



ST. MICHAEL CATHOLIC SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

January 17 - 23, 2019

Mission: To be friendly, respectful, responsible, and Christ-like

SPORTS NEWS

Basketball

vs

Faith Academy in Bellville
tonight at 5:30 p.m.

Boys and Girls Tournament at
Trinity Episcopal
Saturday, 1/19

Game

vs

Sacred Heart in Hallettsville
1/23 at 5:00 p.m.

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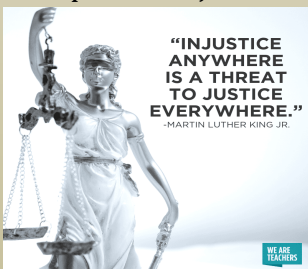
*Justice and only justice you
shall pursue.*

Deuteronomy 16:18-20

*Let justice roll down like
waters.*

Amos 5:24

All families are asked to join us
in the Week of Prayer for
Christian Unity
January 18 – January 25.
Each year, the World Council
of Churches – including the
Roman Catholic Church –
invites Christians everywhere
to pray for the unity of
Christians throughout the
world. Our focus this year is on
the pursuit of justice.



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- **Reminder:** School will be closed to students on Monday, January 21 for the Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. holiday. Faculty will be on spiritual retreat this day. *"The time is always ripe to do right,"* Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. in *Letter from a Birmingham Jail*.
- The next **School Advisory Council (SAC) meeting** will be held on January 22 in the computer lab at 5:30 p.m.
- **Raphael's Refuge:** 8th grade students will visit Raphael's Refuge in Flatonia on January 22 for the *Day of Prayer for the Legal Protection of Unborn Children*. Anyone is welcome to join us or visit the refuge at any time. Visit their website to learn more - raphaelsrefuge.org.
- The Diocese of Victoria Department of **Safe Environment** has asked us to provide you the reporting procedures for suspected or known sexual abuse of a minor or vulnerable adult. This information can be found on our website and in our handbook located on the website. We are providing this information to you on the back of this newsletter.
- **Catholic Schools Week:** see handout
- **ART After School:** Resumes Thursday, January 24, 3:30 – 4:45 p.m.
- **Early Dismissal:** School will be dismissed at noon on Friday, February 1. After School Care will be closed.
- **Sacred Heart Academic Meet:** Students are signing up for this event to be held February 7 in Hallettsville. Parent letters will go home on Tuesday, January 22. Parents must provide transportation to this event.
- **PSIA:** We are in the process of filling our responsibility to provide directors, judges, graders, and monitors for our district academic meet at Our Lady of Victory in Victoria on February 16. We will be emailing or calling parents whose children are participating and need everyone to participate.
- **Save the Date:** Bishop Brendan Cahill will be celebrating Mass with us on Friday, February 8.
- **Because you asked:** *Submit your questions to cmcafee@stmichaelswords.org*
- **HSA News**
- **Catholic Life Tickets:** Thank you to all who sold tickets. We have earned \$11,650.00. We have been given an extension to continue selling these tickets until January 23. All tickets and money must be turned in to Angela Wied by the 23rd in order to be counted and mailed to San Antonio by the due date for the drawing. If any family can sell tickets at M-G or Kasper's this weekend that would be great. Please contact the office and we will send tickets home. Also, contact the business to get permission to sell.
- **Thank you** to everyone who signed up to work the drive-thru meal on Sunday, January 27!
- **Profit and Loss for Summer and Fall Fundraisers:** see handout

Have a great weekend!