchase and customize your yearbook, use the QR code or:

Must be a parent or student 13 years or older

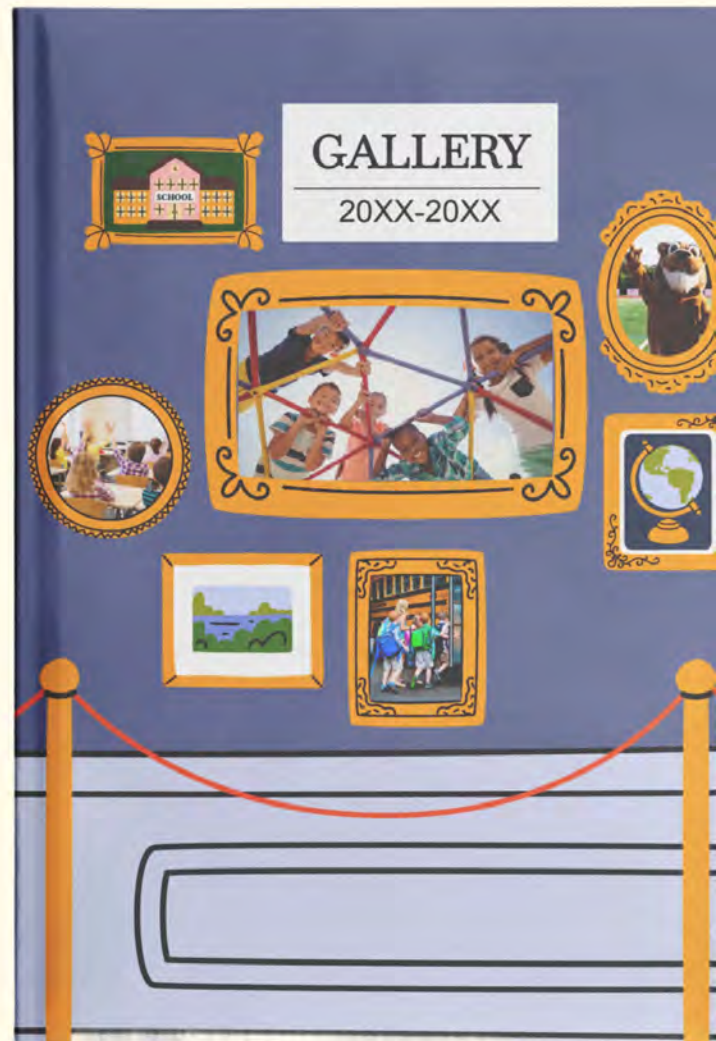
1. Go to: [treering.com/validate](https://www.treering.com/validate)
2. Enter your school's passcode:

1015901096024880

Regular price: **\$21.44**

*Does not include sales tax, if applicable

Deadline: **Apr 15**





GO GIRLS



GO GIRLS
GO BEARS
GO PURVIS



GO BEARS



GO PLAY

California



CALIFORNIA

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