# 2020 CATHOLIC SCHOOLS WEEK

JAN 26, 2020 - FEB 1, 2020



Catholic Schools Week is an annual celebration of Catholic education and an opportunity for the our community to recognize the importance, the value, and the contributions of Catholic education. SEES, along with Catholic schools across the nation, commemorate Catholic Schools Week with celebrations, Masses, Open Houses, and activities for students, families, parishioners, and community members. Catholic Schools Week events showcase and celebrate the rich traditions and the incredible value of Catholic education on both a local and national level.

#### **TOGETHER, WE CELEBRATE!**

Each day of Catholic Schools Week, we will have different activities and events that provide the opportunity to celebrate our school and the community that surrounds us. **The theme for Catholic Schools Week 2020 is:** *Learn. Serve. Lead. Succeed.* We encourage parents, grandparents, parishioners, prospective families, visitors and community members to join us and see first hand the benefits of students learning, playing, praying and living out their faith here at SEES.

Below you will find the theme for each day. For details and additional information about daily events, please see the reverse side of this page and check our website, school office blasts and messages from teachers and room parents:

Sunday: Celebrating our Parish

Monday: Celebrating our Community Tuesday: Celebrating our Vocations Wednesday: Celebrating our Nation

Thursday: Celebrating our Families, Faculty, Staff & Volunteers

Friday: Celebrating our Students

#### THANK YOU SEES PARENTS!

Your support during this exciting, yet busy time is deeply appreciated by our entire community! Please remember that all of the activities and events are completely optional and that each family should decide where to lend their support - together, we can accomplish anything!

If you have any questions about any of the events for the week, please do not hesitate to contact the SEES front office.









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### SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

# FRIDAY, JANUARY 24TH SAINTS HALL OF FAME

Please join us between 8:30am and 10:30am in the SEES Cafeteria for the Annual Saints Hall of Fame, presented by our 4th grade students. This event is open to all family, grandparents & special friends!

## SUNDAY, JANUARY 26TH CELEBRATING OUR PARISH

(BOOK FAIR HOURS: 12PM-2PM)

#### Mass at St. Edward the Confessor

Students and their families are invited to join us for 11:15am Mass. Students that attend Mass in their uniform will be given a TAG DAY PASS!

#### Campus Open House (12:00pm - 2:00pm)

Parishioners, current & prospective families are welcome!

#### Book Fair Open House & Book Signing (12:00pm - 2:00pm)

Parishioners, current & prospective families are invited to visit the **SEES Book Fair and meet SEES student, Kelan Davoud, author of "Kelan and the Magical Glove."** Kelan will have a limited number of books for signing and purchase. Additional books may be pre-ordered at: www.amazon.com.

# MONDAY, JANUARY 27TH CELEBRATING OUR COMMUNITY

(BOOK FAIR HOURS: 8-8:30AM & 3-5PM)

#### Rainbows & Relays

Students, Faculty & Staff wear a shirt (with their uniform) in the color assigned to your grade level and will participate in relays as teams!

### TUESDAY, JANUARY 28TH CELEBRATING OUR VOCATIONS

(BOOK FAIR HOURS: 8-8:30AM & 3-5PM)

#### Wacky Socks with uniform (Canned Good Tag Day)

Students may wear wacky socks with their school uniform in exchange for a non-perishable food item to benefit Central Virginia FoodBank.

#### Community Mass at 9:00am

Please join us for our morning Mass - all are welcome!

#### **Letters and Care Packages to our Parishes**

Students will be making cards for our area parishes in their homerooms or religion classes. If you would like to contribute to the care package, please visit track it forward to sign up for snack items.

## WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 29TH CELEBRATING OUR NATION & BEYOND

(BOOK FAIR HOURS: 8-8:30AM & 3-5PM)

#### Serving it Up in Red, White and Blue!

Students may dress in Red, White and Blue tag day clothes! We will have a special flag ceremony, followed by an 8th grade vs. Faculty Volleyball game that the whole school will attend!

#### Donuts with Epiphany for students (10:15am - 11:30pm)

Donuts provided by Krispie Kreme. Parents of students with allergies are welcome to provide a substitute treat.

#### **THURSDAY, JANUARY 30TH**

#### **CELEBRATING OUR FAMILIES, FACULTY, STAFF & VOLUNTEERS**

(BOOK FAIR HOURS: 8-8:30AM & 3-7PM)

#### Pajama Tag Day & Cuddle Up with a Book and a Buddy!

Students may wear pajamas to school - no slippers please! All pajamas must follow appropriate tag day guidelines. Students will pair up with their Mass buddies to enjoy a great book together (intermediate students will have time to read on their own!)

#### Thank You Thursday for our Faculty & Staff

Teachers & Staff will receive a visit from the Kindness Cart, courtesy of the SEES HSA.

#### SEES Community Evening - Thursday, January 30th

Scholastic Book Fair (3pm-7pm)

Make a purchase tonight and earn a TAG DAY PASS!

#### Family Dinner Night (5:30pm-7pm)

Join us in the SEES Cafeteria for a community "cook out" - the school will provide Hot Dogs, Burgers & beverages. Please sign up at track it forward to bring a dish to share. This event is free and open to all!

## FRIDAY, JANUARY 31ST CELEBRATING OUR STUDENTS

(BOOK FAIR HOURS: 8-8:30AM)

#### Spirit Wear (\$1.00 Tag Day)

Students may wear their Eagle Spirit Wear or Red/Navy to show their Eagle Pride! Tag Day proceeds benefit SEES Shine Bright Campaign & the Annual Fund for Excellence.

#### SEES Student Talent Show - 1:00pm-2:30pm

Join us for awesome performances by students in 2nd - 8th grades! Parents & guests are welcome to attend!