

The Halo

Cathedral Parish School 259
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Mission Statement

We, the Catholic Community of Cathedral Parish School, will be examples of Christian teachings, will serve others as Jesus would, will achieve academic excellence, and put Christ first in ALL we do.



7th grade prays together as we begin our Lenten Journey!

A Letter from Deacon Ott

Bishop Pohlmeier shared a beautiful reflection this week on why it is actually very fitting to celebrate Ash Wednesday and Valentine's Day on the same day. There is no bigger love than the love of our God who sent His Son to die for us; Ash Wednesday takes us down a road that ends with the celebration of Jesus' death and Resurrection. God's love is entirely selfless and self-giving. May our imperfect love imitate God's!

Deacon Ott visited VPK to distribute ashes. Ash Wednesday reminds us to repent and turn away from sin.



ANNOUNCEMENTS

February 19th:
Presidents' Day -
No School

February 23rd:
11am Dismissal

**February 23rd -
25th:**
CPS Festival at
Shrine Grounds

February 26th:
Festival Clean-Up
Day - No School

March 8th:
End of Third
Quarter

March 8th:
Middle School
Dance 6pm -
8pm at the Parish
Hall

We showed love for our CPS family on Valentine's Day!

Our Valentine's Day parties were full of fun and friendship!



CPS soccer defeated Blessed Trinity 3-1 in the championship game to finish undefeated! Way to go, Saints!



Mrs. George's 6th grade science classes designed and built replicas of real volcanoes!



Important Information

Reminder to Turn in Eggs!

This EGGcellent fundraiser is only possible with egg donations! This is a year round collection!

Uniform Closet

Our uniform closet is open to all CPS families! Please let the front office know if you'd like to take a look in the uniform closet.

Advanced Ride Tickets

We encourage all students to sell advance ride tickets for the festival, this is different from the mandatory raffle tickets that have already gone home. The selling of advance ride tickets is purely VOLUNTARY. Parents can check out or purchase a book of 25 sheets of tickets to sell. Each ticket sheet contains 20 tickets (rides are typically 4-6 tickets) for \$18.00 and at the festival they will be \$23.00 a sheet. Students who sell a book of 25 sheets (\$450 worth of tickets) will then get a special wrist band to have **unlimited access** to the rides all weekend!

We will set up each morning, 7:30am-8:00am and then each afternoon, 2:30pm-3:00pm outside of the gym for you to come and check out/purchase a book of tickets. We will do this each school day until the festival begins!

HOT OFF THE PRESS!!!!

Calling all Saints!!

THE FACULTY ALONG WITH HR MOM COORDINATORS / BASKET BOOTH CO-CHAIRS HAVE SOME BREAKING AND EXCITING NEWS!!

Would you like a chance to have a A PARKING SPOT RESERVED FOR YOU AT ALL SCHOOL FUNCTIONS FOR THE 2024 / 2025 School Year?!

Would you like a chance to win a FREE MONTH OF CPS SUMMER CAMP FUN for one of your children for the 2024 camp?!

Or how about a chance to win FRONT ROW SEATS FOR 4 AT ALL SCHOOL FUNCTIONS FOR THE 2024 / 2025 School Year?!

What about your REGISTRATION FEE WAIVED for one child for the 2024 / 2025 School Year?!

If any, or ALL of the above caught your eye, please make sure to stop by the Big Bang For Your Buck...(if you have a bit of luck) tent during the festival weekend for your chance!! Make sure you look for the specially marked **CPS SAINTS** table in the basket booth tent! **Details Below:**

For the **4 opportunies above**, we will handle like the other baskets within the tent. They will be on the specially marked **CPS SAINTS** table, and will be handled on a ticket / drawing basis! We will have clearly labeled buckets next to these items where you will drop tickets (purchased inside our booth) for your chance to win one of these amazing opportunities! The **WINNERS** for the Reserved Parking Space, The 4 Reserved Front Row Seats at ALL School Events, Waived Registration Fee for One Child and the One Month of Free CPS Summer Camp for one Child will be drawn on **SUNDAY AT 6 PM!**

** Qualifying Special Events Calendar will be Provided to the Winners as soon as the 2024 / 2025 School Calendar is released. These events will include: Supply Drop Off, Open House, PTO Meetings, Christmas Program, Science Fair, 8th Grade Graduation, Art Fair, etc. **

**** Opportunities / Experiences listed above are only valid for 1 family. These cannot be shared, split or transferred ****
Please direct any questions to Jamie Flores at 904.445.8140 or Erin Johnson at 904.652.9785

**Sunday
March 10,
2024**

141st Annual Spring Fair

**Noon
'til 4 pm**

St. Ambrose Catholic Church
6070 Church Road, Elkton, Florida
Follow the signs from SR 207 and SR 13

 **Music by MONEY FOR NOTHIN'**

FOOD: Dine In or Take Out: Authentic Minorcan Clam Chowder, Burgers, Hot Dogs, French Fries, Pulled Pork Dinners, Pulled Pork Taco Dinners, Ice Cream, Assorted drinks: Beer, Bottled Water, and Soda. ATM onsite in the hall

FUN: Kid's Activities and Hayrides

ACTIVITIES: Emma's Attic, 50/50 Drawings, Classic Cars, Reenactors, and a Reverse Raffle for 10K

BOOTHS: Bake Sale, All Things St. Ambrose, Silent Auction, and more

TOUR: Our beautiful church built in 1907, the Garden of the Cross, and the Grotto of Our Lady of Lourdes

Admission and parking are free!

Additional food items are planned due to overwhelming attendance.

Proceeds from the fair always go to support St. Ambrose parish, ministries, and projects.

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